

Thinking Through Movies: What is a Rating?

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Tonight we are going to **attempt** to answer the question: **How do I know what movies to watch?**

Did you know:

That **58%** of all movies created since 1968 have been rated **“R”**.

21% of all movies have been rated **“PG”**

12% of all movies have been rated **“PG-13”**

7% of all movies have been rated **“G”**

2% of all movies have been rated **“NC-17/X”**

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So what are we as Christians supposed to do with these ratings?

-Use them as **guidelines** not hard fast rules on what a movie is about.

What the Bible Says about our Movie Habit:

Philippians 4.8-9- Our thinking **affects** our actions.

Romans 12.1-2: Thinking is a **spiritual** act of worship.

Matthew 23.25-26: It is a **heart** issue.

Philippians 4.6-7: We need to **pray** about our movie watching.

Mark 12.30-31: Our movie choice is a **spiritual decision**.

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