



#LSR

Love, Sex and Relationships

ROOTS


QUESTIONS

- 1 What is to Date?
- 2 Why do you think people date?
- 3 Name one verse in the Bible that talks about dating
- 4 Memorize: Genesis 2:24

WHAT IS TO DATE?

SIMPLE CHRISTIAN DEFINITION:

**TO DATE IS TO LOOK FOR A
SPOUSE**

GENESIS 2:18-24

3 THINGS ABOUT DATING...

- ① Dating is a "GOD-THING"
- ② It is also a **PROCESS**
- ③ And a key thing in this **PROCESS** is **TIMING**: When is it okay?

GENESIS 2:18-24



3 THINGS IN THE DATING PROCESS...

① MASTER

② MISSION

③ MATE

GENESIS 2:18-24

1 MASTER

GOD MUST BE YOUR MASTER:

You need to have a
RELATIONSHIP with God so
you know how to **LOVE**

JOHN 14:21, 1ST JOHN 4:7-8

GENESIS 2:18



1 MASTER

GOD MUST BE YOUR "SPOUSE'S" MASTER:

This **HELPS** you **GROW**
in the **SAME DIRECTION**

JOHN 14:21, 1ST JOHN 4:7-8 GENESIS 2:18

2 MISSION

YOU MUST KNOW YOUR MISSION:

To **KNOW** and **LOVE** God is to
KNOW and **LOVE YOURSELF**
including to **KNOW** and **LOVE**
the **PLAN** He has for **YOUR**
LIFE

NATTHEW 22:36-28

GENESIS 2:19-20



2 MISSION

YOU "SPOUSE'S" MUST KNOW YOUR
MISSION:

This HELPS you GROW
in the SAME DIRECTION

MATTHEW 22:36-28

GENESIS 2:19-20

3 MATE

When you **HAVE**
SOMEONE WITH THE
SAME MASTER and
MISSION, then you **DATE**

ECCLESIASTES 4:9-12

GENESIS 2:21-24

OUR ADVICE TO YOU

- ① Don't **DATE** when you are a **TEEN**; it's too **EARLY**
- ② Wait until you are **20**

OUR ADVICE TO YOU

3 Use that time to to
KNOW and **LOVE GOD** and
YOURSELF, you will be
PREPARING for the **RIGHT**
TIME

ECCLESIASTES 12:1

