

**What Jesus Can Do For Your Family**  
**Matthew 19:3-6**

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1. We hear a lot about the breakdown in the family. We are confronted by new thoughts, decisions, and choices every day.
  2. But what are the real issues of marriage?
  3. Let's take a look at several.
- I. Jesus Can Provide Resources For Your Family.**
- A. The greatest contribution of being in Christ is that He is creating new people.
    1. **Romans 6:6-7**
    2. **2 Corinthians 5:17**
  - B. There is more to the Christian life than just trying to follow the example of Jesus.
- II. Jesus Can Provide A New View Of Your Family.**
- A. The Bible provides direction in choosing a mate.
    1. **2 Corinthians 6:14**
  - B. The Bible teaches an attitude of permanence that is necessary to have a successful marriage.
    1. **Matthew 19:4-6**
  - C. The Bible helps us discover a sense of togetherness that can revolutionize our marriage.
    1. **1 Timothy 5:8**
- III. Jesus Can Provide A Way To Reconcile Your Family.**
- A. As a Christian, you are able to admit that you are a sinner.
  - B. Forgiveness is the key to reconciliation in the family.
    1. **Colossians 3:13-14**
    2. **Romans 5:8**
- IV. Jesus Can Provide Encouragement For Your Family.**
- A. Once you understand your own imperfections you are more sympathetic to the faults of others.
  - B. Jesus Christ doesn't take away our problems.