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Sermon Title: Extraordinary Husbands, Miraculous Fathers

Speaker: Richard Smith

Scripture text(s): Ephesians 5: 25, 28-29

- 1) Examine the effort you give to working at home to the effort of working at your job. Where are you putting most of your effort?
- 2) Richard defined agape love as selfless and sacrificial. What does your love for your wife look like? Is it becoming more agape over time?
- 3) How often do you pray about loving your wife and family better?
- 4) Richard gave these two questions to ask yourself: (1) How can I love my wife as she's never been loved before? (2) How can I love my wife as no one ever will? Richard used the 1 Corinthians 13 passage to remind us that we can't love well without the Savior. Examine your heart as you read this passage keeping in mind what Richard said, "If you're not loving well, you've taken your eyes off the cross."
- 5) In what ways are you living for the glory of God and laboring for the joy of your spouse?