1. Record Nr. UNINA9910255204203321 Autore Arroyo Christopher Titolo Kant's Ethics and the Same-Sex Marriage Debate - An Introduction // by Christopher Arroyo Pubbl/distr/stampa Cham:,: Springer International Publishing:,: Imprint: Springer,, 2017 **ISBN** 3-319-55733-5 Edizione [1st ed. 2017.] 1 online resource (XVI, 184 p.) Descrizione fisica Disciplina 170 Soggetti **Ethics Families** Families—Social aspects Human rights Sexual behavior Sexual psychology Family **Human Rights** Sexual Behavior Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references at the end of each chapters and Nota di contenuto Abbreviations -- Part I -- Chapter 1 For Better or Worse: An Overview of the Same-sex Marriage Debate -- Chapter 2 Finitude & Dependency: Kant's Conception of Moral Obligation -- Chapter 3 Such Crooked Timber: Kant's Philosophical Anthropology -- Chapter 4 All You Need is Love, Respect, and Autocracy: Kant's Virtue Ethics -- Part II -- Chapter 5 Dependency & Domination: Gender & Kant's Practical Sexual Ethic --Chapter 6 Love and Respect Redux: Kant on Sex, Marriage, and Friendship -- Chapter 7 Conclusion: Kant's Ethics & The Same-sex Marriage Debate. Sommario/riassunto This book defends the thesis that Kant's normative ethics and his practical ethics of sex and marriage can be valuable resources for

people engaged in the contemporary debate over same-sex marriage. It does so by first developing a reading of Kant's normative ethics that

explains the way in which Kant's notions of human moral imperfection unsocial sociability inform his ethical thinking. The book then offers a systematic treatment of Kant's views of sex and marriage, arguing that Kant's views are more defensible than some of his critics have made them out to be. Drawing on Kant's account of marriage and his conception of moral friendship, the book argues that Kant's ethics can be used to develop a defense of same-sex marriage.