

# THE *Keys* TO *Communication*

PART FOUR

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- It is not **just** a marriage that will prevent immorality; it is great intimacy within the marriage.
- But how do you identify that? How would we define a great intimacy? There are some Biblical principles that will assist us in this. There are three key words that will assist us in defining a great intimacy.

## 1. \_\_\_\_\_ **1 Corinthians 7:5; Proverbs 5:19**

- \_\_\_\_\_ marriages depend on the frequency of the sexual relationship.
- The intimate connection that results from \_\_\_\_\_ intimacy is one of the glues that holds a marriage together.
- If there are problems that are hindering this, you owe it to yourself and your spouse to get them \_\_\_\_\_.

## 2. \_\_\_\_\_ **Genesis 18:12; Proverbs 5:18**

- It should not be something done out of duty, but \_\_\_\_\_!
- Part of this is each spouse seeking to satisfy the other.
- **There are three keys that will enable you to satisfy your spouse.**

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- There is a responsibility to take \_\_\_\_\_ of ourselves for our spouse.

### 3. \_\_\_\_\_ **Ephesians 5:31; Proverbs 21:19; 22:24**

- The overall quality of your relationship with your spouse is so important.
- \_\_\_\_\_ people don't even want to look at each other, let alone be intimate.
- If there is unresolved conflict, bitterness, contention, and ill will in the overall relationship, there is no way there will be good intimacy.
- This is why it is so important to work on the \_\_\_\_\_ of your marriage all the time.
- When you are living and abiding in \_\_\_\_\_, this just makes the physical intimacy of the relationship sky-rocket.
- Before you are married, Satan works really hard to get you \_\_\_\_ to bed, and after you are married he works hard to keep you \_\_\_\_\_ of bed.
- You do not have a healthy Christian marriage if you do not have a \_\_\_\_\_ intimacy in your marriage.