

Love Can Be Rekindled

Ephesians 5:25-33

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Why should married life lose it's youthful enjoyment if we are still healthy and active, and leaning forward into life instead of casting a longing look over our shoulders at what used to be?

- I. Make a commitment to your partner exclusively. (Ephesians 5:33)
- II. Pray for your mate. (James 5:16)
- III. Dedicate yourself to fulfill your mate's needs. (Romans 14:19)
- IV. Deliberately act the way you wish you felt and you will eventually feel the way you act.
- V. Spend time together just the two of you.
- VI. Restore intimacy in your marriage. (1 Corinthians 7:3-5)
- VII. Develop spiritual maturity. (Matthew 6:33; Study 1 Corinthians 13)

Five Key Statements

1. Your mind never gets old, keep exercising it.
2. Your life is not over, keep enjoying it.
3. Your strength is not gone, keep developing it.
4. Your opportunities have not vanished, keep pursuing them.
5. Your God is not dead, keep seeking Him.