

Questionnaire: Temperaments

Please write out your own thoughts privately before sharing them with your future spouse.

1. After listening to the talk describing Temperaments, are you able to discern which is your predominant temperament? What do you think is your fiancé's predominant temperament? Discuss, consider and draw a conclusion for each of you. Thank God for the way he hard-wired you!

2. Looking at the description in your binder, what do you think is your primary strength as a _____ temperament?

Your primary weakness?

Share with your fiancé...ladies first.

3. Other talks this weekend will assist you in communicating better as a couple but knowing your temperament can be revelatory and very helpful in promoting healthy communication. How compatible are your temperaments? Are you similar or complementary?

4. Look at your parents. Can you see yourself in your mother/your father? Based on these thumbnail descriptions, what would you say are their temperaments and how do their respective temperaments affect your communication style?

5. Some temperaments can predispose an individual to certain characteristics BY NATURE, ie to be more intuitive and better listeners, or to be more cheerful and people-minded. List three to four characteristics about your fiancé's temperament that you admire and why.

6. How do I define respect? Name a specific quality of my future spouse that is easy to respect, and one that is harder to respect?

7. What are some of the greatest differences between us? How can I value these differences as ways that we complement each other, instead of seeing them as things that need to be "fixed"?