JESUS IN DEFENSE OF MARRIAGE

MATTHEW 19:3-10

3 And Pharisees

Bobby Blakey ~ February 15 & 16, 2025

came up to him and tested him by asking, "Is it lawful to divorce one's wife for any cause?" 4 He answered, "Have you not read that he who created them from the beginning made them male and female, 5 and said. 'Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh'? 6 So they are no longer two but one flesh. What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate." 7 They said to him, "Why then did Moses command one to give a certificate of divorce and to send her away?" 8 He said to them, "Because of your hardness of heart Moses allowed you to divorce your wives, but from the beginning it was not so. 9 And I say to you: whoever divorces his wife, except for sexual immorality, and marries another, commits adultery."[a]

10 The disciples said to him, "If such is the case of a man with his wife, it is better not to marry." **ESV**

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Singles:	(v10)
And to the Married:	

FELLOWSHIP GROUPS:

#1. Since you heard **Romans 15:14** a week ago, have you been filled with the Spirit every day? If yes, how are you being filled? If not, what is keeping this from happening and how can you change it?

#2. Bring Your Own Bible Verse: Share a Scripture you are prepared to share with someone who needs it.

#3. What stood out to you from the Fellowship Night or Marriage Conference you want to teach to others?!

#4. What are specific issues your fellowship group needs to continue counseling one another about in 2025?

APPLICATION QUESTION:

Consider who you know and how you can encourage them based on what we learned from Matthew 19:3-10:

- ~ Someone who is a Husband or a Wife (depending upon if you are male or female)
- ~ Someone who is Single
- Someone who has been Divorced because of Adultery/Abandonment or has been Widowed because their spouse has died

We are praying for Revival this Monday night at 7:00 PM in the Prayer Room!

SCRIPTURE OF THE DAY



Check out our Jeremiah videos on our YouTube Channel!



Jeremiah 29

11 For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.

Have you ever read this verse before? It is commonly quoted, but what does it mean in the context of Jeremiah? Keep reading this week for Jeremiah's epic 70 Years Prophecy that proves he is speaking from God!

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