

Marriage Mentor Guide

Mission: To serve our friends who seek our assistance and are interested in becoming more completely committed Christ followers through increasing the health of their marriage. We will be using God's Word (The Holy Bible) as our final authority

Participation Requirements

1. You start and/or maintain a personal relationship with Christ. (James 4:8)
2. You commit to knowing God's commandments and obeying them faithfully. (1John 2:3-6)
3. You agree to make every effort to pray with your spouse daily. (James 5:16)
4. You agree to "mentoring mediation" for any issue that is not resolved within 24 hours. (Eph 4:26)
5. You agree to be accountable to your mentoring couple on requirements 1 through 4 and other items related to becoming a committed Christ follower.

Our Commitment to You

- 1) We agree to pray for you continually. (1Thess 5:17)
- 2) We, as much as humanly possible, agree to be available to you as a resource, advisor, sounding board and most importantly a friend. (Gal 2:6)
- 3) We agree to mentor with fewer feelings and more Biblical truth. (John 8:32)
- 4) We agree not to judge you but reserve the right to ask hard questions. (Mathew 7:1)
- 5) We agree to listen. (Proverbs 18:13)
- 6) We agree to meet with you every ___ weeks and connect with you at least twice/month by phone
- 7) We agree to plan some "just for fun" event at least once/quarter

Goals

- Build a bullet proof marriage through the discipleship process.
- One day you mentor a couple of your own.

Marriage Mentor's Daily Sanity Check
**(I Must Remember That Every Decision I Make Has Its Own
Consequences)**

- 1. Am I devoting quality time daily to converse with my Lord?**
- 2. Am I immersing myself daily in His Word?**
- 3. Am I attending at least weekly a Bible-believing church where I can worship God and grow in the likeness of His Son?**
- 4. Am I prayerfully looking for opportunities to share my faith in Jesus Christ with those around me?**
- 5. Am I meeting at least twice per month to fellowship with a small group of believers to whom I have chosen to be submitted and accountable?**
- 6. Am I committed to knowing God's commandments and obeying them faithfully?**
- 7. Am I living by faith - "being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see?"**
- 8. Am I maintaining a thought-life that honors my Lord and Savior, Jesus?**
- 9. Am I avoiding everything that could form in me an addiction?**
- 10. Am I living in a manner that reflects the truth that the only thing in life that matters is pleasing God?**

"So we make it our goal to please him, whether we are at home in the body or away from it." 2 Cor.5:9