

Growth Group Homework - October 20, 2019

Warm-Up

1. What is the most festive wedding and/or reception you have attended?
2. What was the first agreement you ever signed? (lease, school loan, cell phone plan, etc.)

Talk It Over

3. Looking back at your notes from this week's message, what did you find most challenging or helpful?
4. How did the explanation of "holy matrimony" help you better understand why marriage is to be respected and taken seriously?

5. Read Ephesians 5:21-6:4. Make a list of the instructions given to each family member. What are the reasons for the specific instructions?

- How does knowing the big picture of marriage help you better understand the individual instructions given in this passage? Which instructions make more sense with the big picture in view?

- What in this passage is challenging or encouraging to you? Explain.
6. Read Revelation 19:6-8. After Christ returns and God wraps up history, the first glimpse of eternity we get is a wedding celebration. What is your reaction to this image?

- What do you think this reveals about God's love and purpose in your life now? What does it reveal about the church?

Take It Home

7. Thinking back through this Significant Other series, what is something God has highlighted for you to work on personally? If married, how could that impact your marriage?

8. What is a way you could support and help the relationships and marriages of others?