

Dating Week 1

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Pray

- Pray for God to open your heart and mind.



To Begin

- What are some elements of a good dating relationship? Why?



Scripture

THREE QUESTIONS

1. How can we keep God at the center of our dating relationships? Can we trust God?

We can trust God's priorities.

- Proverbs 31:30
- 1 Samuel 16:7
- 1 Peter 3:3-4

We can trust God's Timing.

- Song of Solomon 8:4

- Philippians 1:6

- Isaiah 48:17-18

- Isaiah 30:21

We can trust God's wisdom.

- James 1:5

- Proverbs 3:5-7

We can trust God's purity.

- 1 Thessalonians 3:3-4

- Proverbs 4:23

- 1 Corinthians 6:13b

2. How can this process of dating be encouraging?

Need to have balance in rest of life

- Good same gender relationships
- We treat the opposite gender right
- We are following God as our first love always.

Read the following verses and write out what they are saying:

- Psalm 16:11

- Revelation 2:4

- Hebrews 9:14

- Matthew 6:33

*There is a superior satisfaction with God,
but we keep ourselves stuffed with other things.
-Piper*

3. How can I keep my sexual passion under control?

Summarize what each verse is about below the reference:

Use the Word

- Psalm 119:9-11

- 1Corinthians 10:13

- Hebrews 4:12

- Ephesians 6:13,17

Avoid

- 1 Thessalonians 5:22

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- Genesis 39:6-12

- 1 Corinthians 6:18-20

Pray

- Ephesians 6:18

- Matthew 26:41



Memorize

- Pick out your favorite verse from this study and memorize it.



Application

Take a moment to look over this study prayerfully. Ask God to reveal to you what principle he wants you to apply. Then write below how you will apply this in your life... Be specific.