

CONCEPT

30 QUESTIONS TO ASK YOURSELF BEFORE YOU GET A DIVORCE

1. In one word, why am I considering a divorce?
2. If we were able to re-live our married life, what would I do differently?
3. If we were able to live our married life over, what would I want you to do differently?
4. What are the most positive high spots of our marriage to this point?
5. Why did I enjoy dating you?
6. What 5 to 10 areas cause pressure in our marriage? Why?
7. What would I have to do to relieve these pressures?
8. What do I really admire most about you?
9. What positive things would I miss most if we were divorced?
10. How do I honestly feel about our sex life? Why?
11. What do I enjoy most about sex with you?
12. How do I feel about our ability to communicate? Why?
13. In what 5 areas do we have the poorest communications? Why?
14. When in our marriage did I feel we had the very best communications?
15. How do I really feel about the way we do or don't encourage each other and appreciate each other?
16. How do I feel about the way you think about money?
17. How do my attitudes toward money affect our relationship?
18. What is the biblical standard for the way I am to relate to you? About divorce?
19. How would I describe the ideal marriage? Why?
20. How do I feel when we pray together?
21. How do I feel when I know you are praying for me?
22. How would I feel if you died today?
23. How would our divorce affect my personal self image?
24. How long has it been since we have had a weekend away from everyone and everything? Why?
25. Being coldly realistic what would happen to our children if we divorce? Our parents? Our friends? Our company? Our estate?
26. What would be the hardest part of the divorce for me?
27. Do I really want to divorce, or do I really want our relationship to change for the better? In what areas must it change? Why? How?
28. It's easy to blame you for our problems, but in all honesty, where have I been clearly in the wrong?
29. Would our divorce be "cutting off my nose to spite my face"?
30. How can this time of pressure, conflict, and hurt be turned into a lesson which will strengthen our marriage over the next 50 years?