

The Glory of Marriage
Genesis 1:26-28

- I. Introduction: Why marriage matters
 - A. Some alarming statistics about marriage
 - B. The debate in evangelical circles
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- II. The creation of man: Three crucial questions
 - A. Why are there two creation accounts about man?
 - B. Why does God speak in the plural?
 - C. What does it mean to be created in God's image?
 - 1. The answer of systematic theology
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- III. Unity in diversity: Man's reflection of the Triune God
 - A. Man is A reflection of God in relationship
 - 1. The ontological trinity
 - 2. The economic trinity
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