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As you begin your new relationship as husband and wife and set out to enjoy your lives together, I want to charge you both concerning a few things which I hope will help you.

First, let me charge you to stay in church and be faithful to the Lord. Because when a couple doesn't have a proper relationship with the Lord, they will not have a proper relationship with one another.

Let me charge you both secondly to make it a matter of practice of doing everything you can together so you will develop a close relationship one with another and your love will grow one for another. When couples stop doing things together they get away from each other.

Then let me also charge you both to stay in communication with one another and learn to talk things over and work out whatever differences you may have. When couples stop sharing their feelings with one another it becomes impossible for them to work out the differences they have.

Finally, _____ and _____
Let me charge you to keep the vows which you have made to each other today. Marriage pictures the permanent and precious relationship which exists between Christ, who is the Bridegroom, and the church, which is His Bride. Therefore strive together to imitate that sacred union.