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FROM THIS DAY FORWARD
Discussion Guide

BIG IDEA

A promise is commitment to the future made now that I will need when things get tough. Have you ever wondered what creates a thriving relationship? What are the secrets that some couples seem to know that others are missing? In this message, Pastor Daniel Floyd encourages us to make and keep the four commitments of a thriving relationship.

SCRIPTURES USED IN THE MESSAGE

- Colossians 2:6-7
- 1 Corinthians 13:11
- Matthew 6:33
- 2 Corinthians 6:14
- 2 Corinthians 2:15
- Proverbs 14:23
- Revelation 2:5
- Hebrews 13:4
- Jeremiah 17:9
- Ephesians 5:8-11
- Proverbs 28:13
- Matthew 19:5-6

TALK IT OVER

Choose questions that keep the discussion moving. No need to discuss every question.

- Is there evidence that Jesus is the center of your life? Your marriage? How can you support a relative or friend who may be in a marriage with an unbeliever?
- What can you do to continue the pursuit of the one you love?
- What are some dangerous ways we can start compromising on our commitment of purity? How do the costs of cutting these compromises compare to the value of a pure relationship?
- What are ways to stay together as one when things get difficult? What promises have you sent out into the future that you need to fulfill now?

APPLICATION IDEAS

- Keep Jesus at the center. Find and post an anchor scripture for your marriage and household.
- Continue pursuing. Find ways to be different; pursue your mate in a different way this week.
- Protect our purity. Discuss ways you have honored the purity of your marriage and areas for improvement.
- Stay in this together. Remind one another of the commitments you've made. Pray for one another daily.

PRAYER FOCUS

At Lifepoint, we pray until something happens. Make time in every group meeting to pray for one another and the larger matters of concern to your group.

- Pray for opportunities this week to pursue Jesus, your spouse, purity, and oneness.

LEADER TIPS

- Encourage your group to actively take part in the final week of 21 Days of Prayer and Fasting. Consider using technology to take part in the evening services together.