

CONNECTING COUPLES TO CHRIST AND EACH OTHER

Glen and Shawn Solberg | Serving Couples to Build Christ-Centered Marriages

Prayer Requests to Share

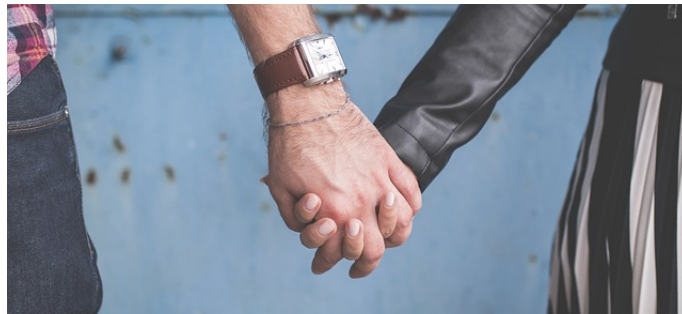
FOCUS FOR 2026: Our continued prayer: That God would use Abiding Marriage, through the work of the Holy Spirit, to affect the lives of couples toward Christ.

FAMILY UPDATE/PRAYER: We are excited to share God's gift of a second grandchild. Our youngest son, Caleb, and his wife, Taylor are excited for their daughter due to be born in late September. Please pray for the Lord to protect both baby and mother in the coming weeks prior to her arrival.

UPCOMING SABBATICAL: Shawn and I will be going on a Sabbatical for 2 1/2 weeks in late Summer. Please pray now for the planning of this break from ministry - that it would provide the rest and renewal the Lord desires for us. Our last sabbatical was in 2013 when we were still serving with FamilyLife.

FIRST LOVE AND COMMUNITY: This is our consistent prayer: That we would never lose our "first love" for Jesus Christ and the pursuit of a deeply abiding relationship with Him. And after that, we would continue to make it a priority to be deeply connected to Christ-centered community in and outside of our local church.

Thank You: Your Partnership at Work!



Shawn and I want to consistently “brag on the Lord” for what He is doing in the lives of the couples He brings to Abiding Marriage. But we also want to thank our Ministry Partners whose gifts fund the mission and outreach of this ministry. So please take a moment to praise the Lord with us as you read the comments of a couple who has been married 11 years.

Husband and Wife: We appreciate how Abiding Marriage has helped us in our marriage and in our work. This ministry has been an answer to prayer. At the beginning of 2025, we asked the Lord to sanctify us in our marriage, and though we are far from through, our time with Abiding Marriage has done nothing but aid that request.

You can read more couple's comments at this link:
www.abidingmarriage.org/your-partnership-at-work

IMPORTANT: Monthly Updates from Us

We are glad to send these mailed updates to you 2-3 times a year. But we want to make sure you are getting our electronic updates via email about 9-10 times a year. If you are NOT receiving those electronic updates, please email Glen at glen@abidingmarriage.org so we can get you on that list!

Help Us Please: We Are Asking for Your Input and Feedback!

One of the things Shawn and I feel strongly about is stewarding well all God has given us! When it comes to relationships, ministry, finances, possessions, etc, we want to manage with great care all the Lord has entrusted to us. We are sure you want to do the same!

Our relationship with you, as part of our Ministry Partner Team, is something we want to steward well with God's help and with your input. One of the goals we want to grow in is helping our Ministry Partners grow in 1) their relationship with the Lord, and 2) their relationship with their spouse. So much of what we share in our monthly newsletters and in our Abiding Marriage blog posts is designed to do one of those two things.

We would love to get your input on how we are doing. Are the things we share in our newsletter helpful in growing your vertical relationship with the Lord OR your marriage relationship? Are there other topics or future sharing we could do that would help you? We really would like to get your feedback on this!

HOW TO SHARE YOUR INPUT/FEEDBACK: The easiest way to give feedback to us is simply by emailing Glen at glen@abidingmarriage.org. An alternate method would be using a response page on our website. Just type in your browser the following: www.abidingmarriage.org/contact-us

Thanks in advance for taking time to do this. We appreciate the few minutes you take to give us your feedback, and will do our best to put your suggestions to work!



Bible Verses for This Month

Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the holy places by the blood of Jesus, by the new and living way that He opened for us through the curtain, that is, through His flesh, and since we have a great priest over the house of God, let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful. And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near. Hebrews 10:19-25 ESV