



PROVERBS



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A MESSAGE SERIES BY
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Protecting Your Marriage

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The ABCs of Protecting Your Marriage

- ▶ **A** _____ **the lure of temptation.** vs. 1-6
- ▶ **B** _____ **of sin's outcome.** vs. 7-14
- Sexual sin leads to...
 - _____ your reputation v. 9
 - _____ your resources/possessions v. 10
 - _____ health v. 11
- ▶ **C** _____ **after intimacy with your spouse.** vs. 15-23

PARENTS!

Today's message might not be appropriate for all ages. Listen for details given in the service about other options for your younger children, or ask a volunteer or staff member for assistance.

12 STEPS TO AN AFFAIR (America's Family Coaches, Dr. Gary & Barb Rosberg)

1. **Readiness** – Emotional readiness
2. **Alertness** – Awareness of another person
3. **Innocent Meeting** – Chance contacts
4. **Intentional Meeting** – Subtly planned meetings
5. **Public Linger** – Time spent together in group settings
6. **Private Linger** – Time spent alone, lingering after events or meetings
7. **Purposeful Isolating** – Planning meetings for "legitimate purposes"
8. **Pleasurable Isolating** – Planning meetings for enjoyment of relationship
9. **Affectionate Embracing** – Rationalization of touching
10. **Passionate Embracing** – Affectionate embracing and touching
11. **Capitulation** – Sexual relationship commences
12. **Acceptance** – Mutual consent and acceptance of affair

**31 PROVERBS
FOR 31 DAYS**

Pastor Gregg encourages the Houston's First family to read a chapter of Proverbs each day in March – 31 Proverbs for 31 days! To receive a daily text reminder with that day's chapter now thru Mar 31, text **PROVERBS** to **81411** or scan this code to subscribe.



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