

# Faith Community Church Four Laws of Love

## Faith Group Questions & Discussion Guide



**Opening Prayer:** Begin the session with a prayer, asking God for wisdom, open hearts, and humility as you discuss the sermon content.

## **Key Takeaways:**

- 1. God established four divine laws for healthy, God-honoring love.
- 2. These laws are: Priority, Pursuit, Partnership, and Purity.
- 3. The same laws that strengthen marriage also guide our spiritual journey with God.
- 4. Doing marriage God's way gives you a 100% chance of success.

## **Discussion Questions:**

- 1. Law of Priority: (Ephesians 5:24-25)
  - How does prioritizing your spouse look different from prioritizing other relationships?
  - How might we unintentionally communicate that our spouse isn't our top priority?
- How can we maintain spousal priority while still being good parents, employees, and friends? (Ephesians 4:15-16)

#### 2. Law of Pursuit:

- What are some ways you pursued your spouse when you first met? How has that changed over time?
  - How can we reignite the passion of pursuit in our marriages? (Song of Sol 2:3)
  - How does the idea of pursuit apply to our relationship with God? (Jer 29:13, Ja 4:8)

### 3. Law of Partnership:

- How do you and your spouse complement each other's strengths and weaknesses?

- What does "shared vision" mean in your marriage? Are there areas where you need to align more? (2 Tim 2:14-17, 1 Cor 1:10)
- How can we better embrace the "our" mentality instead of "yours" and "mine" in marriage? (Matt 19:6)

## 4. Law of Purity:

- What does emotional and spiritual nakedness look like in a marriage? (Ja 5:16)
- How can we create a safe environment for vulnerability in relationships? (1 Pet 1:22-23)
- In what ways does sin hinder openness and purity in our marriages and with God? (Psalm 32:3-4, 2 Cor 7:10)

### **Practical Applications:**

- 1. Priority Check: This week, have an honest conversation with your spouse about whether they feel prioritized. Come up with specific steps to address any concerns.
- 2. Pursuit Challenge: Plan a creative date or gesture that shows intentional pursuit of your spouse, reminiscent of your early dating days.
- 3. Partnership Audit: Identify one area in your marriage where you can improve partnership (e.g., finances, parenting, household duties). Create a plan together to address it.
- 4. Purity Confession: Practice vulnerability by sharing something you've been hesitant to discuss with your spouse. Commit to showing "shock-proof grace" to allow for total honesty.
- 5. Spiritual Application: Choose one of the four laws and apply it deliberately to your relationship with God. What is one step you can take this week to align with God's design (e.g., prioritizing daily devotional time, pursuing God with renewed passion)?

**Closing Prayer:** End the session by praying for each couple represented, asking God to strengthen their marriages and deepen their relationship with Him through the application of these four laws.