



# **Marriage, Divorce, Remarriage**

## **Lesson #1**



# bjectives

- See **marriage** the way God sees it, which is the only way to see **divorce** the way He sees it.
- Answer the same question Jesus was asked, “Can a man divorce his wife for just any reason?” (Matthew 19:3).
- And on the subject of remarriage, who can marry again with God’s approval?

# *important*

- God established the home—He built it!
- Precious souls are at stake.
- These matters affect who we receive into the fellowship of a local church.

# How do we settle the issues?

- **Not** by simply “parroting” what we’ve always heard or read, or what some well-respected preacher wrote or said.
- **Not** by appealing to emotional arguments.
- **Not** by appealing to **Old Testament** laws.
- **Not** by taking the hardest line possible, the softest line, or even the “middle of the road” line.

# To be clear...

- We will appeal to the New Testament, to what Jesus and His apostles said.
- We will do our best to be careful with the text, and then teach with certainty only what we can be certain about.
- In other words, we will stand firm only on that which we can prove.