

## Statements for Forced Choice Exercise

1. If my best friend told me that he/she was gay, it would not affect my friendship with him/her at all.
2. It would bother me if my college roommate were gay.
3. I would approve of my brother or sister bringing home a gay partner for the holidays.
4. Bisexual people are confused about their sexual orientation, unable to make a choice.
5. Gay people should be allowed to adopt children.
6. If a gay person had a good heterosexual lover, he/she would become heterosexual.
7. If I found my doctor was gay and the same sex as I, I would stop going to him/her.
8. I think gay people should not be allowed to be elementary school teachers.
9. LGBTQ people deserve the same rights and privileges as everybody else.
10. I have no problem with LGBTQ people, but see no need for them to flaunt their sexual orientation publicly.
11. It takes strength and courage for LGBT people to be themselves in today's world.
12. It is important for me to examine my own attitude so that I can actively support the struggle for equality that LGBTQ have undertaken.

## Heterosexual Questionnaire - Handout

Please answer the following questions as honestly as possible.

1. What do you think caused your heterosexuality?
2. When and how did you first decide you were heterosexual?
3. Is it possible that your heterosexuality is just a phase you may grow out of?
4. Is it possible that your heterosexuality stems from a fear of others of the same sex?
5. If heterosexuality is normal, why are so many mental patients heterosexual?
6. Why do you heterosexual people try to seduce others into your lifestyle?
7. Why do you flaunt your heterosexuality? Can't you just be who you are and keep it quiet?
8. With all the societal support that marriage receives, the divorce rate is spiraling. Why are there so few stable relationships among heterosexual people?
9. Why are heterosexual people so promiscuous?
10. Would you want your children to be heterosexual, knowing the problems they would face, such as heartbreak, disease, and divorce?

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