

## Marriage/Dating/Family Resources

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### Books

Title	Author	Description
<b>Dating Suggestions</b>		
Fifty Fridays Marriage Challenge	Jeff & Lora Helton	One question a week—one incredible marriage.
Love Talk Starters	Les & Leslie Parrott	275 Questions to get your conversation going
<b>Dealing with Infidelity</b>		
After the Affair	Janis Abrahms Spring, Ph.D.	Healing the pain and rebuilding trust when a partner has been unfaithful
Torn Asunder	Dave Carder	Recovering from extramarital affairs
<b>Family</b>		
Addicted to Busy	Brady Boyd	Recovery for the rushed soul
Building Strong Families	Dennis Rainey	
<b>Fathers</b>		
How to Father	Dr. Fitzhugh Dodson	
Husbands & Fathers	Derek Prince	Rediscover the Creator's Purpose for Men
<b>Marriage</b>		
The Book of Romance	Tommy Nelson	What Solomon says about love, sex and intimacy
Boundaries	Dr. Henry Cloud Dr. John Townsend	When to Say Yes, No To take control of your life
Boundaries in Marriage	Dr. Henry Cloud Dr. John Townsend	

Christ Centered Marriage	Neil T. Anderson Charles Mylander	Discovering and enjoying your freedom in Christ together
Control Freak	Les Parrott, PhD	Coping with those around you, taming the one within you.
Couple Check-Up	David Olson	Follow-up of Prepare Enrich Inventory for couples to evaluate their marriages at this point in time
The DNA of Relationships	Dr. Gary Smalley	Discover how you are designed for satisfying relationships
Fall in Love Stay in Love	Willard F. Harley, Jr.	How intimacy and passion in marriage can be sustained indefinitely
Fun Loving You	Ted Cunningham	Enjoying your marriage in the <b>midst</b> of the grind
The First 2 Years	Focus	
The Good Fight	Drs. Les and Leslie Parrott	
His Needs Her Needs	Willard F. Harley, Jr.	Building an affair-proof marriage
How to Act Right When your Spouse Acts Wrong	Leslie Vernick	
Love Dare (Devotional)	Stephen & Alex Kendrick	
Love Life for Every Married Couple	Ed Wheat, M.D.	How to fall in love, stay in love, rekindle your love
Love Talk Starters	Les & Leslie Parrott	275 Questions to get your conversation going
Love and Respect	Dr. Emerson Eggrichs	The Love She Most Desires: The Respect He Desperately Needs
The Love & Respect Experience	Dr. Emerson Eggrichs	A Husband-Friendly Devotional that Wives Truly Love
Love & War	John & Stasi Eldredge	Finding the marriage you dreamed of

Men are Like Waffles Women are like Spaghetti	Bill and Pam Farrel	Bill and Pam Farrel explain why a man is like a waffle (compartmentalizes) and a woman is like spaghetti (everything in her life touches everything else)
Powerful Prayers for Your Marriage	David and Heather Kopp	
Questions Couples Ask	Dr. Les & Leslie Parrott	Answers to the top 100 marital quesitons
Sacred Marriage	Gary Thomas	What if God designed marriage to make us holy more than to make us happy
Sacred Marriage (Workbook)	Gary Thomas	
The Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work	John M. Gottman,Ph.D.	
Straight Talk to Men and Their Wives	Dr. James Dobson	
Two Hearts Praying as One	Dennis & Barbara Rainey	
The Two Sides of Love	Gary Smalley John Trent	What strengthens affection, closeness and lasting commitment?
When Sinners Say I Do with workbook	Dave Harvey	

## **Men**

Cover Her	Roderick L. Hairston	How to create a safe place for the ladies in your life . . . physically, financially, emotionally and spiritually.
If Only He Knew	Dr. Gary Smalley	A valuable guide to knowing, understanding, and loving your wife
Discovering the Mind of a Woman	Ken Nair	The key to becoming a strong and irresistible husband is . . .
Husbands & Fathers	Derek Prince	Rediscover the Creator's Purpose for Men

## **Newlyweds**

Newlywed Couples (Participants Guide)	Parrot	Building marriages that love for a lifetime
Couple Check-Up	David Olson	Follow-up of Prepare Enrich Inventory for couples to evaluate their marriages at this point in time

## **Parenting**

The Birth Order Book	Dr. Kevin Lehman	
Orphans at Home	Joe White	its time to fall in love with your kids again
Parenting the Wholehearted Child	Jeannie Cunnion	Woven throughout the book is the good news that it is God's extravagant grace—not your perfect performance—that transforms the hearts of children.
Sacred Parenting	Gary Thomas	How Raising Children Shapes Our Souls
Shepherding a child's heart	Tedd Tripp	

## **Pre-Marital**

Lady in Waiting	Debby Jones & Jackie Kendall	Developing your love relationships
The Premarital Counseling Handbook	H. Norman Wright	
Questions Couples Ask	Dr. Les & Leslie Parrott	Answers to the top 100 marital quesitons
Things I Wish I'd Known Before We Got Married	Gary Chapman	
Young and In Love	Ted Cunningham	Challenging the Unnecessary Delay of Marriage

## **Sexual Intimacy**

The Act of Marriage	Tim & Beverly LaHaye	The beauty of sexual love
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how to improve your marriage without talking about it	Patricia Love & Steven Stosny	a practical guide for men and women to overcome their challenges and come together outside and inside the bedroom.
Intended for Pleasure	Ed Wheat, MD and Gaye Wheat	Sex Technique and Sexual Fulfillment in Christian Marriage
Intimate Encounters	Dr. David & Teresa Ferguson	A practical guide to discovering the secrets of a really great marriage.
Red-Hot Monogamy	Bill & Pam Farrel	Making your marriage sizzle
Sheet Music	Dr. Kevn Leman	Uncovering the secrets of sexual intimacy in marriage

### **Women**

How to Get Your Husband to Listen to You	Nancy Cobb Connie Grigsby	
The Power of a Praying Wife	Stormie Omartian	
The Proper Care & Feeding of Husbands	Dr. Laura Schlessinger	
What Wives Wish Their Husbands Knew About Women	Dr. James Dobson	
You Can be the Wife of a Happy Husband	Darien B. Cooper	Discovering the key to marital success

### **DVD's**

Ask It	Andy Stanley
Art of Marriage	Family Life
Breathing Room	Andy Stanley
Future Family	Andy Stanley

Honor Marriage Event Kit	Focus on the Family
“I” Marriage”	Andy Stanley
Laugh You Way to A Better Marriage	3 DVD 5 sessions (weekend seminar or weekly lessons divided) Mark Gungor
Love and Respect	Dr. Emerson and Sarah Eggerichs
Resolving Every Day Conflict	8 Lesson DVD series Peacemaker ministries Tim Pollard
Sacred Marriage	6 Lesson DVD by Gary Thomas
Sacred Parenting	6 Lesson DVD by Gary Thomas
Staying in Love	Andy Stanley
What Did You Expect?	10 Lesson DVD by Paul David Tripp