## Oct 9, 2011 When God Chose Sandals:

What does the Bible Really say about divorce? - Mark 10:1-12



Servants are faithful to the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of marriage.

God's restoring forgiveness:

The Setup: Divorce in the time of the New Testament. (1-2)

The Problem: Why do so many treat divorce so lightly? (3-5, Deut 24:1-4)

We have elevated our own pursuit of \_\_\_\_\_\_ over the pursuit of God's \_\_\_\_\_\_.

God's intention: Why is the covenant of marriage serious and permanent? (6-9)

Gen 1:27, 2:24
Eph 5:31-32

The ramifications: What ends the covenant of marriage in God's eyes? (10-12)

Rom 7:2-3, 1 Cor 7:39
Matt 5:31-32, 19:8-9
1 Cor 7:12-16

Equipping - Memorization:

Mark 10:7-9 'Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, <sup>8</sup> and the two shall become one flesh.' So they are no longer two but one flesh. <sup>9</sup> What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate."