

STUDENT HANDOUT — Seminar 2, Session 6

Making It Last For Ever

Scripture: John 2:1-5

\_\_\_\_\_ to God is the secret to a successful marriage.

Ten ways we can make our marriage last forever:

1. I must have a \_\_\_\_\_ to make my marriage work.

2. I must make \_\_\_\_\_ to my spouse.

How can I show love to my spouse:

a. I can love by \_\_\_\_\_.

b. I can love by \_\_\_\_\_.

c. I can love by \_\_\_\_\_.

What are five things you know you can do that will please your spouse:

1) \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_

3) \_\_\_\_\_

4) \_\_\_\_\_

5) \_\_\_\_\_

d. I can love by \_\_\_\_\_.

e. I can love by \_\_\_\_\_.

f. I can love by \_\_\_\_\_.

3. I must put \_\_\_\_\_ into my marriage.

4. I must offer \_\_\_\_\_ quickly and easily.

5. I must have an effective mutually satisfying \_\_\_\_\_.

There are five levels of communication: (This is from the lowest level to the highest.)

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Communication

2. \_\_\_\_\_ kind of Communication.

3. Sharing \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

4. Sharing \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

5. The highest level of communication is where we will share complete \_\_\_\_\_ an \_\_\_\_\_ in each other.

6. I must be \_\_\_\_\_ with my spouse.

7. I must \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ the differences between man and woman.

8. We must both have continued \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

What are some ways a husband and wife can grow together?

a. Have a growth plan.

b. Challenge each other to grow.

c. Have growing experiences together.

d. Grow as friends.

e. Have new experiences in life.

f. Share with your spouse what you are learning.

9. I must live with a \_\_\_\_\_ for my spouse.

10. I must have a new \_\_\_\_\_ of marriage success.

The people who are the closest to me should love and respect me the most.

## CONCLUSION

When you understand the wedding vows four things should come to your mind:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ - "I love you unconditionally."
2. \_\_\_\_\_ - "You are important in our relationship."
3. \_\_\_\_\_ - "I want to sense and meet your needs."
4. \_\_\_\_\_ - "I want to spend my life with you."