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<p>Theme: Commitment</p>	<p>Date: 17 .02. 2012</p>
<p>Scripture: 1 Corinthians 12 v 31b And now I will show you the most excellent way...</p> 	<p>Comment: The most popular Bible reading at weddings is 1 Corinthians 13. "Love never fails" however, love must grow. Mutual attraction needs to grow friendship. Friendship needs to become partnership. The path will include obstacles which will definitely test commitment! The marriage vows we make are immense in their scope but they fit neatly inside the word LOVE. When did you last measure your marriage love by the famous definitions in this chapter? You could use the words from the final quote to express your love to each other all over again "I will always...."</p>
<p>Prayer (as a couple): Lord God, our love is strong but your definition of love is very challenging. Forgive us for sometimes being selfish and ungenerous with each other. Lord you will help us grow into the "most excellent way". It's not so much about words but about loving thoughts and actions – the details of choices every day. Please inspire us today and always Amen</p>	<p>Prayer (for others): Lord thank you for Marriage. Thank you that the vows which are made are big and not small. We pray for our families and friends as well as ourselves. We pray that we will all have the courage to strengthen our commitment to each other and our children by our thoughts, words and deeds. Resource us with your love always Amen</p>
<p>Final quote: I Corinthians 13 v 7 Love always protects always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres... Love never fails.</p>	

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