

Interview Questions for Shellie Arnold regarding *Joined by God: Unconventional Devotions for Christian Couples*

Interview Questions:

When did you first realize you wanted to help Christian marriages?

So, as a child of divorce, you decided not to marry. What changed that?

Would you say marriage has been easy or difficult for you and your husband? Why?

What do you think is the biggest threat to Christian marriages today?

What challenges or issues did you bring with you into your marriage?

You've been published as a fiction writer. *Joined by God: Unconventional Devotions for Christian Couples* is your first nonfiction book. What's special about it?

What's so important about building "spiritual intimacy" in a marriage?

Why do you think building "spiritual intimacy" is so difficult for most?

Tell us about one or two of your favorite devotions in the book.

What's the worst advice you have heard about marriage?

What's the best advice you could give a married couple?

Can your book help a marriage in any condition? How?

If our viewers only remember one thing from this interview, what do you hope they remember?

Specifics:

Nonfiction book title: *Joined by God: Unconventional Devotions for Christian Couples*

Unique features:

A seven-week devotional designed to facilitate spiritual intimacy between a husband and wife.

Flexible format for reading alone or together.

Contains questions and prompts to create individualized action steps to immediately improve the marriage.

Contains prompts to promote transparent communication between husbands and wives about the covered concepts.

Each week ends with a recap to help readers focus on their individual relationship with God and its impact on their marriage.

Back cover copy:

Without the proper foundation, even the most beautiful building—or marriage—can collapse.

We all come to marriage with expectations and ideas, with knowledge and suppositions. If we don't measure these against God's truths, we will build our relationship on lies. That's when the foundation can shift as on sand, bringing us to the brink of disaster.

Joined by God exposes common misconceptions about marriage and critical truths from Scripture, guide couples through analyzing their marriage, and reveals what can be done to immediately improve it. Even if a spouse reads alone because their mate is resistant or uninterested, or conflicting schedules make reading together impossible, using this book can bring lasting improvement, growth, and intimacy.

Give God seven weeks. Let Him change your life and your marriage.

“Every couple should read this before they marry and every five years thereafter.” – Edwina, wife of thirty-five years

“... uses powerful verses of Scripture, personal and relatable stories, and questions to help you think, thank, and respond.” – Julie, wife of forty years

Shellie Arnold is an author, speaker, and Biblical Marriage Strategist. She is a sexual abuse survivor and spent twenty-two years as a homeschool mom. Shellie believes Jesus died to redeem every part of our lives, and we can experience that redemption in every part of our marriages. Visit her at shelliearnold.com or find her podcast *Christian Marriage Uncensored* arriving Valentine's Day 2024 on your preferred platform.