

YOU MAKE ME FEEL LIKE A NATURAL HE-MAN

Allan Bloom: "Education is not sermonizing... against instincts and pleasures but providing a natural continuity between what you feel and what you can and should be."

Pr 30:18-19 NIV There are three things that are too amazing for me, four that I do not understand: 19 the way of an eagle in the sky, the way of a snake on a rock, the way of a ship on the high seas, and the way of a man with a young woman.

TOO AMAZING FOR YOU AND ME

Retired minister in his 70's, Byron Martin from Maine, is serving time in a Spanish prison for trying to smuggle a large quantity of cocaine into the country. His family claims he is the victim of a "romance scam". Martin claims he was asked to bring a generic package to his attractive 30 something year old girlfriend... His son testified, "My dad is a retired pastor. He never drank, never smoked, didn't chase women and never swore... He was too trusting of people to the point of being gullible."

Never Forget This Chemistry Lesson / A Natural Phenomena

Not necessarily lust or infatuation. A nubile young woman in the flower of her youth; like baking soda and vinegar...

Chantilly lace and a pretty face /And a pony tail a-hangin' down
That wiggle in the walk/ And giggle in the talk
Makes the world go 'round...
There ain't nothin' in the world/ Like a big-eyed girl
That makes me act so funny/ Make me spend my money
Make me feel real loose, like a long necked goose
Oh baby, that's what I like...

A young woman has the power to trigger a biological reaction. Awareness is the precursor to self-control.

Jewish Proverb "If anyone brings a beautiful captive home, he brings Satan into his house, and his son will be destroyed." (Sifre, Deut. 218)

Voluptuous beauty's impact on avg Joe was a staple in old comedy sketches.

HR Manager in UK: bout of 'dyslexia' when he had to interview such a woman.

(Pr 6:26 reduced to a crust of bread)

THREE LESSONS FROM NATURE

(The Eagle) That soaring feeling

Every love song is written from this perspective

James Brown: I feel good...
I feel nice, like sugar and spice...
When I hold you...

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Pr 6:25-27 Do not lust after her beauty in your heart, Nor let her allure you with her eyelids.²⁶ For by means of a harlot A man is reduced to a crust of bread; And an adulteress will prey upon his precious life. ²⁷ Can a man take fire to his bosom, And his clothes not be burned?

Youth Leader's ego toyed with a girl was into him... He did 3 yrs for statutory rape.

(The snake) That creeping feeling

2Ti 3:6-7 For among them are those who creep into households and capture weak women, burdened with sins and led astray by various passions, ⁷ always learning and never able to arrive at a knowledge of the truth.

Rebellious "convert": You're a player hater

(The ship) That seasick feeling

Ps 107:26-27 [The waves] mounted up to the heavens and went down to the depths; in their peril their courage melted away. ²⁷ They reeled and staggered like drunkards; they were at their wits' end.

Brother, embraces babysitter... let's do this. Lost his bearings over the girl for the moment.
Marilyn Monroe: the more decent men would fall in love and be willing to leave his life for her.

Black Magic Woman...

I've got a black magic woman
Got me so blind I can't see
That she's a black magic woman
She's tryin' to make a devil out of me

(Pr 7:26 Many are the victims she has brought down; her slain are a mighty throng.)

DOMINION

Mind

Col 3:2 Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth.

Marriage class exercise in right thinking: paper on telling spouse you've been unfaithful.

Eyes

Job 31:1 I made a covenant with my eyes not to look lustfully at a young woman.

Hands

1Co 7:2 Now concerning the things of which you wrote to me: It is good for a man not to touch a woman.

Lahaye: touching wife 11X per day...

Story of Tops: From moral, upright disciple to convicted sex offender, pastor. It all started with a little game of touchy-feely.