

STUDENT HANDOUT — Seminar 1, Session 2

II. An Effective, Mutual, and Satisfying Communication With Your Companion.

A. _____ Is A Must For The Long Haul In Marriage.

1. There is a definite relationship between marriages and the ability to communicate.
2. Good and proper communication should be the goal of each companion.
3. Too often the lack of communication is due to the lack of commitment to each other.
4. Many problems in the area of communicating are due to the lack of training in the courtship period.

B. There Are Five Levels of Communication.

1. _____ Communication.
2. _____ kind of Communication.
3. Sharing _____ and _____.
4. Sharing _____ and _____.
5. The highest level of communication is where we will share complete _____ and _____ in each other.

APPLICATION

1. How can I correct my level of communication?
 - a. Start by lovingly asking for _____ for not caring enough for your mate.
 - b. _____ together. This builds your wife's security.
 - c. Do things _____ which will create opportunities for communication.
 - d. Consider your _____ interest in your activities.
2. Work on the problem, not on the partner.
3. Seek to uplift your partner.

CONCLUSION

Please take hold of your partner's hand and pray a prayer of personal commitment to communicating better with your companion.