

The Reason for This Discussion (v. 1a)

The Reality of a Forgotten Good: Singleness (vv. 1b, 6-7)

The Reality of Another Good: Marriage (vv. 2-5)

Group Discussion

1. How does Paul's teaching challenge the way our culture views singleness and marriage?
2. Why does Paul describe both singleness and marriage as gifts from God?
3. What does Paul teach about selflessness within marriage in verses 3-5?
4. What role does the lordship of Christ play in both singleness and marriage?