Marriage: A Gift from God

"And God saw that it was good."

Gen. 1:10, 12, 18, 21, 25

God saw all that He had made, and behold, it was very good.

Gen. 1:31

It is NOT good...



Eccl. 4:8-12

• One alone...

• TWO are better ...

A mate suitable...



For THIS REASON...

... a man shall leave his father and his mother, and be joined to his wife; and they shall become one flesh

He who finds a wife finds a good thing and obtains favor from the Lord.

Prov. 18:22

Let your fountain be blessed, and rejoice in the wife of your youth,

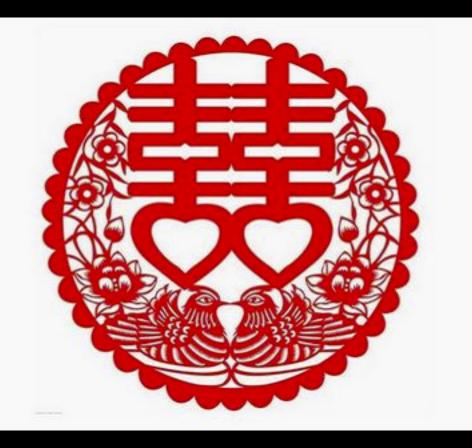
Prov. 5:18

So is he who goes in to his neighbor's wife; none who touches her will go unpunished.

Prov. 6:29

Created in the Image of God: LOVE

Genesis 1:27



Double happiness



Happy / Joy

Happy / Joy x 2



jié hūn to marry / to get married My beloved is to me a cluster of henna blossoms in the vineyards of Engedi.

S of S 1:14

Behold, you are beautiful, my beloved, truly delightful.

S of S 1:16

As an apple tree among the trees of the forest, so is my beloved among the young men.

With great delight I sat in his shadow, and his fruit was sweet to my taste.

The voice of my beloved! Behold, he comes, leaping over the mountains, bounding over the hills.

My beloved is mine, and lam his;

Jesus

Matthew 19:4-6

God Created and ordained it

God authorized it

God legislates it

God Legislates

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 - CLEAVE

God Is Involved in It

Let marriage be held in honor among all, and let the marriage bed be undefiled

Hebrews 13:4

for God will judge the sexually immoraland adulterous.

Hebrews 13:4

Each 'his'

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1 Cor. 7:1-2

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