



SERMON NOTES

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SURVIVING MARITAL TYPHOONS

TRUE LOVE ALWAYS

Building Godly Marriages That Last

Matthew 7:24 (NIV) Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. 25 The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock.

The foundation for a strong marriage is _____ and following what God says in the Bible regarding marriage.

Force #1: "RAINS" You need to be prepared for the _____.

Power #1: _____ lifestyles.

Power #2: _____ and the love of money.

Power #3: The _____ revolution.

Power #4: _____ networking through the internet.

2 Timothy 3:1 (NLT) ...in the last days there will be very difficult times. 2 For people will love only themselves and their money... They will consider nothing sacred. 3 They will be unloving and unforgiving; they will slander others and have no self-control. They will be cruel and hate what is good. 4 They will betray their friends, be reckless, be puffed up with pride, and love pleasure rather than God.

Romans 12:2 (NLT) "Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person..."

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Force #2: “FLOODS” You need to prepare for the crisis you’re going _____.

Psalms 69:1 (NIV) “Save me, O God, for the waters have come up to my neck. 2 I sink in the mire depths, where there is no foothold. I have come into the deep waters; the floods engulf me. 3 I am worn out calling for help; my throat is parched.”

Isaiah 43:1 (NLT) ...Do not be afraid... 2 When you go through deep waters, I will be with you. When you go through rivers of difficulty, you will not drown...

WHAT TO DO WHEN FLOODS COME:

1. You _____ in God’s plan.
2. You _____ God’s presence.
3. You _____ on God’s protection.

Force #3: “WINDS” You need to be prepared for _____.

Ecclesiastes 3:1 (KJV) “To everything there is a season, and a time for every purpose under heaven.”

Philippians 4:11 (NIV) ...for I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances. 12 I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. 13 I can do all this through him who gives me strength.

Attitude #1 _____. “I’ve learned to be content...”

Attitude #2 _____. “...whatever the circumstances...”

Attitude #3 _____. “I can do all this through him who gives me strength.”

1 Corinthians 3:11 (NLT) “For no one can lay any foundation other than the one we already have—Jesus Christ.”

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