

"I MARRIED THE WRONG PERSON"

Deceived #6

November 22, 2020

Why Satan Promotes this Lie:

Three Choices in Response to the Lie:

1. You can choose to _____ the marriage.
2. You can choose to _____ the marriage.
3. You can choose to _____ the marriage.

Change Your Marriage:

1. **Renew _____.** *When a man makes a vow to the Lord or takes an oath to obligate himself by a pledge, he must not break his word but must do everything he said.* Numbers 30:2
2. **Examine your _____.** *Let us examine our ways and test them, and let us return to the Lord.* Lamentations 3:40
3. **Consider the _____ of quitting on your marriage.** *The evil deeds of a wicked man ensnare him; the cords of his sin hold him fast.* Proverbs 5:22
4. **Remember that God's goal is not your personal _____ but your _____.** *And as the Spirit of the Lord works within us, we become more and more like him and reflect his glory even more.* 2 Corinthians 3:18
5. **Emphasize the _____.** *Fix your thoughts on what is true and honorable and right. Think about things that are pure and lovely and admirable. Think about things that are excellent and worthy of praise.* Philippians 4:8
6. **Make loving choices.** *Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others.* Philippians 2:4
 - **Communicate _____**
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THE JOURNEY DEVOTIONAL
November 22nd, 2020 Week
Discussion Questions from the Sermon

1. What was something you read in the weekly Scripture readings or heard in the sermon that made an impact on you? Explain.
2. Have you or someone you have known bought into the lie, “I married the wrong person” (that is, for unbiblical reasons)? What was the outcome?
3. Many people want to believe that a “good divorce” really doesn’t have negative repercussions. Do you agree or disagree with that belief? Why?
4. In the sermon we talked about six steps you can take to strengthen your marriage. Which of these particularly spoke to you? Explain.
5. In the sermon we talked about choosing to make “loving choices.” What are the loving choices a healthy marriage tends to make? Which of these do you believe are most important? Explain.
6. How can you apply this sermon and the Bible readings to your life this week?

Weekly Bible Memory Verse: *Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others. Philippians 2:4*

Bible Readings: Reading these passages of Scripture will help you become like Jesus in how you think and what you do, in addition to preparing you for next week’s sermon. Remember to read these passages slowly, allowing the Lord to speak to your heart and mind:

Monday – Acts 1:1-9

Tuesday – Acts 2:42-46

Wednesday – Acts 4:32-37

Thursday – Philippians 2:1-11

Friday – Romans 12:1-8

Saturday – Romans 12:9-21

Sunday – 1 Corinthians 13