

FOR BETTER OR WORSE - SEPTEMBER 5, 2021
THE UPS: BECOMING ONE
SOUTHAVEN CAMPUS

TALK IT OVER

KEY SCRIPTURE

Ephesians 5:21-33

FAMILY MINISTRY

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START TALKING. Find a conversation starter for your group.

Describe the best marriage you have ever seen.

START THINKING. Ask a question to get your group thinking.

- Why do you think so many people view marriage in such a negative way, and how did this message affect the way you think about marriage?

START SHARING. Choose a question to create openness.

- Read Ephesians 5:29-32. What does it mean for two people to become one? How should the fact of oneness affect the way that you treat your spouse?
- Read Ephesians 5:21-28. According to this passage, what is the purpose of marriage? Do you see how the roles in marriage help to support the mission of marriage that Pastor Rick talked about?
- How does a wife's submission to her husband make her more like Jesus? Talk about what submission is, and what it is not, for a godly wife.
- What does it mean for a husband to be a servant-leader to his wife? How does this describe how Christ loved the church?

START PRAYING. Be bold and pray with power.

- Ask God to increase you and your spouse's experience of oneness in your marriage by helping you to fulfill your role in a Christ-like manner. Be specific about where this is difficult for you!

START DOING. Commit to a step and live it out this week.

- This week, ask your spouse how he/she would like for you to pray for him/her, and then pray for one another!

