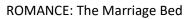


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ROMANCE: The Marriage Bed

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The Marriage Bed = Marital intimacy (Hebrews 13:4)	The Marriage Bed = Marital intimacy (Hebrews 13:4)	
There are 3 practical purposes of the marriage bed:	There are 3 practical purposes of the marriage bed:	
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Misconceptions about The Marriage Bed	Misconceptions about The Marriage Bed	
The Marriage Bed is	The Marriage Bed is	
1!	1!	
The Bible teaches just the opposite - intimacy is not bad! It is very good and	The Bible teaches just the opposite - intimacy is not bad! It is very good and	
should be within the proper context, which is the marriage	should be within the proper context, which is the marriage	
bed and only the marriage bed!	bed and only the marriage bed!	
(Genesis 2:24; Proverbs 5:18-19; Song of Solomon 1:2-4, 7:6-10)	(Genesis 2:24; Proverbs 5:18-19; Song of Solomon 1:2-4, 7:6-10)	
The Marriage Bed is	The Marriage Bed is	
2. Only for! (Genesis 1:28)	2. Only for! (Genesis 1:28)	
The Marriage Bed is good and is to be enjoyed by both	The Marriage Bed is good and is to be enjoyed by both	
spouses, not just when the wife may be fertile!	spouses, not just when the wife may be fertile!	
Keys to being successful in the marriage bed: (1 Corinthians 7:3-5):	Keys to being successful in the marriage bed: (1 Corinthians 7:3-5):	
The Marriage Bed is	The Marriage Bed is	
1 (v.3)	1(v.3)	
Both spouses need to fulfill their marital duty to each other to make sure each	Both spouses need to fulfill their marital duty to each other to make sure each	
one of them is having their met in this area.	one of them is having their met in this area.	
Real naturally expresses itself in the marriage bed!	Real naturally expresses itself in the marriage bed!	
The Marriage Bed is	The Marriage Bed is	
2 (v.3-4)	2(v.3-4)	
Spouses' mutual authority over each other's bodies is; it	Spouses' mutual authority over each other's bodies is; it	
lasts throughout marriage.	lasts throughout marriage.	



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their needs in this are	ea and vice versa!	
If this is the case both of your needs will be met!		
In order to meet each other's needs, we must understand the		
between men and women! Men are generally more		
, and women are generally more		
When you can say no)	
The only exception th	nat exists to this is both	and temporary.
Both the ideas of a sp	pecific period of	and of a specific purpose
of	are implied. (v.5)	
The marriage bed is a	a against Sata	n and his attacks on marriage!
Frequent trips to the	marriage bed protects each	other from the temptation for
sii	n.	
We can never cause	our spouse to in	the area of sexual immorality
– that is an individual choice, but we can them in that direction!		
Obstacles to the mai	riago hod:	
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Homework

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