

I Corinthians 7:25-40

Discussion: In this chapter, Paul has laid out the joys and difficulties in being married and being single. He stresses that one is better for him but not necessarily better for every person. Is there one set of choices that is right for a person? Is there one will/plan that God wishes us to follow and when we get off on a few decisions we are off on the whole thing? To what extent is there free will in our lives and to what extent do our choices affect our lives?

Four Case Studies: To Marry or to Remain Single, Separated, or Widowed?

1. Those who are not married (7:25-26)
2. Considering Ending a Committed Relationship? (7:27)
3. Again, to Marry or Not to marry? (7:28-38)
4. Widows to Marry again? (7:39-40)