

## **BOY MEETS GIRL**

Genesis 2:18-25      Jeff Schreve

### **What does God say about gender, marriage, and sex?**

#### **1. God made two sexes: male and female.**

- A. They are equally made in the image of God.
- B. Their biological sex can never be changed.

*The thing molded will not say to the molder, "Why did you make me like this," will it? Romans 9:20*

#### **2. God made two sexes to correspond to each other.**

- A. God showed Adam his need for Eve.  
*And the man gave names to all the cattle, and to the birds of the sky, and to every beast of the field, but for Adam there was not found a helper suitable for him. Genesis 2:20*
- B. God created Eve to be similar but different from Adam.
  - 1. He is formed from red dirt.
  - 2. She is fashioned from flesh and bone.

#### **3. God made two sexes to marry, multiply, and enjoy oneness.**

*For this cause a man shall leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave to his wife; and they shall become one flesh. And the man and his wife were both naked and were not ashamed. Genesis 2:24-25*

- A. Marriage is reserved for a man and a woman.
- B. Marriage is the only place for legitimate sexual relations.
- C. Marriage is a beautiful thing when you do it God's way.
  - 1. The man is to love, nourish, and cherish his wife.
  - 2. The wife is to respect and help her husband.

3. The result is oneness, openness, and fulfillment.

**Will you go God's way or your way?**