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Catching Foxes has been written to help engaged or betrothed couples prepare for marriage. Written in semi-interactive workbook format, it guides couples toward a Christ-centered and Christ-exalting paradigm for marriage. It attempts to lay a biblical foundation for marriage and help couples better understand what God desires for them and from them in marriage.

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Jacque says

This is a great book to read for premarital counseling! I highly recommend!

Gina says

This book is a must read for all engaged couples or those thinking of becoming engaged. It will also be helpful for those newly married. Catching Foxes writes from a Biblical perspective regarding our relationship with Christ first and foremost. It is only then, can we have an accurate view of ourselves and then our relationship with our future spouse.

I read this book as a woman married 18 years. I've learned these truths over the years, but our marriage did not start on this foundation. The first several years of marriage were rocky and we struggled. Thankfully, we had solid teaching and great mentors along the way to guide us into a Christ centered marriage. As I kept reading, I nodded my head in silence as I was affirming all I've learned in the past. John Henderson shares some great truths that are timeless.

The book has questions in each chapter that help you analyze your relationships while at times, also providing a checklist for you to review with your future spouse. It has very practical ways to evaluate your current thoughts and feelings on various marriage topics.

I wish my husband and I would have known these truths before we married. I truly believe that had we known some of this, our early years wouldn't have been so rocky. I would definitely recommend this book!

Jen Ferguson says

This is a great book that helps Christian couples address many issues (their pasts, family life, expectations, ideals, etc) before they walk down the aisle. There is so much to marriage that we most of us cannot even fathom when we first start out. I think couples working through this will gain much insight into each other and into themselves (self-awareness is so key!). I do wish this book was a little more accessible for someone who may be new (or hesitant to engage fully) to the Christian faith. It does take for granted that both people are firmly planted in God's Word. Some may be turned off by the abundance of Christianese language.

Shannan Williams says

Wow, this book was intense! Intense in a good way, I highly recommend this book for an engaged couple. It's obvious the author knows what he is talking about. A real and honest look at what marriage is truly supposed to be, a gift from God. There are even questions in the book for the engaged couple to go over. If a couple would honestly do the work inside of this book and read it together, I really think that we would have

far less divorces. Again, I highly recommend this!

Lisa P Clement says

If you are a newly engaged couple, you have been married for years, or you are single and plan to marry some day you will benefit from this book. The author has created a great tool that will change your relationship if you will take the time to join this journey.

Catching Foxes is a great resource to help you move into a strong Biblical based marriage. The book is set in a workbook form and has very good questions at the end of each chapter to help the you have a better understanding of each other and also of God's design for marriage.

This will be a staple in my pre-marital counseling sessions as well as with married couples who need some help to get to a new place in their relationship.

I was given an advanced copy from the publisher and this is my honest opinion

Darren Sapp says

Know someone that's getting married? This is the perfect resource as they prepare for their big day.

Josiah Richardson says

Second book I've read this year (Francis Chan's was the other) in preparation for marriage and it was very helpful in establishing expectations as well helping myself probe into thoughts that would better prepare me to be a Husband.

Heather says

I was excited to read this book as I have a family member getting married this year, and I didn't feel like there were books like this available when I was getting married. This book really is a good tool for getting ready to enter into a Christ centered marriage. I love that the author lays the foundation and then asks probing questions to guide discussion between the engaged couple and the mentors. I highly recommend this book to any engaged couple.

Paige says

This book is for engaged couples, married couples, even singles who need to be retrained on what marriage looks like.

As a single, I was thankful to read this book 1) to uproot misguided views of marriage and 2) to counsel well those getting married or those in the throes of marriage.

John turns our perspective of marriage on its head. He shows us the inadequacy of our Hollywood adopted views on marriage and gives us a rich, lasting, and biblical perspective. John helps us realign what we call “good” to what God calls “good” without embellishing marriage’s brokenness or pleasures.

Read this book. Do it.

Sarah says

Catching Foxes is a biblically focused approach to the marriage covenant. It is sound in its doctrine and principles that John Henderson seeks to convey to couples. It was not the most useful or enjoyable marriage literature to Zach and I, we preferred the Prepare and Enrich Curriculum and Francis and Lisa Chan's marriage book.

Allyson says

I enjoyed the discussion questions presented throughout the book and not just at the end of chapters. These questions helped the book feel more like a guide and tool than just something to read and forget. In addition, Henderson does a great job of emphasizing the need for Gospel heart change instead of mere communication techniques. He frequently encourages prayer, additional Bible reading, and digging deeper into sins of the heart.

Chris Spalding says

This book was awesome and extremely beneficial in laying some good foundations before my wife and I got married. It prompted us to have conversations that normally would have not taken place until something would have caused them too.

Mike Mathews says

We are using it for Premarriage mentoring. It has been great for us to read also, even after 42 years of marriage. I think this. By far the best book on marriage.

Blake Atwood says

Getting married soon? This biblically-saturated workbook by a smart Christian counselor will help you and your future spouse discuss necessary issues that can derail a marriage. Highly recommended for all soon-to-be-newlyweds.

Melissa Henderson says

Scripture based, practical, important wisdom for couples preparing for marriage. This book reminds the reader of God's promises for marriages based on His Word. There are real life examples given in the book and also, worksheets to help with preparing for the future. Great resource. I received a copy of this book and this is my personal honest opinion.
