## MARKED BY MARRIAGE

Marked – Week 26 April 24, 2022

## **KEY SCRIPTURES**

- <u>Mark 10:1-10</u>
- <u>Matthew 19:9</u>
- Malachi 2:15
- Ephesians 5:22-33

## **KEY POINTS**

- God's design for marriage is for the covenant to last until death separates us.
- God's design for marriage is a mirror of Christ and the Church.
- Moses instituted a divorce certificate because of the hardness of man's heart. (sin)
- Divorce and remarriage are permitted in cases of sexual sin, abandonment, and abuse.
- Men are called to protect, lead, and to help sanctify their wives.
- Women are called to come under the mission that their husbands are given.
- There is hope for broken marriages at the foot of the cross.

## **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

- 1. Discuss as a group the husband's mission as given by God in marriage.
- 2. Discuss the role of the wife.
- 3. Why does God say in Scripture that singleness is a better choice? (see 1 Cor 7)
- 4. If you are able, share the current state of your marriage.
- 5. What advice would you give to someone considering marriage?

