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OPENERS

BANQUET

TUESDAY, JULY 7, 6:30PM



The Five Languages of Apology
Gary Chapman
PhD



Fireproof Marriage Ministries
Stephen and Alex Kendrick

Awards Luncheon

WEDNESDAY, July 8, 11:45am



Fireproof Marriage Ministries
Stephen and Alex Kendrick

OPENING PLENARY SESSION

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 6:30PM (P-1)



Welcome
Diane Sollee
MSW
Founder and Director,
Smart Marriages



Yes We Can!
Howard Markman
PhD

Singles Seminar

WEDNESDAY, 8:45PM



How to Avoid Falling for a Jerk (or Jerkette)
John Van Epp, PhD

THURSDAY, JULY 9

(P-2) 8:30AM



Living With Cohabitation
Scott Stanley, PhD, Galena Rhoades, PhD



Money Habitudes
Syble Solomon, MEd
Generosity & Thrift
Barbara Whitehead, PhD

(P-3) Lunch 11:45AM



I say a Little Prayer for You
Steven Beach, PhD, Frank Finchham, PhD, Tera Hurt, PhD



(P-4) 3:45PM



BANQUET

THURSDAY, 7PM



Mars and Venus in the Bedroom
John Gray
PhD

(P-5) 8:30AM



Mating in Captivity
Esther Perel, MA



Couples Sexual Styles
Barry McCarthy, PhD

(P-6) Lunch 12 Noon



Close Calls
Dave Carder, MA



Infidelity Busting
Michele Weiner-Davis, MSW

(P-7) 4PM



Marriage: An Inside Job
Pat Love, EdD, Steven Stosny, PhD



FRIDAY, 7:30PM (P-8)



IMAGO Dialogue Live!
Harville Hendrix and Helen Lakelly Hunt, PhDs

FRIDAY, JULY 10

(P-9) 8:30AM



Hold Me Tight II
Sue Johnson, EdD

(P-10) Lunch 11:45AM



Shared Goals
Blaine Fowers, PhD



Boomers on the Edge
Terry Hargrave, PhD

Marriage Rally Teach In! SATURDAY 7:30PM (P-11)



Transforming Communities with Grassroots & Internet Marketing
Julie Baumgardner, MS, CFLE, Nisa Muhammad, Marc Payan

Attend the Opening Night Reception sponsored by The Marriage CoMission, Wed, July 8, 8:30pm

Conference registration includes all 11 Plenary Sessions (P-1 — P-11) including lunch Thurs, Fri, & Sat, the opening reception and film festival.

The Tues & Thurs Banquets & the Wed lunch require additional payment. See pg 23.

SATURDAY, JULY 11

SPECIAL INVITED MASTER SESSIONS

Open to all attendees. Included in your conference registration.

THURSDAY Masters

10-11:30am



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Infidelity - and Forgiveness?
Janis Spring



202
Marriage LINKS
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2-3:30pm



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Internet Sex Addiction
Mark Laaser

FRIDAY Masters

10:15-11:45am



401
Sherod's Squares
Sherod Miller



402
De-Mystifying the Relational Space
Hedy Schleifer

2:15-3:45pm



501
Jealousy: Untangling The Web
Lori Gordon



502
Soul Healers Leaders Training
Bev & Tom Rodgers

SATURDAY Masters

10-11:30am



601
The Love Path
Joe Beam



602
Community Marriage Policies
Mike & Harriet McManus

2-3:30pm



701
10 Great Dates
Claudia & David Arp



702
10 Rites of Passage
Charles Lee-Johnson

4-5:30pm



801
Hot Latin Lovers: Latino Marriage
Joe Hernandez & Anna Morante



802
Win Your Wife's Heart Forever
Scott Haltzman

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“TEACH OUT OF THE BOX” TOOB WORKSHOPS AT SMART MARRIAGES!

These teach-out-of-the-box (TOOB/FOOB) workshops will be taught by the program founders. • NO additional fees – included in conference registration (Thurs, Fri, Sat). • Kits NOT included. It is recommended, but not required, that you purchase the kits/boxes in advance to get the most out of the training. See smartmarriages.com/toobs.html for schedule and to order the kits.



Basic Training
Nisa Muhammad
Rozario Slack



Married & Loving It!
Barbara Petty



Love: What Everyone Needs To Know
Pat Love & Jon Carlson



7 Stages & Genograms
Rita DeMaria



The First Dance
Bill Doherty
Elizabeth Thomas



Money Habitudes
Syble Solomon



Prayer Journal
Scott Stanley



Responsible Choices
Natalie Jenkins



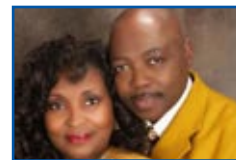
Learning Sobriety Together
Bill Fals-Stewart



Biblical Marriage
Jim Sheridan



Third Option
Pat Ennis



Circle of Contentment
Clarence & Ja'Ola Walker

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Pre-Conference Training Institutes Mon, Tues, Wed, July 6, 7, & 8: 8:30am – 5:30pm

These in-depth sessions train and qualify you to present the programs and/or use the materials and techniques in education or clinical setting. 7.5 hrs CE per day. Spouse discounts: \$50 per day if taking the same institute. For clinicians, marriage educators, mentors, clergy, and the public.

Visit Smartmarriages.com/institutes.html for agenda, materials, certification, suggested reading, and requirements.

101 Three Days – M/T/W

PREP (new 7.0 version!) & Christian PREP

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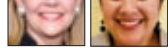
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102 Three Days - M/T/W

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Family Wellness

George Doub, MDiv

Ana Morante, MFT

Teach individuals, couples, & whole families the key skills for healthy family life. Effective in school, military, community, faith-based, and clinical settings and with multicultural, minority, and alternative families.



104 Three Days - M/T/W

Bringing Baby Home

Carolyn Pirak, MSW

Joni Parthemer, MEd

Developed by John Gottman, BBH teaches pregnant and new parent couples essential skills for successful transition to parenthood: maintaining intimacy, regulating conflict, and understanding their baby's cues.



105 Two Days - T/W

Divorce Busting

Michele Weiner-Davis, MSW

Learn strategies to help last ditch couples heal from infidelity, bridge sexual desire gaps, overcome communication barriers, and quit blaming...even if only one spouse attends.



106 Two Days - T/W

Mastering the Mysteries of Love

Mary Ortwein, MS

Teach couples of any stage or culture how to understand each other, build intimacy, solve problems, and manage conflict. Qualify to teach new 8 hr & Christian formats. Add-ons for other MML programs.



107 Two Days – T/W

8 Habits of a Successful Marriage

Jane & John Covey, EdD, MBA

Equip couples to implement life-changing habits through simple, self-discovery activities. Marriage ed has never been easier, more fun or more effective!



108 Two Days – T/W

PREP: Winning in the Workplace

Tim Gardner, MA, DMin, Jack Myrick

Teach the proven methods of the PREP program with this new curriculum created to address the unique challenges of teaching relationship skills in the workplace.



109 Two Days – T/W

Love without Hurt Boot Camp

Steven Stosny, PhD

Teach the intensive 3-day camp format to reduce anger, resentment and emotional abuse and the Love Without Hurt (8-hr add-on to any course) self-regulation skills to make it easier to use marriage skills under stress.

110 Two Days – T/W

Couple Communication

Sherod Miller, PhD, Phyllis Miller, PhD



Teach the revised Couple

Communication programs, plus CORE for singles, and the THRIVE profile to create Collaborative Marriages. Coach practical processes with skill mats. Includes low-income couples.

111 Two Days – T/W

IMAGO: CASP, ImagoConnects, and DialogFirst

Harville Hendrix, PhD

Helen LaKelly Hunt, PhD



Coach couples using the transformative

power of Imago Dialogue and qualify to teach Couplehood as a Spiritual Path, the 3-hr IMAGOCconnects, and DialogFirst programs in congregation and communities.



112 Two Days – T/W

How to Avoid Marrying (or Dating) a Jerk and Marriage Links

John Van Epp, PhD

Teach singles of all ages how to pace a relationship & select a life partner with the Relationship Attachment Model (RAM) and teach couples to use the RAM to stay connected & thriving. For churches, schools & bases.

113 Two Days – T/W

Life Coaching With Couples: The NEW Profession



Pat Williams, EdD

Mike Lillibridge, PhD

Coach couples to overcome the gap between where they are and where they want to be. Includes the Peopemap Personality Assessment, demonstration, skills practice, and practice-building tips.

114 Two Days – T/W

10 Rites of Passage

Charles Lee-Johnson, MSW

Rozario Slack, DMin



This abstinence, fatherhood and marriage program teaches at-risk youth responsibility to self, family and community with a focus on life goals. Teach in communities and churches.

115 Two Days – T/W

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Bob Thome, MSW



User-friendly, self-diagnosing instruments for individual or group marriage prep & enrichment. Includes family-of-origin, cohabiting, remarriage, interfaith & dual-career couples. Qualify to train others.

116 Two Days – T/W – No spouse discount

School & Youth Marriage Education

CONNECTIONS – Char Kamper, MA

LoveU2 – Marline Pearson, MA

We have to start with the kids! Teach the skills & knowledge central to building and maintaining good marriages. Easily adapted to classroom, church, or youth groups. See web for three training options.

117 One Day – Wed • No CE • Free Admission

Fireproof Marriage Ministries – Part I (Part II Sun)

Julie Baumgardner, MS, Richard Albertson, Rob



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Inspired by the

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across the country are launching marriage-strengthening ministries. Learn about the rich variety of affordable, mentor-based, easy-to-teach programs, & roadmaps for success. (Part II #908) Plus: Gary Chapman Banquet Tues July 7 and Fireproof Awards Lunch: Wed July 8.



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901 One Day



Basic Training for Couples and Singles

*Nisa Muhammad
Rozario Slack, DMin*

Teach Black couples and singles the benefits of marriage, and how to communicate, manage conflict, and increase intimacy. Plus presentation and marketing skills.

902 One Day



Strengthening Stepfamilies

Elizabeth Einstein, MA

Help couples learn how to make their strengths work for them using role plays, genograms, trail maps, and exercises to manage developmental milestones, conflicts, bonds and boundaries.

903 One Day



Couples Sexual Awareness

Barry McCarthy, PhD

Sex problems are the major cause of separation and divorce in the first 4 years of marriage. Help couples develop a sexual style, eroticize their marriage, prevent affairs, & address secrets and dysfunction.

904 One Day



Hold Me Tight: EFT

Sue Johnson, EdD

Understand the exquisite logic of love – the concept of “effective dependency”; cycles that sabotage connection; music of the dance; & how to shape conversations to foster a secure lasting bond.

905 One Day



PREPARE/ENRICH

*Peter Larson, PhD
Matthew Turvey, PsyD*

Help couples prepare for or enrich their marriage with the new customized assessments (PREPARE, MC/CC, ENRICH, MATE) and feedback sessions using couple-strengthening exercises. Qualifies you as an instructor in 5 programs.

906 One Day



Torn Asunder: Mending Infidelity

Dave Carder, MA

Teach couples groups with a structure to stabilize marriages in the first critical 90 days; differentiate types of infidelity; start forgiveness and trust building exercises; plus homework.

907 One Day



Couples and Sexual Addiction

Mark Laaser, PhD, MDiv

Crucial tools for working with couples dealing with the pain of sexual addiction. Recognize the symptoms and develop a recovery plan for the addict, spouse and couple.



John Gray

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Thursday Workshops, July 9, 10–11:30am



201 **Infidelity – and Forgiveness?**

Janis Spring, PhD

It takes two. Teach partners the intimate dance of taking responsibility, experiencing heartfelt apology, letting go of pain, and learning the lessons that will help them repair and grow.



202 **Marriage LINKS – TOOB***

John Van Epp, PhD

LINKS (Lasting Intimacy through Nurturance, Knowledge and Skills) teaches the Relationship Attachment Model (RAM) for maintaining intimacy, trust, sexuality, forgiveness and mutuality.

203 **Hot Monogamy: The Sexy Brain**

Pat Love, EdD

A sexy brain is not only the cure for the lazy libido but it's all you need to create an exciting love life. Learn the basics – the secrets of sexually satisfied couples.

204 **Divorce Busting Programs – TOOB**

Michele Weiner-Davis, MSW

Marriage Breakthrough & Keeping Love Alive: two programs to help even last-ditch couples avoid divorce, even if only one spouse attends. Teach classes or use the techniques in your practice.

205 **Happy Hometown Marriage Kit**

Mary Ortwein, MS

Receive a free Kit and learn to mix TOOB's, free materials, and the Mastering the Mysteries of Love RE program to affordably/effectively strengthen couples & families in small town America.

206 **Why Singles Aren't Marrying**

Beverly Rodgers, PhD, Tom Rodgers, PhD

Bust the myths that keep scared-silly singles stuck in unhealthy relationship patterns by equipping them with skills and information that will help them move confidently towards marriage.

207 **Family Wellness: Skills for Fragile Families**

George Doub, MDiv, Erin Simile

Teach skills to at-risk families – never-married, teen, single parent, stepfamily, military, those with abuse – to handle extraordinary challenges and move toward greater stability.

208 **The Seven Desires of Every Heart**

Mark Laaser, PhD, MDiv

All couple problems can be traced to unmet desires of the heart. Identify the 7 desires in terms of Satir's Iceberg Model and use them to help couples reach deeper spiritual connection & intimacy

209 **The Stepfamily Journey: Not for Wimps**

Elizabeth Einstein, MA

Learn to provide couples with a trail map to master stepfamily developmental tasks. Understand emotional baggage, bonding, loyalty, and discipline.

210 **The 7 Stages of Marriage – TOOB**

Rita DeMaria, PhD

Give couples a roadmap to help them understand the journey, anticipate the stages, and succeed at the mission with commitment and passion intact. Use with any marriage education program.

211 **Active Parenting of Teens – TOOB**

Michael Popkin, PhD, MEd

Parenting teens can stress any marriage. This video-based communication/discipline program empowers parents to help their teens (and their marriage) not only survive – but thrive!

212 **Marriage Ministry Program**

Ruth & Ralph Johnson, PhD

Developed in 110 parishes/churches, this highly-successful program serves youth, the engaged, and couples while building leadership and strengthening and energizing the church community.

213 **5 Keys to an Incredible Marriage – TOOB**

Tim Gardner, MA, DMin

Teach couples to remember 5 proven keys to a great, fulfilling marriage on one hand...and it's guaranteed they'll never forget them. Faith & research-based, entertaining, & interactive. Usually \$29.95, free here.

214 **Married and Loving It – TOOB**

Barbara Petty, PhD

This 5-week, skill-based program always has full classes and waiting lists. Learn what makes it so successful and how to replicate it in your community.

215 **PREPARE/ENRICH: New Customized Version**

Peter Larson, PhD, Matthew Turvey, PsyD

Learn to use the improved online format with report for couples to keep, new profiles, workbooks, etc for assessing dating, engaged, married, & remarried couples. For clinician & lay use.

216 **Strengthening Marriage in the Black Community**

Diann Dawson, JD, MSW, Nisa Muhammad, Patrick Patterson, MSW, MPH, Rozario Slack, DMin

Black Marriage Day, community leadership, getting denominations and organizations on board, fatherhood, kids, special curricula – brainstorm ideas for revitalizing Black marriages.

217 **Aging and Dying Alone**

Elizabeth Marquardt, MDiv

Widespread divorce, remarriage, and re-divorce predict an era of uncertain obligation, conflicted care-giving, and complicated grief for adults dealing with the aging of divorced parents and stepparents.

218 **Strong Bonds: Helping Those That Serve**

Scott Stanley, PhD, Michael Strohm, MDiv, MS, Howard Markman, PhD

Learn how the Army is strengthening marriage, exciting research about what works, new PTSD findings, and how the research will inform future work with young military and civilian couples.

219 **Increase Your Website Traffic!**

Elizabeth Thomas

150,000 people look online for marriage help every month! Learn, in non-techie language and affordable (free!) strategies, what it takes to get your website ranked high – and reach them.

220 **Private Fundraising 101: Beyond the Feds**

Kay Reed

Learn the basics for successful fundraising with individuals and foundations: who, when, and how to ask. Develop a strategic plan, choose your targets, hone your message, create perpetuity.

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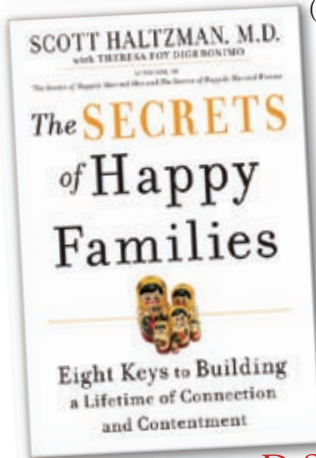
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8 Keys to Happy Families!

(Session #511)



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***TOOB – Teach Out of the Box Program. FOOB – Free Online Out of Box Program. See pg 20**



301 Marriage-Friendly Therapy

Bill Doherty, PhD

Marital therapy is a challenge. Learn about the essential skills and values of a good marital therapist and about an exciting new resource for locating these therapists in your community.



302 Internet Sex Addiction

Mark Laaser, PhD, MDiv

Porn, the #1 seller on the internet, has become extremely damaging to marriage. Learn to recognize the symptoms and to prevent and help overcome addiction to internet sex.

303 Love Without Hurt

Steven Stosny, PhD

Learn how to use this approach in marriage education settings to help overcome entrenched resentment, anger, verbal and emotional abuse BEFORE you try to teach communication skills.

304 Sudden Impact: Help in Just 20 Minutes

Dave Currie, PhD

You get stopped after a seminar and asked a question by a hurting spouse. What can you do in just moments of 'hit and run' help? Learn tips for quick, yet quality, marital education.

305 The Second Half – TOOB

Claudia and David Arp, MSW

Teach empty nesters to reinvent their marriage, avoid divorce, and make the rest the best. Great for mentor couples to teach in church or community. Bonus "Dates for Empty Nesters" material.

306 Dating and Marriage: 4 Keys to Success

John Buri, PhD

Help singles/singles-again understand the essentials of a working partnership, myths that undermine success, & tools to choose wisely. Understand selfism, locus of control, & growth buds.

307 Reptiles in Love

Don Ferguson, PhD

Normal mind/body defenses protect us in danger, but can damage intimate communication. Teach couples to self-soothe and, then, use higher brain functioning, empathy, humor, and creativity.

308 Infidelity Recovery Strategies

Rick Reynolds, MSW, MPA

Learn to identify the motivations of both hurt and unfaithful spouses and help them develop empathy, stop intrusive thoughts and endless questions, and reach forgiveness and healing.

309 Stepping Together for Stepfamilies – TOOB

Brian Higginbotham, PhD

Learn key strategies to supplement any marriage education program or create a stand-alone class for stepcouples and children. Information for work with ethnic minorities.

310 Love: What Everyone Needs To Know – TOOB

Pat Love, EdD, Jon Carlson, PsyD

This engaging 23-part, DVD & research based series provides everything you need to teach marriage from A to Z. Multi-cultural. Experience segment #1: Why Marriage is Worth it.

311 ScreamFree Parenting – TOOB

Hal Runkel, MS, Neil McNeerney, MEd

Teach parents a simple method to help them quickly understand and master how to reduce their emotional reactivity to their child's behaviors. Based on Bowenian family-systems concepts.

312 Who Am I and Who Are You?

Galena Rhoades, PhD

Learn how PREP is introducing personality testing like The Primary Colors Personality Tool to build understanding & acceptance in marriage. Myths, research, and tools you can use.

313 The Third Option – TOOB

Pat Ennis, MSW and a mentor couple

Give couples a THIRD option – not endurance, not divorce. This enrichment/crisis group program is ongoing! Couples attend when and as needed. Self-contained manual – easy to implement!

314 Sex and Romance in the Biblical Marriage – TOOB

Hon Jim Sheridan, JD, MBA

Scripture describes marriage as a relationship between equals filled with passion and love. Learn how to put this into practice with disagreements, sex, and the realities of lifelong marriage.

315 Teach Teens, Reach Parents, Change Communities!

John Van Epp, PhD, Gregg Hunter, Renee Thompson

Teach the PICK program to not only give teens relationship skills but also to reach parents with a corresponding seminar and transform entire communities. Diverse & minority settings.

316 Basic Training: Men, Women and Marriage – TOOB

Rozario Slack, DMin, Nisa Muhammad

Two straight-talking curricula developed in the crucible of the Black experience. Teach Black men and women the principles and skills to create and sustain successful marriages.

317 Successful Marriage Ministries

Andrew Boswell, DMin, Terry Northcutt

Too many marriage ministries burn out through well-intentioned but frenzied activities. This comprehensive, lay-led approach provides services to couples at every stage and level of need.

318 Genograms – TOOB

Rita DeMaria, PhD

Easy-to-use tools explore family patterns (cut-offs, legacies, addictions, etc) that influence relationships plus 5 exercises to strengthen love and commitment.

319 Marriage Tech Boot Camp

Marc Payan

We can't change the world unless we reach it! Learn to use the latest low/no cost tools to appeal to 21st century wired couples through Ning, Facebook, Blogs, Twitter, Widgets, etc.

320 Marriage Education & Health Care Reform

Jana Staton, PhD, Patty Howell, EdM,

Lara Rezzarday, MPA

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Get to the heart of a relationship in two minutes with this powerful, engaging non-verbal technique. Use in classes or clinical settings for uncannily accurate assessment and intervention!



402 **De-Mystifying the Relational Space**

Hedy Schleifer, MA

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403 **Infinite Relationships: Expanding Options**

Don Ferguson, PhD

The most successful marriage programs engage one's highest reasoning abilities, curiosity, & creativity. This program mixes education, retreats, and therapy to tap infinite possibilities.

404 **Relationship Enhancement (RE)**

Rob Scuka, PhD

Teach couples to access deep empathy to build connection, intimacy, trust, & love while creating satisfying solutions to their most challenging issues.

405 **The First Dance: Wedding Prep – TOOB**

Bill Doherty, PhD, Elizabeth Thomas

Wedding planning often involves complex, conflicted couple & family dynamics. Learn how to plan a "family-systems" wedding that will lay a solid foundation for life-long marriage.

406 **The Essential Humility of Marriage**

Terry Hargrave, PhD

Stability, security, and sincerity are the "right stuff" that help couples move past "me and my happiness" to the respect, reliability, and sacrifice that produce solid marriages and secure kids.

407 **Ecstasy Without Guilt**

Joe Beam

Understand the inherent causes of "low" & "no" sex marriages & an approach to help more "conservative" couples find excitement and fulfillment.

408 **Rethinking Infidelity**

Esther Perel, MA

Explore the meanings of affairs (past, present, fantasized or real) and the complexities of marriage, sex, and monogamy as you help couples rebuild trust and intimacy and turn crisis into opportunity.

409 **Stepcouples: Me or the Kids?? – TOOB**

Carri Taylor, Gordon Taylor, MFT

After the fantasy of courtship, reality sets in – delivered by the kids, ex-spouses, money, and 'no time for us'. Teach couples to master the challenges, reclaim the territory, and prevent re-divorce.

410 **The 50-Year Plan – TOOB**

Richard Albertson

Give couples a powerful start with a comprehensive program that includes a new, affordable inventory, workbooks, communication, finances, & mentoring.

411 **The Marriage Course – TOOB**

Derek and Cathy Rust

This practical, DVD-based dinner format is easy for lay couples to teach, transforms & strengthens any relationship (married or cohabiting), and draws couples in "like magic".

412 **Domestic Violence: To Screen, Or Not To Screen?**

Scott Stanley, PhD, Anne Menard, Patrick Patterson, MSW, MPH

That's just one question marriage & relationship educators must ask. How do we best protect – and serve – couples? Lessons learned in the PREP program plus tools & guidelines from the NHMRC.

413 **For Better and For Ever: Mentor Training – TOOB**

Robert Ruhnke, DMin

Recruit and train couples in your church to mentor the engaged in communication, responsibility, and family-of-origin issues. Catholic (also Spanish) Protestant, and secular editions.

414 **Why Knot? Marriage-Readiness for Men – TOOB**

Erik Vecere

This program addresses the negative beliefs and attitudes many men hold about marriage and moves men and single fathers to a positive "readiness" view.

415 **Mars Venus Coaching**

Rich Bernstein, Melodie Tucker

Understand the differences between coaching, consulting, and therapy, the benefits of coaching, a variety of coaching processes, and how to join the worldwide Mars Venus Coaching team.

416 **The Circle of Contentment – TOOB**

Clarence Walker, PhD, Ja'Ola Walker, MEd, DD

Work with African American marriages using this 3-part Bible and research-based program in church or community settings – intimacy retreats, skills, skits, music, & group discussions.

417 **Marriage Education con Limón**

Frank Fuentes, Rolando Diaz-Loving, PhD, Alicia La Hoz, PsyD

Understand the cultural values, roles, and beliefs that are important to Latino couples and how to add Hispanic-focused supplemental modules to your healthy marriage programs.

418 **Divorce Reform Legislation Strategies**

John Stemberger, JD, Bryan Fischer, MS, Mike McManus

Reform No Fault Divorce in cases of minor children with mutual consent and a presumption of joint custody that could slash family breakdown by 50%. Learn what's being done across the country.

419 **Relationship Skills: Doing Time**

Kelly Sigler, Jim Sheridan, JD, John Van Epp, PhD

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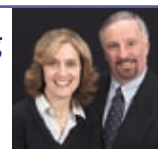
420 **Marriage: Corporate America's Business?**

Jeff Fray, PhD, Julie Baumgardner, MS, Gary Oliver, PhD, Matthew Turvey, PsyD

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505 Can This Conflict Be Resolved?

Susan Heitler, PhD

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506 Couples: The Strongest Link

Joe Hernandez, PhD, Michele Hernandez, MA

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507 Married Sex for Men

Michael Metz, PhD, Barry McCarthy, PhD

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508 Rebuilding Intimacy After An Affair

Doug Snyder, PhD

This 3-stage approach helps couples contain turmoil, understand the factors contributing to the affair and impeding recovery, and take specific steps toward individual and relationship health.

509 African American Stepfamilies – TOOB

Sheila Austin, PhD, Bishop G.F. Austin, DD

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510 The Power of Play

Elaine Braff, MPS, Hal Braff, JD

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511 Resiliency in Families: The Stress Antidote
Scott Haltzman, MD

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616 Reaching Men

Lorraine Blackman, PhD, and Indiana Marriage Coalition panel

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617 Adoptive Parents

Nate Cottle, PhD, CFLE, Jennifer Reid, MS, Patricia Polega

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706 Divorce Prevention: Controlled Separation

Elsie Radtke, MEd

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707 Blending Sexual Meanings

Michael Metz, PhD

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708 Torn Asunder: Mending Infidelity – TOOB

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709 Teenage Stepkids

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710 Warm Things Up!

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711 Infertility: Hope and Healing

Montse Casado-Kehoe, PhD, Nadia Humphreys, MA

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712 Special Families, Special Needs

Susan Blumberg, PhD

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713 Ethics Part II: Boundaries

Mary Ortwein, MS, Rita DeMaria, PhD

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714 At The Movies

Tom Rinkoski, MEd, CFLE

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715 Facing Financial Hard Times Together

Linda Miles, PhD, Robert Miles, MD

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716 It’s Never Too Late: The Crossroads of Divorce

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717 Happily UnMarried

John Curtis, PhD

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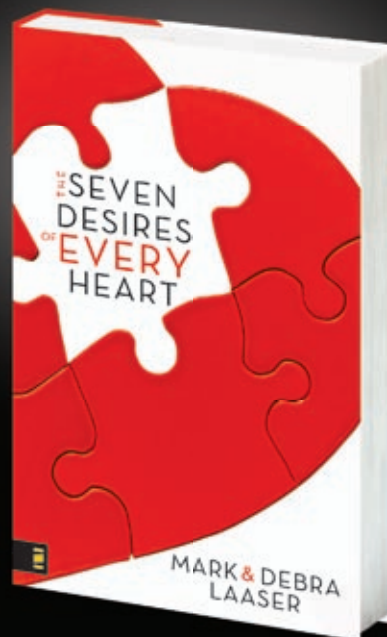
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