

Card-Deal Questions on the Christian Vision of Marriage

Cut these questions apart and attach them to index cards to create a deck of cards.



1. What are the vows made in the Sacrament of Matrimony?	6. Why is premarital sex morally wrong?
2. In what ways are a husband and wife united in love in a marriage?	7. Why is artificial birth control morally wrong?
3. How does the Holy Spirit empower the husband and wife in the Sacrament of Matrimony?	8. Why is natural family planning considered a morally acceptable means of responsibly spacing children in a marriage?
4. What is the nuptial or unitive meaning of sexuality in a marriage?	9. What are three means of artificial birth control?
5. What is the procreative or generative meaning of sexuality in a marriage?	10. What does it mean when the Church declares a marriage officially null?



11. What is adultery, and why is it a sin against fidelity in a marriage?	16. Identify one means of artificial conception, and describe why it is morally wrong.
12. How does adultery harm the two people committing this sin and others around them?	17. What is surrogate motherhood, and why is it a serious moral offense?
13. What is polygamy, and why is it condemned by moral law?	18. Name the Church documents, and their authors, that guide us in understanding the purpose of sexuality in marriage.
14. Why does Jesus teach that divorce is a sin?	19. Which document gives us the Church's first official teaching prohibiting artificial birth control?
15. Why is cohabitation, or living together, a sin against the dignity of marriage?	20. According to the document <i>Instruction on Respect for Human Life in Its Origin and on the Dignity of Procreation (Donum Vitae)</i> , what fundamental principle should be at the heart of all moral issues raised by artificial birth control and artificial conception?

