

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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One Flesh: The Roots of a God-Honoring Marriage
Passage: Selected Scriptures

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1. Read **Genesis 2:18**. What problem did Yahweh God identify in the first half of this passage? What are some of the ways your marriage is marked by true companionship? List some practical steps you can take to become a more faithful companion to your spouse. If unmarried, what are some areas of growth you can be pursuing now to be a more faithful companion to a potential future spouse?

2. Read **Genesis 2:23–24**. Identify any foundational, marriage-related truths you see in this passage. How do those truths refute modern ideas and stereotypes about marriage?

3. Read **Ephesians 5:22–33**. To which fundamental truths are our marriages ultimately to point? If you are a follower of Christ, how do Paul's words motivate you to more faithfully live out your calling as a husband or wife? If you are unmarried (and a follower of Christ), how does the “mystery” mentioned in verse 32 shed light on this passage as a whole, and what encouragement do you draw from it?