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NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH

WEEK 19 NEWSLETTER

WORDS FROM DR. ROBERTS

There are three words that can really help a marriage. They are not "Help, help, help!". Marriage as an institution is struggling today, even Christian marriage. In fact, most couples choose not to marry, but just to live together. Many people who claim to be Christian also shun marriage for co-habitation. The world doesn't recommend marriage much anymore, but the Bible does. Marriage is God's plan for the family. His plan is one man and one woman committed to each other for life. In a time when about 50% of all marriages end in divorce, what can we do? Three little words will help.

1. Use "please" often with your spouse. To say "please" is to be polite. It's not demanding. It shows respect for your mate. When you need or desire something that your mate can provide or get for you, "please" softens the request. To be married doesn't mean one doesn't need to be nice to the other. Try using "please" with your spouse. After she or he faints and is revived, things will be better.
2. Say "thank you" often to your spouse. Spouses often help one another daily. To say "thank you" is to show appreciation for the other person and for what he or she has done. It shows that you know that the other person isn't your slave, but someone that you love and appreciate.
3. When you mess up, say "I'm sorry" to your spouse. We all mess up or offend our spouse from time to time. Some days we offend the very ones that we love and some days we do it many times. We are sinners by the old nature. It seems that we hurt or offend the ones we love the most. When we do and we feel sorry for our actions, saying "I'm sorry" can help heal the wounds and the marriage.

These three words can help your marriage.
Why don't you try them out today?

JULY 31
SCOTT HENDERSON

AUGUST 1
PAT GRIMSLEY
JORDAN BOYETT



AUGUST 2
ROWLAND SHACKELFORD
BETTY BROWN

AUGUST 4
SANDY GRIFFIN
MAKAYLA BENAVIDEZ
AUGUST 6
PAT SHACKELFORD



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