



d. What does Gen 1:28 say about God's plan for multiplication? Ephesians 5:26-27, 29 about sanctification (growing in Christ likeness or holiness)? And Ephesians 5:30 about glorification? Where does our culture look for multiplication, growth and ultimate satisfaction outside of marriage relationships? What significant ways has your understanding of marriage changed over the years from worldly to biblical?

e. Read John 3:16 and 1John 4:7–21. Note all the references to love. Is the love described an emotion, or a choice? Are the instructions to love conditional on love being returned by the person being love? Based on God's love for you, do you believe in having one 'soul mate'? How can grasping God's example of supernatural love help us when marriage gets difficult?

Memory verse: John 3:16