



# MARRIAGE

At CCV, we believe that marriage between one man and one woman with God at the center can find lasting intimacy, fulfillment, and purpose as they grow closer to God and each other.

## *Biblical Foundation*

Matthew 19:6 | 1 Corinthians 13:4-7 |  
Ephesians 5:21-33

## MARRIAGE REPAIR

No matter how your marriage got to the place where it is now, it is possible to find resolution, redemption and restoration. Here you will find biblical tools and resources to help you find healing and hope.

### Surviving An Affair

*Willard Harley & Jennifer Harley Chalmers*

This book gives insight into the “why” behind affairs, giving specifics into unmet needs in the marriage, how affairs can so easily develop, and what to expect emotionally after an affair. Satan is the author of isolation and when you’re entangled in any sin he makes you think you’re the only one. This book combats that lie.

### Anatomy of An Affair

*David Carder*

This book is beneficial to couples wanting to be proactive in preventing affairs or for those seeking recovery from an affair. It allows the couple to talk through many specifics that play into affairs such as high risk family of origin, high risk seasons in marriage, and more. The book includes prevention tools, interactive activities, conversation starters, and real life stories.

### Fierce Marriage

*Ryan and Selena Frederick*

*Fierce Marriage* is their story, but more than that, it is a call for married couples to put God first in their relationship, to measure everything they do and say to each other against what Christ did for them, and to see marriage not just as a relationship they should try to keep healthy, but also as one worth fighting for in every situation.

## CCV RESOURCES

### Messages

To watch one or more CCV Messages that relate to this topic:

**The Vow >**

**In The Ring >**

**Sounds of Marriage >**

**The Relationship Equation >**

### Connect with Others

Get connected in a CCV Group to become engaged in a community that can support you through life’s ups and downs.

**Get Connected! >**

Talk to one of our pastors.

**Contact Us >**

### Additional Resources

Additional resources related to Sex & Sexuality, Addictions, Mental Health, etc.

[Click Here >](#)

[Team Vulnerable >](#)

## **I Don't Want a Divorce**

*Dr. David Clarke*

What could be good about a bad marriage? The good news is that couples can get beyond their old marriage and its destructive habits and build a brand-new one with the same spouse. And they can do it in just 90 days, even if only one spouse is committed to change.

## **MAXIMIZE YOUR MARRIAGE**

None of us are interested in having a shallow relationship. We want to enjoy deeper connection and understanding, deeper conversations, and deeper intimacy and passion.

### **The First Few Years of Marriage**

*Jim Burns & Doug Fields*

Every marriage needs to be built on a strong foundation if it's going to last a lifetime. This book gives you the practical tools that can be immediately applied to strengthen your marriage and build a marriage that can go the distance.

### **Grace Filled Marriage**

*Tim Kimmel*

This book gives insight into the transforming power that grace has in your marriage and in your family. It has lots of practical wisdom and ideas of how to build your marriage around the grace that God so freely gives us. The missing ingredient in most marriages isn't love, it's grace.

### **His Needs Her Needs**

*Willard Harley Jr.*

This book identifies the ten most vital needs of men and women and shows husbands and wives how to satisfy those needs in their spouses. It gives insight into how to creatively and sensitively meet the needs of your spouse and ways to communicate your needs as well. (Supporting resources for this book are available on RightNow Media.)

### **Love and Respect**

*Dr. Emerson Eggerichs*

Reveals the secret to couples meeting each other's deepest needs--without love she reacts without respect, and without respect he reacts without love, and a painful, negative cycle begins.

### **The Five Love Languages**

*Gary Chapman*

Whether your relationship is flourishing or failing, Dr. Gary Chapman's proven and practical approach to showing and receiving love will help you experience deeper and richer levels of intimacy with your partner.

## **OTHER RESOURCES**

*God's Word*

[Marriage Devotional >](#)

[YouVersion Reading Plan >](#)

*Retreats/Getaways*

FamilyLife's Weekend to Remember and Focus on the Family's Hope Restored Intensive are highly recommended.

[Familylife.com >](#)

[Hope Restored >](#)

*Voices to Listen to*

God and practical content to subscribe to.

[Fierce Marriage >](#)

[XO Marriage >](#)

[Les and Leslie Parrott >](#)

*Assessments*

Customized assessments can bring clarity to your relationship and point you toward growth areas.

[Better Love >](#)

[SYMBIS+ >](#)