## The Family Institute-Marriage & Family Coaching



#### THE COACHING PLAN

# GOAL: To restore, build and maintain a vibrant and triumphant marriage

#### MODULES

#### 1. CONSULTANCY / FIRST MEETING

#### **Presenting Issues**

\*Identify, explore and discuss the presenting issues

e.g. In-laws, Workaholic, Trust, Drinking, Helping with house chores, Verbal abuse, Sex, Lack of appreciation/affirmation,
Third party,

2. Identify and address the prevailing issues and the underlying causes



## 3. Interventions

\*Teach General Principles of a healthy marriage

- The principal cause of break-up in marriage and how to safeguard yourself against them

In-laws, Sex, Finances, Communication (listening), Conflict resolution

## 4. The major predictors of Divorce and how to avoid them

Criticism, Defensiveness, Stonewalling, Contempt.

Explore and discuss the Basic Needs of the woman and the Distinctive Needs of the man. 27 needs of the woman/ man

- 5. Her/ his Needs (1-9)
- 6. Her/ his Needs (10-18)
- 7. Her/ his Needs (19-27)



## **Maintenance**

### \*Ways to maintain intimacy:

### 8. Celebrate each other: Novelty ideas

Understand each other's Love Languages:

Word of affirmation, Gifts, Quality time, Hugs,

Acts of service, Physical touch, Love walks, Pillow talk etc.

## 9. Practical tips on how to date each other again

e.g. Weekly date nights, Monthly cruise, Annual vacation

Creative tips: Re-ignite the sparks. Restore the chemistry

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