

PENINSULA CHRISTIAN FELLOW SHIP

His Word & Our Word

How many here are married?

- Did you make vows?
- **Did you intend to keep them?**
- Do you continue in your commitment to keep them?
- **Did/do you expect your spouse to keep them?**

If ever either person decides to stop keeping their vows...

- The relationship is in jeopardy
- If the commitment isn't restored, it will disintegrate

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Have you made vows to God?

- If not, why not?
- Are you keeping them?
- Are you committed to keeping them?
- ... No matter what?

Because **He has made vows to us...**

- And is fully committed to keeping them

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David was a man **after God's own heart**

Psalm 61:1-8 (Vs.8) & 65:1-4 (Vs.1)

Matthew 5:37

"But let your 'Yes' be 'Yes,' and your 'No,' 'No.' For whatever is more than these is from the evil one."

- Say what you mean, and mean with you say

Matthew 12:33-37 (Vs. 34b)

"For out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks"

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Ephesians 5:25-32 (Vs. 32)

- In this world keeping one's word is uncommon, if not unknown
- In marriage and/or any relationship

Psalm 15:1-5 (Vs. 1 & 4b)

"LORD, who may abide in Your tabernacle? Who may dwell in Your holy hill?"

"... who swears to his own hurt and does not change"

We are made in the **image & likeness of God...**

(Therefore render... to God the things that are God's.)

And predestined to be conformed to **the image of His Son.**

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Speak to God with conviction & commitment

- And **in His name** to other people
- We don't give our word without **expecting to keep it**
- ... **No matter what!**
- So, we'll look God & ourselves in the eye without flinching

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James 4:10

"Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and He will lift you up."

Psalm 32:8

*“I will instruct you and teach you in the way you
should go;
I will guide you with My eye.”*

Maintain eye contact with God...

- *Commit yourself to Him openly, and mean it*