

J John's Five R's of a Successful Marriage:

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– J John

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RESPECT

Love is built on the foundation of mutual respect. “You can bury a marriage with a lot of little digs.”

“Husbands, don't criticise your wife's judgement - remember who she chose to marry!”

If you are not married (yet), never consider marrying anyone whom you do not respect or who doesn't respect you.

RESPONSIBILITY

DO attack the problems, DON'T attack each other. Many people who stand up for their rights, fall down on their responsibilities. Try to be the first to say sorry!

RELATE

One in four Britons speak to their loved one for less than ten minutes a day. Why would you spend more time on social networks to develop relationships with strangers than with your spouse opposite you? Learn to talk and listen to each other.

ROMANCE

“If there were more courting in marriage there would be fewer marriages in court!”

RESOLVE

Decide to make it work on each day of your married life! When you hit a difficulty in your marriage, decide to face it and carry on together. Seek professional help.

Singleness

The roots of much marital breakdown go back to the mishandling of singleness. Our culture says that if you are not sexually active you are not normal and that you will be unfulfilled and missing out. This is a lie - look at Jesus!

Singleness is not in any way an inferior or less godly way of life. We are all made as relational beings who need each other. Couples, do all you can to integrate singles into your lives! We will enrich each other.



Philippians 2.4-5

Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus.

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