



# The Ministry Minute

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## September 2011 Update

### Fall Getaways: Your Chance to INVEST in Your Marriage and Future

There has been a lot in the news of late about the stock market. Many are concerned about their investments and how they are doing. It is certainly wise to be careful about the finances God has entrusted to us.



**QUESTION:** Can you honestly say that you (as a husband or wife) have spent time in the last month or two carefully planning and investing in your most precious earthly relationship—your marriage? I (Glen) can honestly tell you that it has been two years since Shawn and I have gotten away for our own Weekend to Remember Getaway—and we are OVERDUE! We are currently looking at our schedule to figure out where and when we can make time to get to a Getaway.

What about you? When was the last time you attended a Weekend to Remember? Some of you reading this have NEVER attended. Shawn and I have enclosed a small brochure listing this Fall's Weekend to Remember Getaway dates and locations. Take a moment to sit down TOGETHER and plan for your own Getaway. You can get a complete listing of dates and locations at <http://www.familylife.com/weekend>—once there just click on “Dates and Locations”.

Here's the bottom line: We want you, as a couple to make a habit of getting away to invest in your marriage. We would love for you to attend a Weekend to Remember or Art of Marriage, but there are many good solid, biblical marriage retreats out there. Go online. Find one that works for you and sign up. You will not regret your time together!!

**REMINDER:** In January of 2011, we mailed a Ministry Partner Certificate to those of you who support us financially. This allows you or another couple of your choosing to register for a Weekend to Remember Getaway for only \$78/couple. Please use yours to register for a Getaway this Fall or next Spring or give it away to another couple. If you have lost or misplaced your certificate, please just call or email us and we'll get you another one.

**SPONSORING A COUPLE:** If you would like to sponsor another couple to attend, please contact us by phone or email.

### COURAGEOUS: Must-See Movie for all Families—September 30th!!



The pastor of the church we attend here in Little Rock recently asked the question, “Can one church really make a difference?” Well, if you think the answer to that question is NO, then you might want to think again!

Sherwood Baptist Church and Sherwood Pictures are debuting their 4th movie called **Courageous** on September 30th (they also made *Fireproof*, *Facing the Giants*, and *Flywheel*). And as good as those movies are, this may be their best yet!

Shawn and I and the kids had the real honor of seeing this movie when we were at Campus Crusade Staff Training in Colorado in July. Every father should see this movie—and bring his family with him. You will not be disappointed!

Go online to <http://www.courageousthemovie.com> and find a theatre near you. Then go out opening weekend on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday to see the movie. It was so good, we will see it AGAIN that weekend!!

#### September Verse:

Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights. Who does not change like shifting shadows. He chose to give us birth through the word of truth, that we might be a kind of firstfruits of all He created.

**James 1:17-18**

#### Join us in giving our Lord praise for:

- Homeschool: A very good start on Aug. 1st for Shawn and the kids this year—that they would continue to do their best each day and Shawn would have joy as she guides them!
- As FamilyLife ended its fiscal year on Aug. 31, we give thanks for 60,000 people attending a Weekend to Remember with more than 2,100 of them indicating Salvation decisions!
- Since being launched in Feb. of 2011, there have been 1200+ Art of Marriage (AOM) Events. From AOM Host feedback, we estimate that at least 90,000 people have attended in all 50 states AND 15 countries outside the US! Thank You, Lord!!!

#### Join us in praying to our Lord God for:

- FamilyLife Leadership: For God's Wisdom as we begin our new fiscal year FY12. That God would be bringing couples from all over the US to join us as HomeBuilders in their neighborhood and city!
- Red River Team: God's wisdom as we strategize for the new fiscal year of 2012—postponed in August and now happening THIS month in September.
- Art of Marriage: For 75 or more couples to register to attend an Art of Marriage event that our home church will be hosting in Little Rock on Nov. 4th and 5th.
- Travel Safety: For Shawn as she travels to visit and enjoy a long weekend with a girlfriend, Sept 8-12.
- Daily Keeping Our Priorities: God first, Marriage second, Family third, and Ministry activities after that.

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