

IT'S ALL ABOUT THE ONE
“One Union”
Mark 10:2-9

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Deuteronomy 24:1, “When a man takes a wife and marries her, if then she finds no favor in his eyes because he has found some indecency in her, and he writes her a certificate of divorce and puts it in her hand and sends her out of his house, and she departs out of his house...”

God’s Intention for Marriage

1. Marriage is to be between a man and a woman; there are no provisions for same sex marriage. (vs. 6-8)

2. The marriage relationship takes priority over the relationship of mother and father (vs. 7)

3. The oneness of the husband and wife is beyond any other human relationship (vs. 8)

4. Marriage is a lifelong union (vs. 8b-9)

Jesus focuses on two aspects of marriage: **exclusive and permanent.**

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5. Marriage illustrates the relationship between Christ and the church (Ephesians 5:31-32)

Ephesians 5:31-32, “Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh.” ³² ***This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church.”***

1. Husbands love your wife sacrificially and continually as Christ loves the church.
2. Wives graciously submit to your husband's leadership as the church submits to Christ.
3. Love one another and serve one another as Christ modeled (Philippians 2:5-8)