



Sermon Notes
God's Purpose for Marriage
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Matthew 19 1:1-12

Life happens as we F_____ Jesus. vv.1-2

Do you really want to T_____ God? v. 3

³ Some Pharisees came to him to test him. They asked, "Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife for any and every reason?"

OT Deuteronomy 24:1-4 Anything I_____.
 Shammai- Divorce only for unfaithfulness. (I_____.)
 Hillel- Divorce for anything indecent. (A_____.)

God's Original I_____ . vv.4-7

Jesus goes to S_____
 One F_____
 Erroneous Question → "C_____."

God's A_____ for Our Sinfulness. vv. 8-10

Jesus's Correction → "P_____"
 Because of "H_____ Hearts".

Do you really want to P_____ God? vv. 11-12

God's C_____ is different for everyone.

We serve God in the
 Context of our Marriedness or S_____.

Lessons to Learn.

1. Life is _____.
2. T_____ God is never a Good Idea.
2. God's Original (and Current!) Intention for Marriage?
 One _____ for One _____ for One _____.
3. God Makes a Way for Us in our B_____ Lives.

 There is F_____
 Not an excuse for Sin. Romans 6:1-4

 There is a Future with _____.

 We are not defined by our P_____

 We are defined by how we _____
 to the Love of God.

 There are C_____.

 Rom. 6:23
4. God can turn our Side R_____ into Main P_____.

 Gen. 50:20
5. Regardless of our Marital Status:
 Our Aim Needs to be to _____.