

Austin, TX Top Ten Comments

June 3-5, 2016

Attendance: 551

Holy Spirit: 76

Recommit: 83

Salvations: 9

My wife and I both decided that this was our last resort in our marriage. If this doesn't work we will sign papers. We have both decided to make it work. This has opened our eyes and showed us that through God anything is possible.

Weekend to Remember was our last resort for hopefulness in our 8-year relationship. We were ready to sign divorce papers if this didn't work. By the grace of God, the right people were here to pray for us, to show us inspiration, but most importantly to open our eyes to God. We now have a plan for our marriage with God being the center of it.

Married 6 years

My husband and I have been married for 2.5 years. The word "oneness" really spoke to me . . . I'm going to drop the hyphen from my last name (maiden name-his name) and now take his name and officially be one!

Married 2.5 years

It was enlightening and life-changing. After 15 years of marriage, we needed this. Military life is hard enough, we have to remember we're not each other's enemies.

Married 15 years

It was good to be reminded about how much more important my marriage is than just my happiness. It's more about showing His glory to our peers and leaving a legacy.

Married 23 years

Prior to the event, I had a strong marriage. My wife and I had some conflict and overarching issues, but we felt like a strong couple. Through the projects, things have come out that are hurtful and will take time, commitment, and frankly, Christ to overcome. Our marriage took a step back, but I believe that it's only to take a larger leap forward from here, to grow closer and fix some of our pain points instead of ignoring them.

Married 11 years

We loved the projects, talking through the questions and going through those healthy exercises. Thank you for including date night! We also loved being here before we had kids so that we can start intentionally praying and thinking how we want our family to look.

Married 2 years

Your ministry has blessed us tremendously. Thank you! There is hope for a broken marriage. Our story is a story of 2 very imperfect people coming together with TONS of baggage. Our marriage began with secrets and deceit and our first WTR in 2009 played a critical role in breaking the chains of deceit. This led us down a very difficult path of confession, repentance, and rebuilding trust. Fast forward 7 years to 2016 – we are returning to the WTR looking back with gratitude for all God has restored and healed in our marriage (infidelity, deceit, addictions, unforgiveness, infertility, sickness and death).

Married 8 years

It gave us a seed of hope and actual desire to seek restoration and healing – we have been truly hanging by a thread – I was dealing with anger and wrestling with God and felt done – but now I have hope and am willing to do what needs to be done with the help of God.

Married 42 years

I came into the first session and just wanted to have hope restored. I was desperate for God to show up. The Friday night sessions were hard. I couldn't see how the Saturday sessions were going to make a difference. The prayers offered up for breakthrough were answered. God healed wounds and changed our path from isolation to a path of oneness.

Married 21 years

This getaway helped tremendously! We have learned so much this weekend. Something that has impacted me the most is bringing God into ALL the aspects of our marriage, including our sex life. We never thought to pray over our bedroom. Thank you, FamilyLife. We WILL be back!

Married 1 year