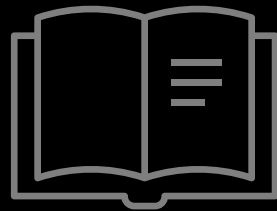


# MATTHEW 5 : 31 - 37

... anything else is evil ...



PAPER HANDOUT

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# Sacred Vow of Marriage

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Sunday December 17, 2023

# QUESTION ASKED...

*(If) Man can only be married once, what does it mean that Bro Branham said, “you go overboard with that man can only (be) married once”? In Marriage and Divorce sermon.*



# 65-0221M — Marriage And Divorce

66 *Now, if that be so, we have two schools of thought on Marriage And Divorce. And that is, one of them says, that, “A man can only be married once, unless his wife is dead.” And that’s one of the questions, but, you go to following that, you go overboard. ...*



## 65-0221M — Marriage And Divorce

*... And then the next says, “Oh, if the wife or the husband, either one, has committed adultery, either one of them can be put away and married again.” You find yourself overboard with that.*



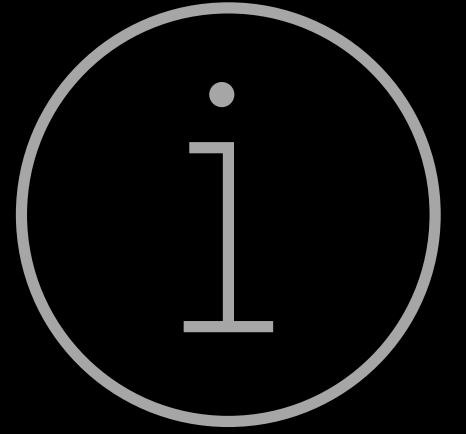
# MATTHEW 5



*32. But I say unto you, That whosoever shall put away his wife, **saving for the cause of fornication**, causeth her to commit adultery: and whosoever shall marry her that is divorced committeth adultery.*

## ... QUESTION RESPONSE.

*Following the words of Jesus we find that only in the cause of secret fornication, a hidden act by the woman before marriage, will allow the man to remarry without fault. Otherwise, only the death of the spouse frees the individual to marry again.*





*Why does secret  
fornication before  
marriage free the  
man to remarry?*



## 59-0628E - "Questions And Answers"

*188 And if a man marries a woman and she has lived unclean before she marries him, and then she comes to him, if they've been married ever so long, and then she comes to him and says, ...*



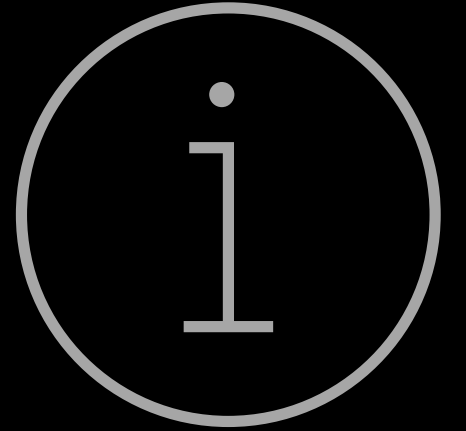
## 59-0628E - "Questions And Answers"

...“Honey, I want to tell you something. I did run out with another man, I never told you,” Jesus said he has a right to put her away and marry another, because they’re not married in the beginning, ’cause she falsely told a lie against him.



**... NOTE ON THIS QUESTION.**

*The term “put away” has been confused often with “divorced with the right to remarry”. These are not the same thing. A spouse may leave for multiple other reasons, yet in those cases they do not have a God given freedom to remarry.*



# I CORINTHIANS 7



*10 And unto the married I command, yet not I, but the Lord, Let not the wife depart from her husband:*

*11 But and if she depart, let her remain unmarried, or be reconciled to her husband: and let not the husband put away his wife.*

But she left me  
because of Christ!

Now what?

# I CORINTHIANS 7



*27 Art thou bound unto a wife?*

*seek not to be loosed. Art thou loosed  
from a wife? seek not a wife.*

## 62-0527 - "Questions And Answers"

41 A brother or a sister is not under bondage in such case, that is, if your companion is putting you away and wants to depart for it. You don't have to just hold onto them. If they're wanting to leave you and they're going to leave you for the cause of Christ, let them leave. ...





## 62-0527 - "Questions And Answers"

... But you can't remarry! "But God has called us unto peace." See? Now, not that you can remarry again, he's already stated that, but you don't have to live with an unbelieving husband or an unbelieving wife if they are not willing.



I'm converted and my spouse  
isn't. They aren't making me leave  
but they are abusive...  
**what do I do?**

“If they are **PLEASED** to dwell...”

... if someone is abusing their

spouse they are

**NOT PLEASED**

to dwell together!

If they are **NOT PLEASED**  
to dwell with you then  
you are  
**NOT BOUND**  
to stay.

# COMPARE MAN'S COMMITMENT

- Matthew 5 – “put away”
- Matthew 19 – “put away and remarry”
- Luke 16 – “put away and remarry”

# MATTHEW 5



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# MATTHEW 19



*9 And I say unto you, Whosoever shall put away his wife, except it be for fornication, and shall marry another, committeth adultery: and whoso marrieth her which is put away doth commit adultery.*

# LUKE 16

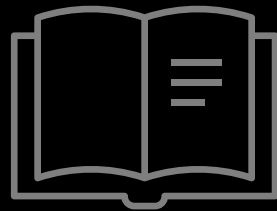


*18 Whosoever putteth away his wife,  
and marrieth another, committeth  
adultery: and whosoever marrieth  
her that is put away from her  
husband committeth adultery.*



# I CORINTHIANS 11 : 3 -15

... give honor to thy head ...



## 53-0729 - "Questions And Answers On Genesis"

*77 He said, "Now, if they would cut it, if there's something wrong they had to cut their hair," said, "let her take a razor and shave it all off," and make her hair real slick, until it comes out her head. ...*



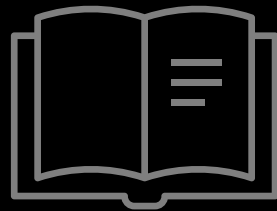
## 53-0729 - "Questions And Answers On Genesis"

*... That's right. That's what the Scripture said. It says, "If she cuts her hair, she dishonors her husband. And a woman that's dishonorable has a legal right to be put away and divorced." But, he can't marry again, now. But he can put her away in divorcement.*



# I CORINTHIANS 7 : 1 - 5

... defraud not one another ...



# MALACHI 2 : 16

... What does God hate? ...

