

NOTES

This Sacred Home **The Sacredness of Sex** **July 22-23, 2017**

Honor marriage, and guard the sacredness of sexual intimacy. (Heb. 13:4 MSG)

1. Honor the _____ of marriage.

Therefore a man leaves his father and mother and embraces his wife. They become one flesh. The two of them, the man and his wife, were naked but they felt no shame.

(Gen. 2:24-25 MSG)

2. Protect the _____.

Guard the sacredness of sexual intimacy.

- Consecrate your sex life to God.
- Communicate with your spouse.
- Keep courting.
- Put your spouse's desires above your own.

Marriage is not a place to "stand up for your rights."

Marriage is a decision to serve the other, whether in bed or out. (1 Cor. 7:4 MSG)

- Accept sexual differences.

You husbands should live with your wives in an understanding way. (1 Pet. 3:7 NCV)

Wives, understand and support your husbands in ways that show your support for Christ. (Eph. 5:22 MSG)