

I. The Gift of Singleness

1 Corinthians 7:6-7

A. Marriage is a gift

B. Singleness is a gift

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II. The Challenges with Singleness

A. Challenge within

1 Corinthians 7:8-9

B. Challenges within the church

C. Challenges within the world

D. Challenges with friends

E. Challenge of loneliness

F. Challenge of unmet dreams

III. The Advantages of Singleness

A. Less distractions

1 Corinthians 7:26-28

B. Deeper devotion

1 Corinthians 7:35

C. Greater influence

1 Corinthians 7:29

D. Wider relationships

1 Corinthians 7:33-34

IV. Pastoral Comments