

10 Books to Strengthen Your Marriage

Over the years, I've read a lot of marriage books. Many have been good. Some have been better. Here are 10 of the better books on marriage that I've read that I would encourage you to read as well.

1. *Fighting for Your Marriage* by Howard J. Markman, Scott M. Stanley, and Susan L. Blumberg
2. *For Men Only: A Straightforward Guide to the Inner Lives of Women* by Shaunti Feldhahn and Jeff Feldhahn
3. *For Women Only: What You Need to Know about the Inner Lives of Men* by Shaunti Feldhahn
4. *Sacred Marriage: What If God Designed Marriage to Make Us Holy More Than to Make Us Happy* by Gary Thomas
5. *The 5 Love Languages* by Gary Chapman
6. *Love & Respect: The Love She Most Desires; The Respect He Desperately Needs* by Dr. Emerson Eggerichs
7. *When Bad Things Happen to Good Marriages* by Drs. Les and Leslie Parrott
8. *The Love Dare* by Stephen and Alex Kendrick
9. *His Needs, Her Needs: Building an Affair-Proof Marriage* by Willard F. Harley, Jr.
10. *Mad About Us: Moving from Anger to Intimacy with Your Spouse* by Gary and Carrie Oliver

– Mark Merrill

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Take your relationship to the next level; attend Weekend to Remember in Portland November 18-20. Info at www.weekendtoremember.com, 1/2 off registration by using group "Pioneers".



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Marriage is one life's most rewarding relationships.

It is a challenge to build a strong, God-honoring relationship. Whether you are 18 or 80, dating, engaged, or married, there is a class or seminar for the two of you.

A WEEKEND TO REMEMBER® is one of the very best and most cost-effective ways to have a romantic weekend, a great conversation, and teaching by super marriage encouragers.

What you and your spouse will hear during the Weekend to Remember is not just one couple's opinion on marriage. Instead, it is the result of more than three decades of biblical research by a team of men and women who distilled what it takes to have a successful marriage and family.

Some nearby events:

Nov 11-13 at Semiahmoo Resort (Bellingham)
Nov 18-20 at Red Lion on the River (Jantzen Beach),
Nov 18-20 at Coeur d'Alene Resort
Nov 18-20 at Semiahmoo Resort (Bellingham)
Mar 9-11 at Sunriver Resort
Mar 23-25 at Valley River Inn (Eugene)
Apr 13-15 at Hyatt Regency (Bellevue)

Cut your registration costs in half! Establish a group, or join our group, the "Pioneers". Go to www.weekendtoremember.com, then click "Rates & Offers" for details.

"I had no interest in going. I could care less to attend a Weekend to Remember. Wow! This was the best decision my wife has ever made for us. To all men, if you want a true marriage, go to a Weekend to Remember. It will change your life for the better, forever."

– from a Weekend to Remember guest.

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