

Marriage is Good; Singleness is Even Better

1 Corinthians 7

Instructions for Marriage and Sex

Instruction 1 : Be Married (vs 2)

Instruction 2 : One Woman, One Man (vs 2)

Instruction 3: Don't withhold Sex (vs 3-5)

Instruction 4 : Stay Married (vs 10-11)

Instruction 5 : Stay Married – Even to an Unbeliever (vs 12-16)

Stay as You Are! (vs 27-24)

Instructions for Unmarried and Widows

Instruction 1 : Stay Single if You Can – There are Advantages (vs 25-35)

Advantage 1: Spare yourself worldly troubles

Advantage 2: Less tied to here and now

Advantage 3: Free to be Devoted to the Lord

Instruction 2 : Marry if You Must – It is Not Sin (vs 36-40)

Marriage is good. Singleness is better. Whichever state you are in, live it out for the glory of God.