REAL Marriage REAL Series #3



Matthew 5:27-32



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<u>longer two but one flesh</u> . Therefore what God has joined
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## **Give Your Attention To Your Spouse Only**

"27 You have heard that it was said to those of old, 'You shall not commit adultery.'" (v. 27)

- Sex <u>Outside</u> Your Marriage is <u>Wrong</u>
- Sex <u>Inside</u> Your Marriage is <u>Good</u>

"28 But I say to you that whoever looks at a woman to lust for her has already committed adultery with her in his heart." (v. 28)

- Sexual Fantasy Outside Marriage is Wrong
- Sexual Fantasy Inside Marriage is Good
- Lust is a Choice of the Heart

"29 If your right eye causes you to sin, pluck it out and cast it from you; for it is more profitable for you that one of your members perish, than for your whole body to be cast into hell. 30 And if your right hand causes you to sin, cut it off and cast it from you; for it is more profitable for you that one of your members perish, than for your whole body to be cast into hell." (v. 29-30)

• <u>Deal</u> with Lust <u>Early</u>

Thoughts  $\rightarrow$  Actions  $\rightarrow$  Habits  $\rightarrow$  Character

"I have made a covenant with my eyes; Why then should I look upon a young woman?" (Job 31:1)

• Decide to Change

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- Walk Daily With The Lord
- Remove Opportunity

## **Keep Your Commitment To Your Spouse**

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• Moses <u>Allowed</u> Divorce Because of <u>Sin</u>

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• Divorce Breaks One Into Two

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- Sex Outside Marriage <u>Hurts</u> the Marriage
- The Lord <u>Leads</u> Us to <u>Reconcile</u>
- The Lord Forgives All Sin

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