



"Learning the Language of Love: Let Love Do the Talking"

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I. Introduction

Definition	of	Dys	fun	ction

Dysfunction is when you make an attempt to communicate, you get farther away than when you started

II. How the Communication Breaks Down

A. Fear: We Fear Sharing Because We Believe Sharing Isn't Safe

B. Lack of Communication Skills

C. Overwhelming Experiences

D. Not Feeling Your/Their Desires Are Worthwhile

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II. How Do We Fix the Breakdown?
A. Learn to Listen
Problems:
-Invalidation
-Sorting by Self
B. Stop Lying
Definition: When you leave someone with a perception other than the truth
C. Be Direct
Ex. I think, I want, I like, I feel
D. Balance Grace and Truth

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Next Week on "Solutions"

"Learning the Language of Love: The Fine Are of Fighting"

Resources:

BOOKS:

Rescue Your Love Life

By Drs. Henry Cloud and John Townsend www.integritypublishers.com

How People Grow

By Drs. Henry Cloud and John Townsend www.zondervan.com

9 Things You Simply Must Do

By Dr. Henry Cloud www.integritypublishers.com

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