

**Lesson 16- Sexual Issues in Marriage**

- A. Sex and its purpose
  
- B. Sexual difficulties
  - 1. Physial problems
  
  - 2. Psychological problems
  
  - 3. Level of ignorance
  
  - 4. Relationship factors
  
- C. Sexual abuse
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- D. Factors contributing to relational difficulties
  - 1. Unresolved history
  
  - 2. Communication issues
  
  - 3. Male and female differences are not understood by the couple
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- E. Resources for sexual abuse

F. Helping people wrestle with sexual difficulties

1. Frequency

2. Children

G. Dave Carder and *Close Calls*

1. Childhood magic

2. Adolescent sexuality

3. Adult mobility

H. Miscellaneous issues

**Questions to Consider:**

1. What are some differences men and women experience in sexual relating and intimacy?
2. Why are sexual issues, money issues, parenting issues, and in-law issues so challenging?
3. Define childhood magic, adolescent sexuality, and adult mobility.