



**Malachi 2:14**--...because you have broken faith with her, though she is your partner, the wife of your marriage covenant.

See also Job 31:1; Psalm 25:10; Proverbs 2:16,17; Isaiah 24:5; I Kings 8:23; I Kings 19:10.

**Hebrews 13:4**--Husbands and wives must be faithful to each other. God will judge those who are immoral and commit adultery.

## HOW TO AFFAIR-PROOF YOUR MARRIAGE

**1. MAKE A \_\_\_\_\_ TO GOD'S \_\_\_\_\_.**

**Psalm 119:9**--How can a person keep his way pure? By living according to your Word.

**Proverbs 5:5f**--Be faithful to your own wife and give your love to her alone.

**2. A \_\_\_\_\_ THE \_\_\_\_\_.**

**Proverbs 6:27-29**--Can a man scoop fire into his lap without his clothes being burned? Can a man walk on hot coals without his feet being scorched? So is he who sleeps with another man's wife; no one who touches her will go unpunished.

**Proverbs 5:14**--I have come to the brink of utter ruin in the midst of the whole assembly.

**3. A \_\_\_\_\_ MY \_\_\_\_\_.**

**I Corinthians 7:3(GN)**--A man should fulfill his duty as a husband and a woman should fulfill her duty as wife, and each should satisfy the other's needs.

**4. A \_\_\_\_\_ MY \_\_\_\_\_.**

### SIN'S CYCLE

- \_\_\_\_\_ sinful thoughts in my mind.

**James 1:14,15(LB)**--Temptation is the pull of a person's own evil thoughts and wishes. These evil thoughts lead to evil actions and afterwards to death.

- \_\_\_\_\_, non-physical involvement.

- \_\_\_\_\_ involvement.

- \_\_\_\_\_ the affair.

**Jeremiah 17:9**--The heart is deceitful and desperately wicked.

**5. A \_\_\_\_\_ PROPER \_\_\_\_\_.**

**Ephesians 5:3**--But among you there must not be even a hint of sexual immorality.

**6. A \_\_\_\_\_ THE \_\_\_\_\_.**

- Don't be \_\_\_\_\_: avoid \_\_\_\_\_ situations.

**I Corinthians 10:12(LB)**--So be careful! If you are thinking, "Oh I would never behave like that—let this be a warning to you. For you too may fall into sin."

- Choose your friends \_\_\_\_\_.

**I Corinthians 15:33**--Bad company corrupts good character.

- Establish some \_\_\_\_\_.

## SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Describe the power of fidelity and trust.
2. Review the points and verses from this lesson. What personal application can you make from this teaching?
3. How can healthy boundaries be built around a marriage to safeguard and strengthen it.
4. Take some time right now to pray for the needs of those in your small group.