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A Marriage Prep (and Enrichment) Program for Middle-Age and Older Couples

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1. Are middle-aged and older couples different from younger ones? Do they have different marriage prep needs?
2. How can we best prepare middle-aged and older couples for the sacrament of marriage?
3. Do marriage enrichment programs for middle-aged and older couples need to be different?

Dr. Johnson describes an entirely new perspective of how we can successfully prepare middle-aged and older couples for marriage. He begins with a clear outline of how maturing couples use their individual personalities that they bring into the relationship in a more differentiated way than younger couples do. He identifies the six marriage "essentials" for a happy, healthy & holy marriage for maturing adults, as well as what he calls the marriage "eroders" and "evaporators" of marriage solidarity. He concludes with ways marriage can be elevated onto a spiritual plane.

Dr. Richard Johnson is nationally recognized for his pioneering work in Maturing Adult Faith Formation and Spiritual Gerontology. He has taught hundreds of maturing adult ministry leaders. In one of his recent books charts a refreshing and compelling new course for faith formation for maturing adults.

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