

Cornerstone Community Fellowship

The Truth About Divorce (5/4/25)

A. BACKGROUND (*Mark 10:1*)

1. *“Jesus left that place” –*
2. *“across the Jordan” –*

B. THE CONFRONTATION (*Mark 10:2-4*)

1. *“Pharisees came and tested Him” –*
2. *“Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife?” –*

TWO VIEWS ON “INDECENT”

- a. Rabbi Shammai –
 - b. Rabbi Hillel –
3. *“What did Moses command you?” –*

C. THE ANSWER (*Mark 10:5-9*)

1. The hardness of your hearts
 - a. *“because your hearts were hard” –*

2. God's view of marriage

(KEY PRINCIPLE-one man and one woman)

a. LEAVE –

b. CLEAVE –

c. WEAVE –

D. THE FOLLOW UP (*Mark 9:10-12*)

1. “*Anyone who divorces his wife*” –

2. “*commits adultery against her*” –

3. The exceptions

a. marital unfaithfulness (*Matthew 19:7-10*)

- Violates the one man/one woman covenant.
- Must be unrepentant to divorce.

b. unbeliever wants to leave (*1 Cor 7:12-16*)

THE POINT – There is a lawful way to divorce and remarry and an unlawful manner as well.

THE WARNING – *Hebrews 13:4*