

## THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO THE 80's

Part 3: "The Enemy Within"

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"No one who is tempted should ever be confused and say that God is testing him. The One who created us is free from evil and can't be tempted, so He doesn't tempt anyone. When a person is carried away with desire, lured by lust, and when desire becomes the focus and takes control, it gives birth to sin. When sin becomes fully grown, it produces death."

**James 1:13-15** (TVB)

## OUTSIDE CULTURE IS NOT THE ENEMY OF MY MARRIAGE WHEN I...

1.	KEEP UP WITH THE	OF
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"In the same way, you husbands must give honor to your wives. Treat your wife with understanding as you live together. She may be weaker than you are, but she is your equal partner in God's gift of new life. Treat her as you should so your prayers will not be hindered."

1 Peter 3:7 (NLT)

"And further, submit to one another out of reverence for Christ. For wives, this means submit to your husbands as to the Lord. For a husband is the head of his wife as Christ is the head of the church. He is the Savior of his body, the church. As the church submits to Christ, so you wives should submit to your husbands in everything. For husbands, this means love your wives, just as Christ loved the church. He gave up his life for her to make her holy and clean, washed by the cleansing of God's word. He did this to present her to himself as a glorious church without a spot or wrinkle or any other blemish. Instead, she will be holy and without fault. In the same way. husbands ought to love their wives as they love their own bodies. For a man who loves his wife actually shows love for himself."

Ephesians 5:21-28 (NLT)

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"So <u>own up to your sins</u> to one another and pray for one another."

James 5:16 (TVB)

"This is how I want you to conduct yourself in these matters. If you enter your place of worship and, about to make an offering, you suddenly remember a grudge a friend has against you, abandon your offering, leave immediately, go to this friend and make things right. Then and only then, come back and work things out with God."

**Matthew 5:23-24** (MSG)

"Then Peter came to Jesus and asked, 'Lord, when my fellow believer sins against me, how many times must I forgive him? Should I forgive him as many as seven times?"
Jesus answered, 'I tell you, you must forgive him more than seven times. You must forgive him even if he wrongs you seventy times seven."

**Matthew 18:21-22** (NCV)

## 3. ...RELENTLESSLY PRIORITIZE \_\_\_\_\_\_

"All of you should <u>honor marriage</u>. You should <u>keep the marriage bed pure</u>. God will judge the person who commits adultery. He will judge everyone who commits sexual sins."

Hebrews 13:4 (NIRV)

"The marriage bed must be a place of mutuality—the husband seeking to satisfy his wife, the wife seeking to satisfy her husband. Marriage is not a place to 'stand up for your rights.' Marriage is a decision to serve the other, whether in bed or out. Abstaining from sex is permissible for a period of time if you both agree to it, and if it's for the purposes of prayer and fasting—but only for such times. Then come back together again. Satan has an ingenious way of tempting us when we least expect it. I'm not, understand, commanding these periods of abstinence—only providing my best counsel if you should choose them."

1 Corinthians 7:4-6 (MSG)