

WILL YOU MARRY A SHEEP OR A GOAT?
(1 Corinthians 7)

A. FIVE IMPORTANT TRUTHS ABOUT YOUR SINGLENESS

B. SEVEN CONSIDERATIONS BEFORE YOU SAY I DO

C. SERIOUS PROBLEMS WHEN A BELIEVER MARRIES AN UNBELIEVER

1. For a believer to marry an unbeliever is against the _____.

* 1 Corinthians 7:39

* 2 Corinthians 6:14

* Genesis 6:2

* Leviticus 19:19

* Deuteronomy 22:9-11

2. The biblical reasons for this are multiple:

a. Their personal _____ are different. (John 3:36)

b. Their internal _____ are incompatible. (1 Corinthians 2:14-16)

c. Their spiritual _____ is impossible. (2 Corinthians 6:14-16)

d. The serious _____ is great. (Deuteronomy 7:3-4)

3. Four examples of mix-marriage failures:

- a. Case study #1: _____ (1 Kings 11:1-11)
- b. Case study #2: _____ (Judges 14-16)
- c. Case study #3: THE JEWS OF _____ DAY (Nehemiah 13:23-31)
- d. Case study #4: THE DRASTIC ACTION OF _____ (Ezra 10)

4. Addressing the objections:

- a. “But we love each other, and love conquers all.”
- b. “But I think he/she might be saved.”
- c. “But we will work it out after we get married”
- d. “But I don’t plan to marry him, just to date him”

5. How to avoid a mixed marriage:

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____

6. What about marrying a “carnal” believer?

* Amos 3:3