

# “MARRIAGE RETREAT 2017”



## Heart-To-Heart News

**Stronger Together - Marriage Retreat 2017**— For 22 Years Bishop Larry J. and First Lady Margaret Dennison, have given of their time, talents and resources to spend three days with the married couples of Compassionate Outreach Ministries.

This year’s agenda was fun-filled, informational, educational, and best of all, romantic. Quality time with your spouse is essential for maintaining and sustaining a healthy, happy and heavenly relationship. We learned that “Marriage can be fulfilling and challenging at the same time. But no matter where you are in your relationship, it is important to remember that God loves you and has a good plan for your life”. In almost 40 years of marriage, Bishop Larry & First Lady Margaret Dennison have learned so much, and they have tons of wisdom to share from their journey. We received Joyce Meyer’s 4 tips to a great marriage, and watched T.D Jakes’ video on “He-motions” and received wonderful encouraging instruction on “How does the two become one” from Dr. Joseph and First Lady Braswell of Joseph Braswell Ministries.



These were three days of focused and in-depth spiritual and marital relationship-building. Bishop and First Lady gave the couples a Daily Prayer:

“Lord, I choose to forget what lies behind me, and I press on to all the blessings that You have for my spouse and me today. I will love my spouse more today than I did yesterday. You have already forgiven me for yesterday, and I forgive my partner for any offense I may have felt before today. I will not let what happened in the past destroy the affection and loving attention I can give to my partner today.”

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