8. The Pharisees wanted to get Jesus in trouble with whom?

9. The Pharisees already knew Jesus' view on divorce and remarriage because Jesus had stated it where?

10. In what way does Matthew 19:1 have a key geographical note in it?

11. What sarcastic response does Jesus give to the Pharisees?

12. Jesus was pointing out that they are willingly ignorant of what?

13. What is the first reason given as to why it is not acceptable to divorce for just any cause?

14. When God created marriage, He didn't create what?

15. What is the second reason given as to why it is not acceptable to divorce for just any cause?

16. When a person breaks their commitment to their mate by divorcing him or her, he/she is violating the command of God and, also the what?

17. What is the third reason given as to why it is not acceptable to divorce for just any cause?

18. When God says that a husband and wife are one, He is saying that He doesn't ever intend for them to do what?

19. In what ways does a man and his wife become one?

20. What is the fourth reason given as to why it is not acceptable to divorce for just any cause?

21. How do many mistakenly take verse 6?

22. The point of verse 6 is that God made marriage so don't do what?

23. In essence, Jesus said to the Pharisees that it is very clear that God's view of divorce is different than what?

24. Why did the Pharisees not want to know the truth?

25. The seventh commandment of the 10 commandments says what?

26. What tears apart a marriage?

27. God takes this so seriously that the penalty for adultery in Israel was what?

28. Why is the question in verse 7 a twisted question?

29. Divorce was not commanded in the Old Testament, but it was permitted in cases of what?

30. In cases where a person committed adultery, whom did God never punish?

31. In the Old Testament, when God killed the adulterous mate, was the faithful partner free to remarry someone else?

32. The basis of divorce and remarriage in the Bible is what?

33. In Jeremiah 3:6-8, who is doing the divorcing?

34. Righteous Joseph was going to divorce his wife Mary because he thought what?

35. In Matthew 19, Jesus gives the one Old Testament ground for divorce and remarriage and that is what?

36. What Greek term is used to refer to any kind of illicit sexual activity including adultery?

37. Jesus is saying in Matthew 19:9 that the only basis upon which you can divorce and remarry is what?

38. Where does the Apostle Paul talk about this issue?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?

»→How can I accomplish this change?

»> What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

For Next Time:

- 1) Read Matthew 1:1-19:12
- 2) Why is there so much confusion in the church about divorce and remarriage today?
- 3) What might be some of the strongest arguments for why a person who has divorced, even on biblical grounds, should not be remarried?

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JESUS' TEACHING CONCERNING DIVORCE AND REMARRIAGE Matthew 19:1-9 (Series #106)

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon **"Jesus' Teaching Concerning Divorce and Remarriage".** All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. Hurt, pain, fear, anger, etc. are typical responses whenever one talks about what subject?

2. What are the two **usual** responses to the problem of divorce in the church?

- 3. Where do we find Jesus' teaching on divorce and remarriage?
- 4. Where was Perea located?

5. Rabbi Hillel taught that a man could do what, in relation to divorce?

6. What religious group in Jesus' day taught Hillel's view on divorce?

7. The Pharisees weren't really interested in what?

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