

"He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds." Psalm 147:3

After The Rain Biblical Premarital/Marriage Counseling & Discipleship Program

After the Rain Ministries offers an Intensive Premarital/Marriage Counseling & Discipleship Program for those who desire to receive deep healing within and to be equipped as a fruitful child of God to share the Gospel and encourage others in their walk with Christ. This Program is extremely supportive, it consists of meeting with our Highly Qualified and Trained Counselors that walk in the love and power of God's Truth. All of our Counselors are Ordained Ministers of the Gospel, skilled and relatable for one to feel safe to open up to and process through the pains and struggles of life.

We can only give away what we have healed from and experienced within our own heart. As you receive your own healing with the Lord, you will be equipped and taught how to encourage and support others simultaneously as seeds are being sown and watered within the garden of your own heart; enabling you to give away what you have attained from the Lord. He is the vine, and we are the branches. Without connection to Him, we can do nothing. (John 15:1-11)

Our Premarital/Marriage C&D Program emphasizes in processing through current challenges that are hindering the relationship, systematically going through belief systems that are dictating the quality of the marriage, giving opportunity to allow Jesus to heal the wounds that are dictating your now and future together, and providing communication tools to grow in intimacy with God and each other.

This Program will consist of:

- 16, 50-minute Counseling Sessions
- Assigned Bible Readings
- Accountability and Instructive Solution Based Communication
- 12 Workshop Teachings of Biblical Life Principles along with Workbook Readings & Study
- 9 Workshops of your Gospel Identity in Christ
- Tools to Grow in Intimacy with God and Each Other

The **Counseling sessions** will be with your Counselor (on-line) that consist of a process where we take a deeper look at the things in our life that caused us pain and process through them systematically. This biblical healing process is one of working toward healing within, by looking at the past, revisiting old wounds from a young age through adulthood. We address what is in the heart that has caused deep seeded pain and now is producing corrupt fruit. We then assess the rooted issues that have caused unhealthy belief systems, harmful coping mechanisms and a life apart from the light of God's Word.

The **Discipleship** consist of walking hand in hand through the daily processes of life while growing deeper into the Revelation of the Power of God through the Word of God; empowering disciples to live in a constant state of their inheritance as children of God in the midst of a fallen world. We provide specific scripture passages and hand picked books that teach our Disciples the importance of their Intimacy with God, the Wisdom found in Daily Disciplines, their Gospel Identity, understanding the value of Intercession and the Baptism of the Holy Spirit, and assisting the Unveiling of the Call Upon their Lives. The Disciples DEVOTED themselves to the apostles' teaching, the fellowship, the breaking of bread, and to prayer (Acts 2:42). Our Disciples do the same!

The Workshop Teachings, Reading Assignments, Workbooks & Worksheets are to help guide and challenge the counselee to Excel and Launch into their Calling and Purpose from the Lord in who He has created them to be. God says we are Created with a Purpose and for a Purpose. (Ephesians 2:8-9)