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CHURCH

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MARRIAGE AND FAMILY COME WITH AN OWNER'S MANUAL

PROVERBS 9:10-12 NLT

Fear of the Lord is the foundation of wisdom. Knowledge of the Holy One results in good judgment. Wisdom will multiply your days and add years to your life. If you become wise, you will be the one to benefit. If you scorn wisdom, you will be the one to suffer.

MARRIAGE:

PROVERBS 11:24-25 NLT

Give freely and become more wealthy; be stingy and lose everything. The generous will prosper; those who refresh others will themselves be refreshed.

PROVERBS 5:15-16 NLT

Drink water from your own well—share your love only with your wife. Why spill the water of your springs in the streets, having sex with just anyone?

PROVERBS 14:29 NLT

People with understanding control their anger; a hot temper shows great foolishness.

PROVERBS 15:1 NLT

A gentle answer deflects anger, but harsh words make tempers flare.

PROVERBS 27:17 NLT

As iron sharpens iron, so a friend sharpens a friend.

PROVERBS 5:18-19 NLT

Let your wife be a fountain of blessing for you. Rejoice in the wife of your youth. She is a loving deer, a graceful doe. Let her breasts satisfy you always. May you always be captivated by her love

ECCLESIASTES 4:12 NLT

A person standing alone can be attacked and defeated, but two can stand back-to-back and conquer. Three are even better, for a triple-braided cord is not easily broken.

PROVERBS 31:11 NLT

Her husband can trust her, and she will greatly enrich his life.

LOVE LANGUAGES: AFFIRMATION, TIME, TOUCH, SERVICE, GIFTS

CHILDREN:

PSALM 127:3. 5a MSG

Don't you see that children are God's best gift? the fruit of the womb his generous legacy?

Oh, how blessed are you parents, with your quivers full of children!

PROVERBS 19:13a MSG

A parent is worn to a frazzle by a stupid child.

PSALM 145:4 NLT

Let each generation tell its children of your mighty acts; let them proclaim your power.

PROVERBS 17:6 MSG

Old people are distinguished by grandchildren; children take pride in their parents.