

Family Council

Family Education Videos on “Marital Happiness and Harmony” — Ingredients of Marriage

Episode 1: Entrée to Marriage

Video’s Transcript

- Chef Moustachio : Every marriage starts off sweet.
Why does it slowly turn bland and tasteless?
My private kitchen is to help
put some flavour back into everyone’s marriage.
- Bobo : Wow! They look so lovely!
- Chris : Not as much as you!
- Chef Moustachio : You two are sweeter than my cakes.
You don’t need me to make sweets for you, do you?
- Bobo : Surely we do!
I made my fiancé here today
to try your famous chocolate lava cake.
- Chris : So yum!
- Bobo : Simply delectable!
My friends must be envious of me.
- Chris : What?
What’s the matter?
- Bobo : How about ordering for our wedding reception
from Chef Moustachio for 10 of these cakes per table?
- Chris : That takes an order of 200 cakes!
It’s free, isn’t it?

Bobo : The reception is so important,
but you haven't been on any of it.
All you say is, "You call the shot!"
From picking the wedding dress, photographer and hotel,
to making ready the invitations, cake vouchers, the date for it,
the choice of what the bridesmaids and groomsmen will wear
and whether a male or a female civil marriage celebrant.
I am totally on my own!

Chef Moustachio : Bobo, come over here with Chris.
Behold!

It takes lots of preparations to tie the knot.
The wedding is one of the major parts,
but it is just for a single night.
However, marriage is for life!
Which one is the entrée? Which one is the main?

Bobo & Chris : He is the main!

Chef Moustachio : You should first get well-prepared for what is for life!

Bobo & Chris : What sort of preparation?

Chef Moustachio : Get your heart and mind prepared!

Take this chocolate lava cake for example.
It needs a well-done core inside to make the bite delectable!

Want more?
Let's hear what the other expert has to say.

Expert : There are 4 premarital heart-and-mind preparations
for your reference.
First, a delectable marriage requires cooking

by the husband and wife together.

Second, don't ever just bet on the other half for happiness.
Both should make the best effort to please each other.
Eventually, your marriage will surely be happy!

Third, you may not always like everything about the other
for what he or she says, does or thinks about certain things.
But you'll still always be loving,
caring and praying for each other!

Fourth, trust is paramount in marriage.
Whatever your spouse does,
even if turning out to be no good,
choose to believe that
he or she intended to do you good.

Remember, on these 4 points,
married couples must work together in practice to make them work.

Chris : There is really a lot to learn about the ingredients of marriage.

Bobo : Let's learn how to be the masters together!

Chef Moustachio : Honestly, marriage calls not for being masterful
but, above all, being faithful!

Honour your marriage and season it with love.