"Celebrating Singleness" Selected Scriptures October 25, 2015

Question #1: Does the Bible say that it is okay to be single?

Answer: Absolutely!

Four myths that many Christian singles have concerning

marriage:

Myth #1: Marriage is the only <u>God-ordained</u> lifestyle.

Myth #2: The grass is greener on the other side of the matrimonial fence.

Myth #3: My life plus somebody else equals happiness.

Myth #4: Singleness produces loneliness, while marriage produces intimacy.

Question #2: What does the Bible have to say about dating?

Question #3: Is it okay to date or marry a non-Christian?

Question #4: What about "missionary dating?"

Question #5: What's wrong with premarital sex with someone you love?

The Greek word for sexual immorality is "porneia" from which we get the word pornography.

What was Paul referring to when he used the word "porneia"?

- 1. Fornication premarital sex
- 2. Adultery sex outside of your marriage
- 3. Homosexuality unnatural sex with someone of the same sex
- 4. Bestiality sex with an animal

Question #6: What can I do right now as a single person to make a difference for God?

- 1. Start living out your Christianity right now!
- 2. Use your singleness as a time to serve.