

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



Terrance and Shenia Brownlow-Dindy have four children and have served congregations in four states. Terrance is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma, Brown Trail School of Preaching, and Bear Valley. He is the director of the Texas School of Preaching. Shenia serves as office manager and co-director of the TXSOP Wives Program. They have been involved in mission work in Jamaica since 2003.



Eric Lyons has served the Bible Department at Apologetics Press since 2001. He has authored more than 20 books and has recorded hundreds of Bible videos. Eric also served Wetumpka church of Christ from 2007 to 2022 as a minister and (later) an elder. Eric and his lovely wife Jana have been married for 25 years and love to date, travel, and teach the gospel anywhere and everywhere.



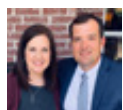
Hiram and Brittani Kemp have two children, Nadia and Andre. Hiram began working with the church at Lehman Avenue in September of 2021 after preaching in Lakeland, Florida, for five years. He is a graduate of the Florida School of preaching and Freed-Hardeman.



David and Kay Looney have been married for 38 years and have two daughters. David serves at the North Jackson (TN) Church of Christ and teaches at Freed-Hardeman and the Harbinger Institute. He holds a Doctor of Ministry in Family Therapy from Armridge University, and both teaches and practices counseling. Kay is a registered nurse and has made this her life's work for the past 39 years.



John and Carla Moore have three sons, one grandson, and four granddaughters and have served together in ministry for over 35 years. They both work with Bear Valley Bible Institute International in Denver, Colorado, and serve as directors of Bible Passages. John has served as a pulpit minister, preacher training instructor, and campus minister. He is a certified public-school teacher, is on the World Video Bible School advisory board, and is a school board trustee.



Wade and Jennifer Webster have been married for 34 years and have four children ages 14–24. Wade has been preaching since 1989 and has served churches in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, and Texas, where he currently preaches. He has degrees from Memphis School of Preaching and Jacksonville State University, has taught at Southwest School of Bible Studies, Brown Trail School of Preaching, JSU, and Faulkner, and has done mission work in Central America and Mexico.

Additional Speakers/Staff

Mark Howell (Coordinator), Eddy Gilpin (Coordinator), Todd Clippard (MC), Clark Sims (MC)

SCHEDULE (Eastern Time)

The schedule is designed to be joined at any time so those who must work can arrive later. For the most part, the same topics can be heard at both places (alternating speakers). All times Eastern.

EARLY BIRD PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

Site 1: Gatlinburg church of Christ. MC: Todd Clippard. Site Coordinator: Mark Howell
7:00PM The Rules of the Road, John Moore

Site 2: Sevierville church of Christ. MC: Clark Sims. Site Coordinator: Eddy Gilpin
7:00PM: Solomon's Marriage Seminar (Proverbs 5:15–23), Terrance Brownlow-Dindy

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Site 1: Gatlinburg church of Christ
5:00–5:30PM Registration, Mark Howell
5:30PM Getting Acquainted: Fun 'N' Games, Todd Clippard
6:00–6:45PM Navigating the Multi-Faceted Maze of Marriage (Culture, Children, Career, and Church), Terrance Brownlow-Dindy
7:00–7:45PM Knowing Your Passenger: Sexual Intimacy in Marriage, John Moore

Site 2: Sevierville church of Christ
5:00–5:30PM Registration, Eddy Gilpin
5:30PM Getting Acquainted: Fun 'N' Games, Clark Sims
6:00–6:45PM Ten Steps to an Awesome Marriage (Part 1), Hiram Kemp
7:00–7:45PM Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Share Love Maps, Wade Webster

Both locations: 8:00PM Supper Break/Free Time

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17

Site 1: Gatlinburg Church of Christ. MC: Todd Clippard
10:00–10:40AM Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Let Your Partner Influence You, Eric Lyons
10:40–11:10AM Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Nurture Your Fondness and Admiration, Wade Webster
11:30–12:10AM Enjoying the Ride, John Moore

Site 2: Sevierville Church of Christ. MC: Clark Sims
10:00–10:40AM Ten Steps to an Awesome Marriage (2), Hiram Kemp
10:40–11:10AM Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Turn Towards Each Other Instead of Away, David Looney

11:30AM–12:10PM Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Let Your Partner Influence You, Clark Sims

Both locations: 12:10AM–2:30PM Lunch Break

Site 1: Gatlinburg Church of Christ. MC: Todd Clippard
2:30–3:00PM Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Share Love Maps, Wade Webster
3:05–3:35PM Ten Steps to an Awesome Marriage (1), Hiram Kemp
3:45–4:15PM Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Solve Your Solvable Problems, Eric Lyons
4:30–5:00PM Ten Steps to an Awesome Marriage (Part 2), Hiram Kemp

Site 2: Sevierville Church of Christ. MC: Clark Sims
2:30–3:00AM Navigating the Multi-Faceted Maze of Marriage, Terrance Brownlow-Dindy
3:05–3:35AM Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Solve Your Solvable Problems, David Looney
3:45–4:15AM Enjoying the Ride, John Moore

Both locations: 4:30/5:00–6:00PM Break

WEEKEND PROGRAM

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17

Site 1: Gatlinburg Church of Christ
6:00–6:30PM Getting Acquainted: Fun 'N' Games, Todd Clippard
6:30–7:15PM Solomon's Marriage Seminar (Proverbs 5:15-23), Terrance Brownlow-Dindy
7:30–8:00PM Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Turn Towards Each Other Instead of Away, Eric Lyons
8:00–8:45PM How the Song of Solomon Can Bless your Marriage, Hiram Kemp

Site 2: Sevierville Church of Christ
6:00–6:30PM Getting Acquainted: Fun 'N' Games, Clark Sims
6:30–7:15PM Enjoying the Ride, John Moore
7:30–8:00PM Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Nurture Your Fondness and Admiration, Wade Webster
8:00–8:45PM Knowing your Passenger: Sexual Intimacy in Marriage, John Moore

Both locations: 8:45PM Goodnight

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18

Site 1: Gatlinburg Church of Christ. MC: Todd Clippard
Better Every Year (Those Married 10 Years and Over). After the new wears off, how can we make the most of our marriage?

10:00AM Just Getting Started, John Moore
11:00AM Heirs Together of the Grace of Life: Revering Him, Loving Her (1 Peter 3:1–7; Ephesians 5:22–33), Terrance Brownlow-Dindy

11:45–2:00PM Lunch

2:00–2:30PM Matrimonially Meet for the Master's Use (A Study of Romance, Courtship, and Marriage in Ruth), Terrance Brownlow-Dindy
2:45–3:15PM How the Book of Ruth Can Bless Your Marriage, Wade Webster
3:15–3:45PM Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Overcome Gridlock, Terrance Brownlow-Dindy
3:50–4:00PM Combined session: Awards/Closing Remarks, Todd Clippard

Site 2: Sevierville Church of Christ. MC: Clark Sims
Featuring: 20-Minute Sessions
Good to Great (Those Married 10 Years or Less). After the honeymoon, the adjustment period comes. How can we make the most of it?

10:00–10:20AM Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Overcome Gridlock, Eric Lyons
10:20–10:40AM Lessons from a Sweetheart Couple (A Look at Aquila and Priscilla), Hiram Kemp
10:40–11:00AM Break
11:00–11:20AM Heirs Together of the Grace of Life: Revering Him, Loving Her, Eric Lyons

11:40–1:40PM Lunch
1:40–2:00PM Awards, Clark Sims

2:10–2:30PM Fuel in the Tank (Part I), John Moore
2:30–2:50PM Fuel in the Tank (Part II), John Moore
2:50–3:10PM Break
3:10–3:30PM Fuel in the Tank (Part III), John Moore
3:30–3:50PM How the Song of Solomon Can Bless your Marriage, Hiram Kemp
3:50–4:00PM Combined session: Awards/Closing Remarks, Clark Sims

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19

Site 1: Gatlinburg Church of Christ
9:00AM (Bible class) Road Rage: Managing the Conflict, John Moore
10:00AM Roadblocks and Detours: Death to Destructive Habits, John Moore

Site 2: Sevierville Church of Christ
9:00AM (Bible class) Seven Principles for Making Marriage Work: Create Shared Meaning, Wade Webster
10:00AM Matrimonially Meet for the Master's Use, Terrance Brownlow-Dindy

Marriage Retreat

FREE MARRIAGE/FAMILY COUNSELING

Held at Sevierville church of Christ (Fellowship Hall) by David and Kay Looney. To make a confidential appointment, contact Kelli Sewell (877.338.3397; Kelli@housetohouse.com).

Approximate times:

Friday: 3:30–5:30PM, 8:30–10:30PM

Saturday: 12:30–1:30PM, 4:15–6:15PM



ABOUT THE RETREAT

Who

This is a couples-only retreat for married couples of all ages. It is designed to be part getaway weekend and part practical instruction seminar on enriching marriage relationships. (All classes are for married adults only. Please do not bring children.)

Cost

Registration is \$99 per couple. On-site registration fee is \$109 per couple.

Register here: smokymountainmarriage.com

What You Will Receive

- 48 sessions of workshop instruction from great speakers.
- The expanded program is held at two locations, with most lessons offered at both places at different times. Couples may come for any or all lessons and attend either location or both.
- Free, confidential, professional marriage counseling.
- A link to all lessons—both tracks, all locations, and church services—will be sent to every couple who provides an

email address at registration. If you want the lessons on a thumb drive, they are available for \$25 (including shipping). This drive also includes audios from all previous Great Smoky Mountain Marriage Retreats (over 150 lessons). Sign up/pay at the registration table or online. Thumb drives will be mailed soon after the event.

- Opportunity for recommitment as a married couple.
- Opportunity to make friends with other Christian couples from around the country.
- Access to vendor area with materials to enhance your marriage.

Why a Fee?

The Great Smoky Mountain Marriage Retreat was offered free to attendees when it began years ago as a getaway for Jacksonville members. It has outgrown four venues so far, and expenses now exceed what one church can handle. By all pitching in a little, we cover costs for speakers, lodging, printed materials, and other event costs. Neither the Midway church nor any individual makes any money.

Location / Lodging

Sevierville church of Christ

208 Hicks Drive
Sevierville, TN 37864

Gatlinburg church of Christ

414 Trinity Lane
Gatlinburg, TN 37738

You are responsible for making your room reservations. Go to the website for lodging information. Including fee, food, and hotel, most couples can come to the retreat for about \$350.

Free Time

Many go early to enjoy time with each other. The schedule builds in free time to go to the outlets, see a show, explore the beautiful mountains, or enjoy leisure time at the hotel.

Hosts

This retreat is sponsored by the Midway church of Christ (17010 Hwy 69, Jasper, AL 35501), under the oversight of its elders.

Marriage Retreat

THE ROAD TO BLISS

Twists and Turns to
a Soft Landing

Marriage Retreat

The Road to Bliss series addresses the topics of sacrifice, sin, communication, conflict resolution, sexuality, forgiveness, love, roles, prayer, and spiritual growth.

Hosted by Midway church of Christ

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Register at smokymountainmarriage.com.

For more info, call 1.877.338.3397 toll-free.

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