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Marriage is God's idea. ¹⁸ Then the Lord God said, "It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper corresponding to him." Marriage is:
• a lifelong commitment between one man and one woman (Genesis 2:18, Matthew 19:6) for their mutual joy (Ephesians 5) for the good of society (Ecclesiastes 4:9-12) procreation of children (Genesis 1:28) demonstrates relationship between Christ & his church (Ephesians 5) IDEA

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Singleness is the default. For some, temporary. For others, permanent. ⁸ I say to the unmarried and to widows: It is good for them if they remain as I am. ⁹ But if they do not have self-control, they should marry, since it is better to marry than to burn with desire. About the single life: If you are not content to walk with Jesus single you will not be spiritually content dating, engaged, or married.
Single people have a different kind of flexibility in their life to serve God. (1 Corinthians 7:33) IDEA

Here's what the Bible says about dating. Precepts for dating: If you are not content to walk with Jesus single you will not be spiritually content dating, engaged, or married.

Beware of porneia (sexual immorality).

1 Peter 2:11 Dear friends, I urge you as strangers and exiles to abstain from sinful desires that wage war against the soul. Dating is NOT marriage, so don't pretend like it is.
The concept of a Christ-follower not being "unequally yoked" (2 Corinthians 6:14) should apply to dating.

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