

Conversation Guide

Dating pt. 1

Part 1 summary

- Whether we're ready for a relationship or not, we need wisdom to know what relationships look like when they're done well.
- Because sex is God's idea, it is both very good and also not something we can use however we want.
- The idea of finding a "soulmate" is not biblical. It encourages us to pursue an unrealistic ideal instead of putting in the work necessary to any relationship.

1.Modern Romance

2.Unity & Diversity

3.Let's Talk About Sex

4.Taking Inventory

Discussion questions

01 What do you think about dating? Is it a broken system, or is it possible for people to date in a healthy way?

02 How have you seen the mindset of instant gratification shape people's attitudes toward sex and dating?

03 Do you agree that there is no such thing as a "soulmate"? Why or why not?

Diving deeper

1 Cor. 13:7 says, "Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things." This is a beautiful idea. What evidence do you see in our culture (in movies, songs, etc.) that people want to believe that love can endure? What evidence do you see that people are not willing to put in the work required for love to last? Are there any practical ways you can love those around you better, whether you're dating or not?