

# Sermon Notes | Marriage 10 Commandments

Together Wk 3 – The 10 Commandments of Marriage. 02/19/23

## **GROUP LEADER:**

Remind everyone ... We're so glad you're following Jesus together with us! In this group we want you to know that this is a safe place. We want everyone to share openly and honestly because we can't get healing without transparency. In that same respect, in a conversation around marriage, it is NOT ok to throw your spouse under the bus. If you mention something you realize that needs to change in your marriage, let it be something you are realizing that you need to change. Humility and honor is key - be transparent about *your* own shortcomings, not your spouses =)

Great marriages don't just happen, they must be cultivated, nurtured, protected & harvested.

## // Main Points

- Rethink the fairytale concept of a perfect marriage
- Your Husband is not your project
- Brag on your husband.
- Do things your husband likes to do
- Let him download before you unload.
- Your top priority is your wife.

- Listen without the need to solve the problem
- Be romantic – Remember what you did when you were trying to win her over.
- Be accountable.
- Lead with integrity.

## // Discussion Questions

1. What is one thing you can work on as a married couple to enhance your marriage?
2. What is one misconception each of you had about marriage and how has that misconception changed over the years?
3. Describe your ideal date night and talk through why you picked it and discuss the difference in each of your scenarios.
4. How can you allow more Jesus into your marriage and what needs to shift in your relationship to allow more time and space for Christ?