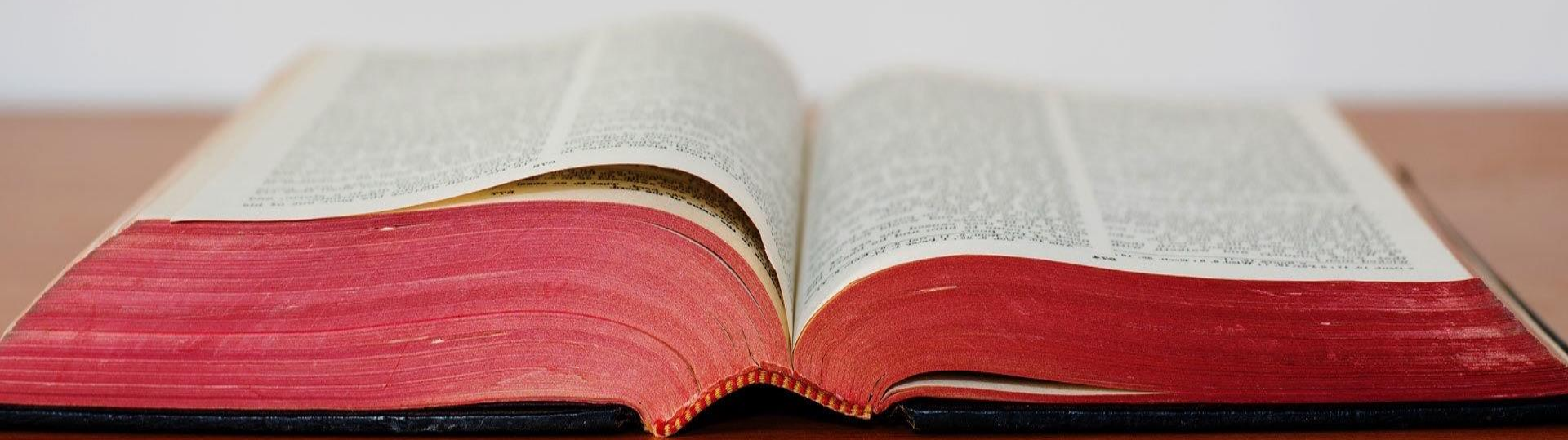
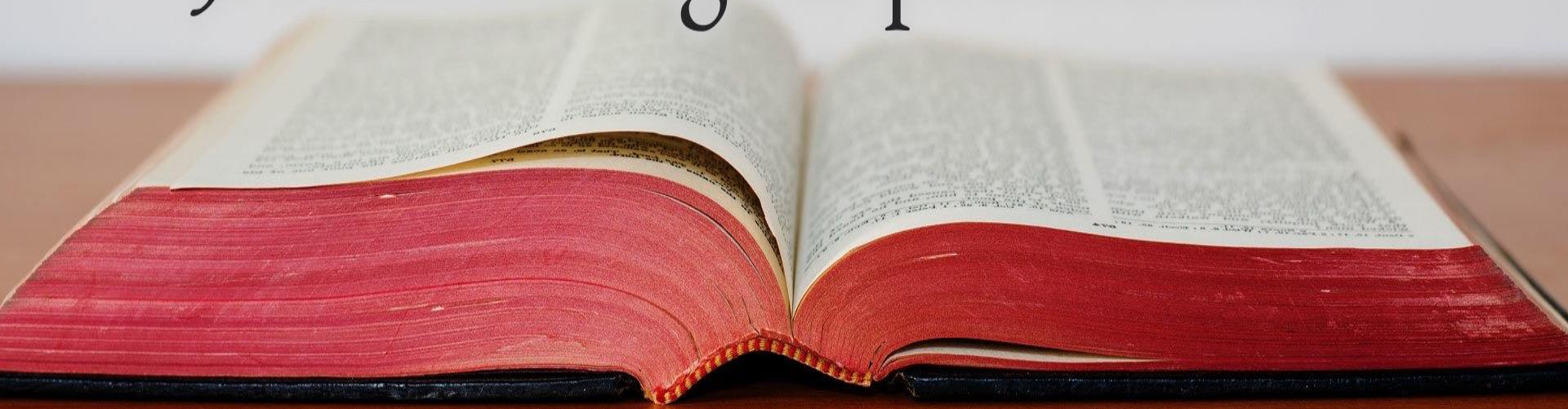


# Marriage, Divorce & Remarriage

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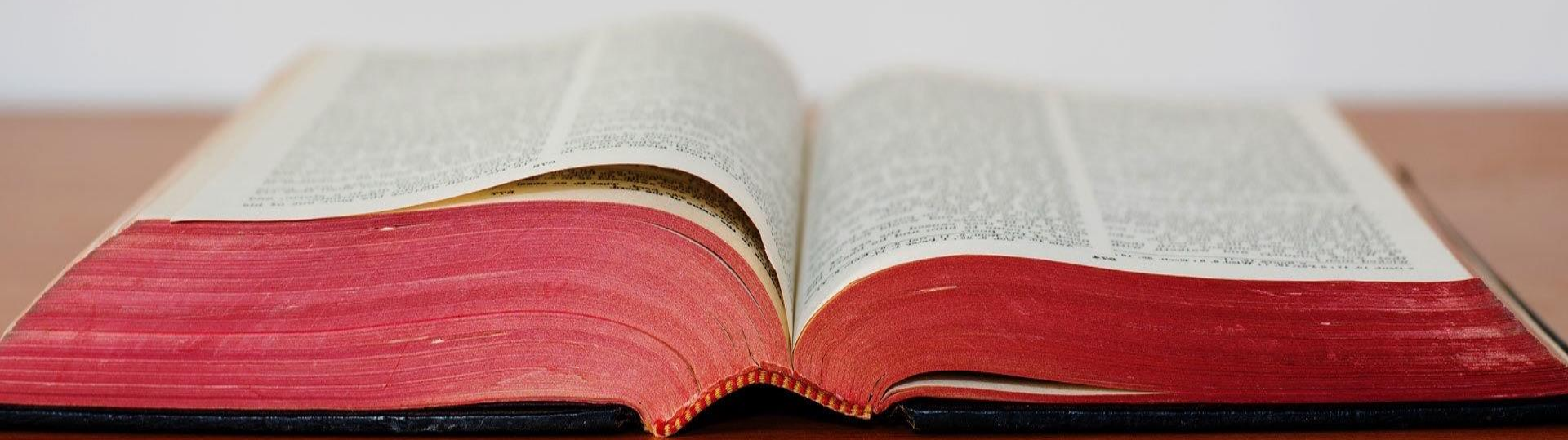


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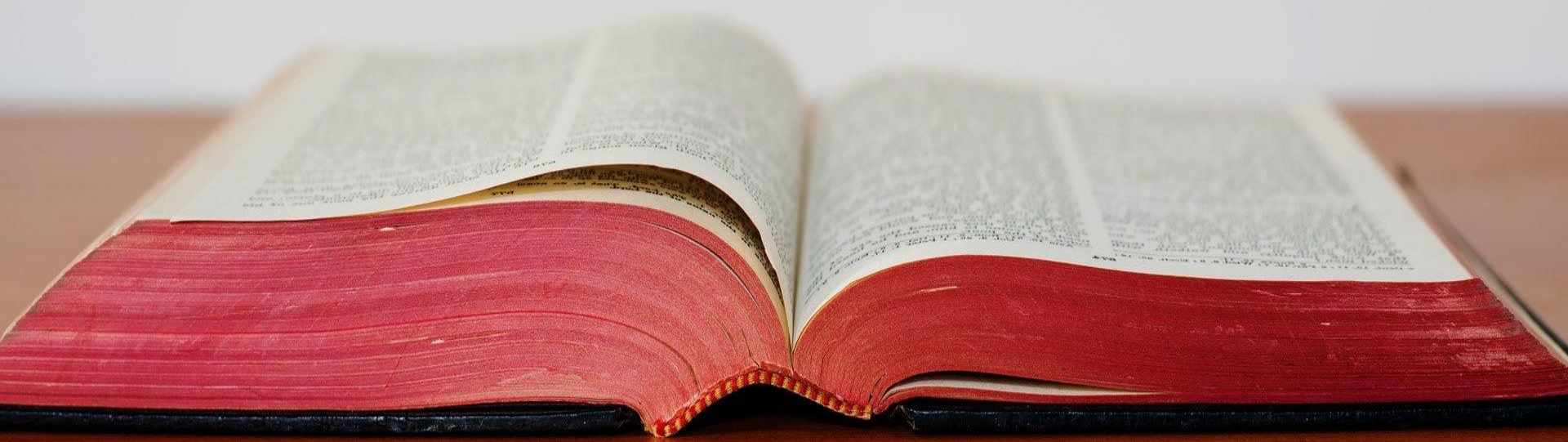


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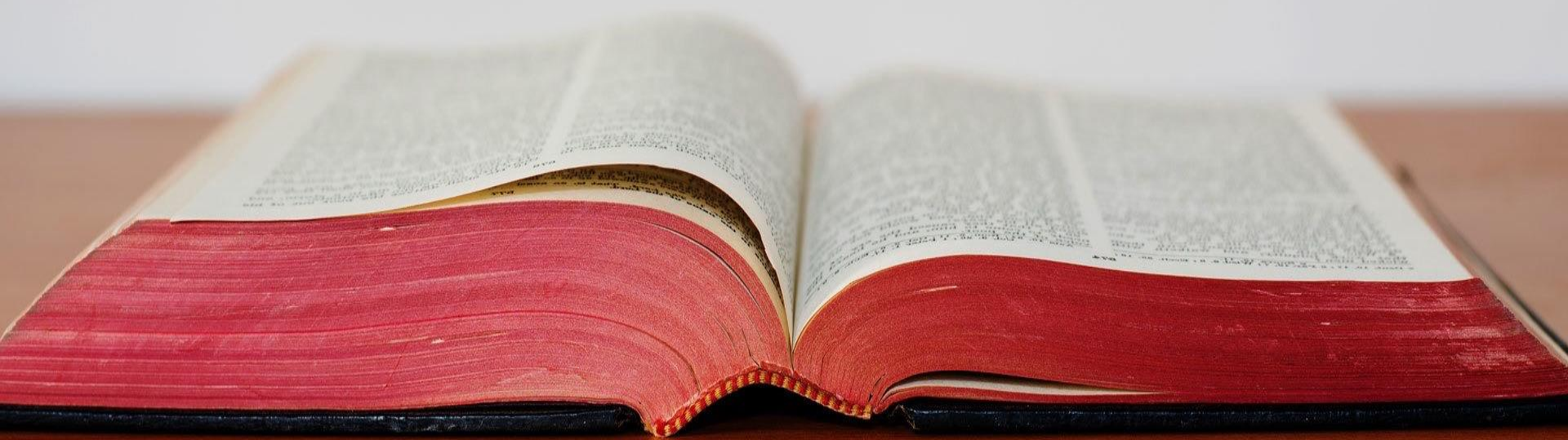
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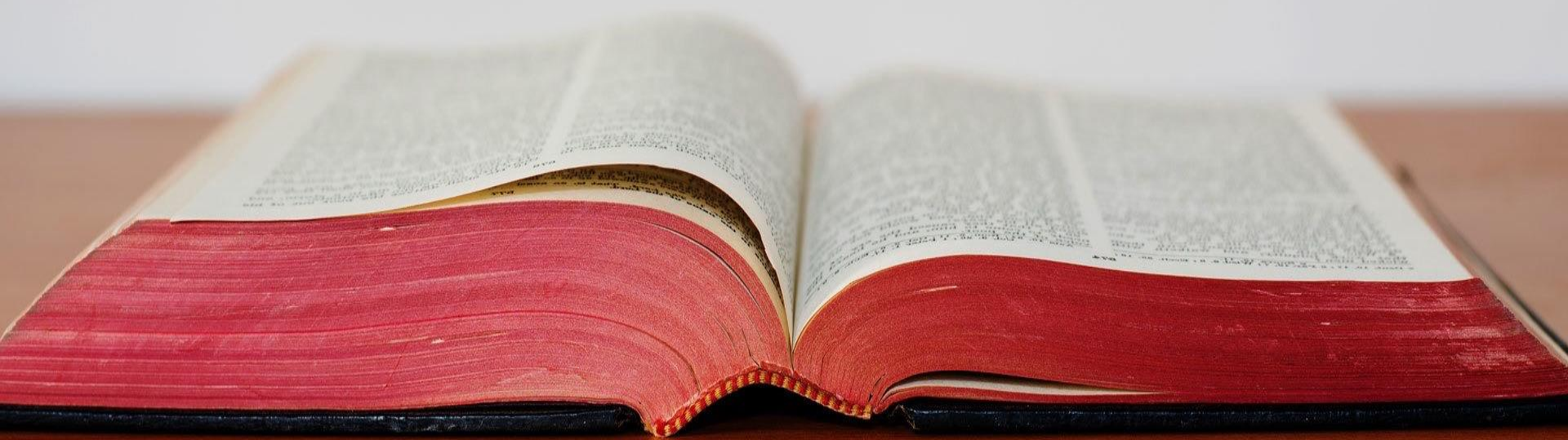
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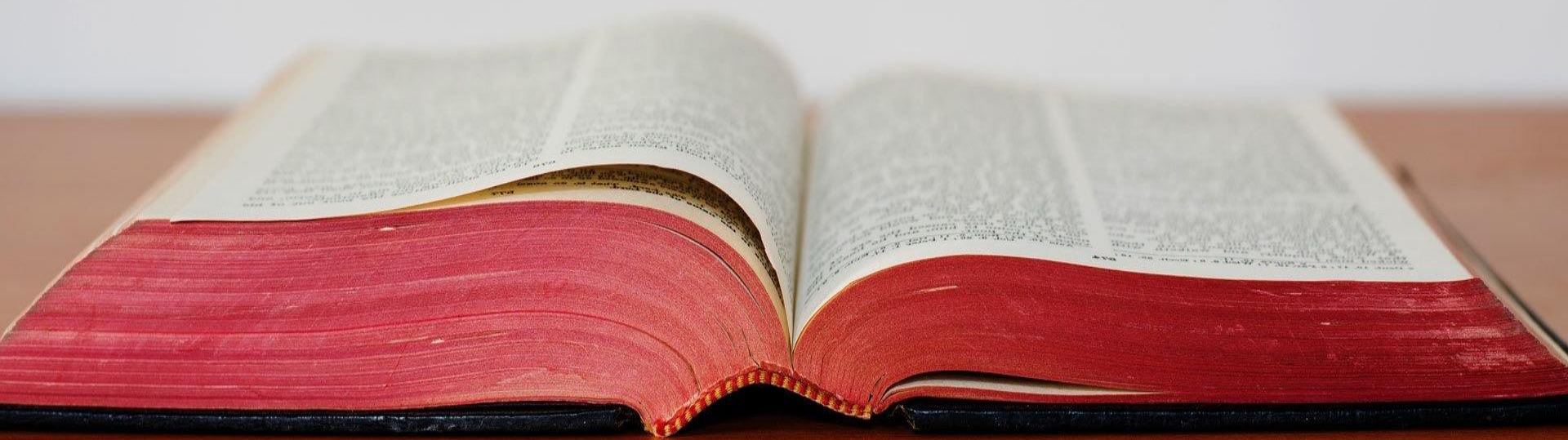


# Why Marriage Matters To God

Because It Typifies God's Relationship With Us



# Scripture Only Re-Emphasizes Why Marriage Matters To God





For this reason a man shall leave his father and his mother, and be joined to his wife; and they shall become one flesh.

**GENESIS 2:24**

NASB



“When a man takes a wife and marries her, and it happens that she finds no favor in his eyes because he has found some indecency in her, and he writes her a certificate of divorce and puts it in her hand and sends her out from his house,

**DEUTERONOMY 24:1–4**

NASB



and she leaves his house and goes and becomes another man's wife,

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and if the latter husband turns against her and writes her a certificate of divorce and puts it in her hand and sends her out of his house, or if the latter husband dies who took her to be his wife,

**DEUTERONOMY 24:1–4**

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then her former husband who sent her away is not allowed to take her again to be his wife, since she has been defiled; for that is an abomination before the LORD, and you shall not bring sin on the land which the LORD your God gives you as an inheritance.

**DEUTERONOMY 24:1–4**

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*"Yet you say, 'For what reason?'  
Because the LORD has been a witness  
between you and the wife of your  
youth, against whom you have dealt  
treacherously, though she is your  
companion and your wife by covenant.*

**MALACHI 2:14–16**

NASB



“But not one has done so who has a remnant of the Spirit. And what did that one do while he was seeking a godly offspring? Take heed then to your spirit, and let no one deal treacherously against the wife of your youth.

**MALACHI 2:14–16**

NASB



“For I hate divorce,” says the LORD, the God of Israel, “and him who covers his garment with wrong,” says the LORD of hosts. “So take heed to your spirit, that you do not deal treacherously.”

**MALACHI 2:14–16**

NASB



“And I say to you, whoever divorces his wife, except for immorality, and marries another woman commits adultery.”

**MATTHEW 19:9**

NASB

but I say to you that everyone who divorces his wife, except for the reason of unchastity, makes her commit adultery; and whoever marries a divorced woman commits adultery.

**MATTHEW 5:32**

NASB



And He said to them, "Whoever divorces his wife and marries another woman commits adultery against her; and if she herself divorces her husband and marries another man, she is committing adultery."

**MARK 10:11–12**

NASB



“Everyone who divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery, and he who marries one who is divorced from a husband commits adultery.

**LUKE 16:18**

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How Do You Want God To Honor His  
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