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The Walker Family Reader

September 2014

Praises & Prayers

Celebrating All That God Has Done... And Will Do!

Sometimes we get caught up with our little part in the ministry and we forget that we are on a FamilyLife team that is all around the world doing amazing things for the Lord. You are a part of that team too. Through your partnership, these ministries are made possible. Last week we attended the FamilyLife International Staff Conference where we had a chance to hear how the Lord is using FamilyLife globally.

FamilyLife has missionaries in 108 countries, bringing help and hope to marriages all over the globe. Several of those missionaries were able to travel to Little Rock, AR last week and share what God is doing in their part of the world.



Dennis Rainey praying for Pita and Mere who are serving with FamilyLife in Fiji.

We were praising God that Pita and Mere were recently able to get connected with the

largest church in Fiji. We are praying that through this new connection, many marriages and families will learn the Biblical plan for marriage and that marriages will be saved and strengthened.

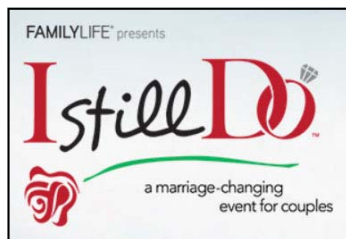


Ron Deal, FamilyLife Blended Director

We appreciated how FamilyLife took some time to pour into the marriages of their own staff. We participated in a "Couple Check-up"

and then experienced a powerful teaching from Ron Deal. He talked with us about "The Humility Shift". Humility is a critical tool to bring into any marriage, it is especially helpful in conflict resolution.

We were so excited when one of our ministry partners from First Christian Church in Washington MO contacted us and asked for information about hosting the I Still Do Simulcast and we are thrilled that they have decided to host this marriage-changing event! **We challenge everyone in the Washington area to attend, and invite your friends to join you.**

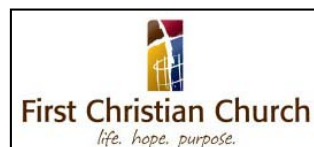


I Still Do Simulcast

First Christian Church - Saturday October 4, 2014

6890 Hwy 100, Washington MO

Cost is \$35 per couple and includes lunch!



Contact First Christian Church to register.
www.lifehopepurpose.com 636-239-7560

Nathan & Jennifer



Praise: For another great *I Still Do* event in Portland! Thousands of lives impacted!

Pray: For the 1 remaining *I Still Do* event coming up October 4 in Washington DC. Pray also for all the churches around the country that will be simulcasting the event. Pray that many couples will attend and that their marriages will be strengthened. Pray that couples will leave these events on-fire, wanting to start a marriage ministry in their community.

Pray: For First Christian Church in Washington MO as they prepare to host the I Still Do Simulcast event on October 4. Pray that marriages in all stages of life will attend. Pray that the marriages in a great place will be inspired to encourage the marriages around them. Pray that marriages in a difficult season will get the help, hope and encouragement they need to move forward.



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December 5-7, 2014

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Branson
April 17-19, 2015

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The FamilyLife app practically equips husbands, wives, moms and dads to grow in their most important relationships by providing engaging content, resources and challenges based on Biblical principles. **App users will have the tools they need to love their spouses and children better—right in the palm of their hand.**

Sparks: short-term (7-14 day) challenges for helping couples grow in communication, conflict resolution, romance, date nights and more.

Daily Prayer Moments: focused guidance for effectively praying as a couple

FamilyLife Today: access to the most recent episodes of the award-winning radio program as well as past episodes from the show's 21 year history of daily broadcasts

Groups: connection points with other husbands and wives who are also seeking to grow their marriages

Follow-up: *Art of Marriage*, *I Still Do* and *Weekend to Remember* follow-up

Relationship Check-In: weekly assessment to track how you're feeling about specific aspects of your marriage

Marriage-Strengthening Feeds: *Moments with You* marriage devotionals and *Marriage Memos* full of practical tips you can use



A special **Thank You** to Nathan's parents, Don and Linda Walker, for coming to stay with our kids while we attended the FamilyLife Staff Conference.

As you can tell by the huge smiles on the kid's faces, they had a blast with Grandma and Papa!

