

Series: Love, Sex, and Dating A Biblical View of Marriage

Sermon Notes & Group Discussion

Sunday, April 3rd, 2016

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Genesis 2:24-25

Matthew 19:3-6

The purpose of this series:

Our goal is to _____ your view of marriage and make sure you don't _____ marriage.

What is Marriage?

Marriage is:

- One man, one woman
- _____ by God, and therefore God determines the purpose of marriage
- _____
- Oneness is _____ & _____
- _____
- A _____ of God's love for the church
- An opportunity to _____ and fill the earth
- _____
- _____

What's so hard about marriage?

What are barriers to strong marriages?

- _____
- Fear of _____
- _____ & _____
- _____
- Poor Understanding of the _____ & _____

Community Group Questions

1. What most stood out for you from the sermon this week? What is the Holy Spirit having you do in light of it?
2. What expectations do we need to address within our community group to ensure that we can be transparent with one another and depend on one another as we work together toward healthier marriages/dating relationships?
3. What are we each hoping to get out of this study? (If you're single & not dating, consider all the ways God may want to teach you to love others more faithfully, generously, and compassionately).
4. Growing up, what views did you have about marriage? Was your view more positive or negative & why? Who or what informed these views?
5. How do your views/assumptions of the purpose of marriage differ from the Biblical purpose of marriage? How does our view of God affect our trust in His purpose for our marriage?



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