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Today's Topic: *Marriage & Family*

Sermon Series: *KEEPING IT 100!*  
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**MARRIAGE**

**Question:** What is God's design for marriage?

Genesis 2:24-25 -

God's 5-Fold Design for Marriage:

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ the Image of God
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_ a Godly Heritage
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_ God's Realm
- 4) Mutually \_\_\_\_\_ One Another
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_ Christ Relations with the Church

**Question:** How can Ecclesiastes 4:12 be applied to marriage?

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**BLENDED FAMILY**

**Question:** What does the Bible say about being a stepparent when it comes to establishing their roles, spending time with the stepchildren, communicating clearly, being a role model?

- 1) Parents should \_\_\_\_\_ their children - Deuteronomy 6:6-7
- 2) Parents should \_\_\_\_\_ their children - Ephesians 6:4

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**Question:** In some blended marriages, some spouses do not love their spouse's children. How do you address this?

As a believer, you are commanded to Love:

- 1) Your \_\_\_\_\_  
(Lev. 19:18; Matt. 5:43; 22:39; Rom. 13:9; Gal. 5:14; James 2:8)
- 2) Your \_\_\_\_\_  
(Matt. 5:44; Luke 6:27)
- 3) Especially those in Your \_\_\_\_\_  
(1 Tim. 5:8)

**ADULT CARING FOR THEIR MATURE FAMILY MEMBER**

**Question:** One day, our parents won't be able to drive, climb stairs, or maybe even change their own clothes or feed themselves. As painful as thinking about this might be, we need to be prepared to help them be comfortable and safe in their last stages of life, whether in their home or in our home. So how do the children of the mature parents manage their feelings of loss, financial stresses, and undealt anger from past issues?

Exo. 20:12 -

1 Timothy 5:3-4 NLT -

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ - Mark 11:25-26
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_ - Proverbs 11:14; 15:22; 24:6

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**GRANDPARENTS CARING FOR THEIR GRANDCHILDREN**

**Question:** Grandparents taking the role as primary caregivers for their grandchildren can be overwhelming. Resentment from the grandparent towards their adult child is likely to set in. Resentment from the child towards their parents for abandoning them is likely to set in. How does one manage this scenario?

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ - Philippians 4:6-7
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_ - Proverbs 15:22
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_ - Matthew 18:15-16

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