

YOU DO NOT JUST STUMBLE INTO A GOOD MARRIAGE!

IT TAKES INTENTIONAL INVESTMENT

Mark 10:6-9 (ESV) *6 But from the beginning of creation, 'God made them male and female.'* *7 'Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, 8 and the two shall become one flesh.'* *So they are no longer two but one flesh. 9 What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate."*

**GOD'S BEST FOR YOU IN MARRIAGE IS A MARRIAGE THAT
IS UNITED IN MUTUAL SUBMISSION**

PROBLEM #1 | WHAT GOD SEEKS TO UNITE, SATAN SEEKS TO DIVIDE

PROBLEM #2 | OUR MARRIAGES ARE CURSED BY OUR SINFUL NATURE

Genesis 3:16 (ESV) *"Your desire shall be contrary to your husband, but he shall rule over you."*

Ephesians 5:21-22, 25 (ESV) *21 submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ. 22 Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord... 25 Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her*

HOW TO WIN WITHOUT WORDS

THE FIRST STEP IS ALWAYS SUBMISSION

SUBMISSION SOFTENS HARD HEARTS

1 Peter 3:1 (ESV) *Likewise, wives, be subject to your own husbands, so that even if some do not obey the word, they may be won without a word by the conduct of their wives,*

**WHAT YOU WIN THEM WITH IS WHAT YOU
KEEP WINNING THEM WITH**

1 Peter 3:2-4 (ESV) *2 when they see your respectful and pure conduct. 3 Do not let your adorning be external—the braiding of hair and the putting on of gold jewelry, or the clothing you wear— 4 but let your adorning be the hidden person of the heart with the imperishable beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which in God's sight is very precious.*

- Respectful Conduct | With fear of God
- Pure Conduct | Have no other agenda but to honor God
- Gentle | Meek, Power restrained | Matt 11:29, Matt 5:5
- Quiet Spirit | Pursue peace while others create war

1 Peter 3:5-6 (ESV) *5 For this is how the holy women who hoped in God used to adorn themselves, by submitting to their own husbands, 6 as Sarah obeyed Abraham, calling him lord. And you are her children, if you do good and do not fear anything that is frightening.*

1 Peter 3:7 (ESV) *7 Likewise, husbands, live with your wives in an understanding way, showing honor to the woman as the weaker vessel, since they are heirs with you of the grace of life, so that your prayers may not be hindered.*

LISTENING TO UNDERSTAND RETURNS HONOR

GIVE GRACE TO WEAKNESS

HOLD TIGHT TO A BIGGER VISION FOR YOUR MARRIAGE

RIGHT VISION + RIGHT MOTIVATION = RIGHT ACTION

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THE GREAT BACKPACK GIVE | Now - Aug. 23rd

Even though we can't join together for our summer service project, we can be united in spirit and purpose to bless the orphans at Door of Faith by providing them with backpacks and schools supplies for the year! We would love for you to partner with us in our backpack drive. Details are available on the Website, or click the link in the Newsletter for easy access to all the information.

HOW CAN YOU HELP YOU? | (858) 465-4144

Wave has developed a texting app for you to text us your prayer requests and physical needs over the coming weeks. With many people self-quarantining, there will certainly be needs and shortages of supplies. This is an opportunity to BE THE CHURCH. Please text your need to (858) 465-4144 and we will seek to share our resources with one another and our neighbors.

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