

MARRIAGE MATTERS

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NEXT STEPS

FALL FEST
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FOR THE CORN MAZE

Open Ended questions to ask each other when you feel like you're trapped in a corn maze and can't get out!

- **Who are your best allies and close friends right now? How have they or you changed?**
- **What do you find exciting in life right now?**
- **How has your outlook on life changed in the past two years?**
- **If you could wake up tomorrow with three new skills in which you excelled, what would they be?**

BEST IN SHOW

Whether you are wanting to see the biggest pumpkin in all of OC, getting the perfect pumpkin to carve, or are craving a wagon ride through the hay, OC has the greatest pumpkin patches to offer! Here's a list of the top patches to check out!

📍 **Tanaka Farms** — Irvine
Pick Pumpkins right off the vine with a true farm experience.

📍 **Irvine Park Railroad** — Orange
Take a ride on the train, see the Best In Show pumpkin, and go through a hay maze!

📍 **River Street Ranch** — San Juan Capistrano
Petting zoo, pony rides, and a rustic style pumpkin patch.

📍 **Hana Field** — Costa Mesa
Fresh flowers, pumpkins, corn maze, and a cow train.

P.S.L. SEASON

It's officially fall snack season and time for Pumpkin everything. We have mapped out the best places to get some of that fall flavor in your life. Make it a date to try one!

🍩 **Rye Goods** — Costa Mesa

What to Get?

Seasonal Squash Empanada. Warm and hearty and fully organic.

What's the vibe?

A fun and modern bakery specializing in organic pastries. Outdoor patio seating perfect for soaking in the transitional air.

☕ **Cederhouse Coffee** — Orange

What to Get?

The Great Pumpkin on their fall menu. Perfect balance of spicy and sweet.

What's the vibe?

Like you're a part of a 90's fall RomCom with vintage and warm decor tucked inside a historic home.

🥖 **Eller Bakery** — Costa Mesa

What to Get?

Pumpkin Cinnamon Roll

What's the vibe?

Sleek and minimalist bakery with sourdough pastries. Very bright natural light and a view of the bakery working their magic.

Contact the Marriage Team at marriage@marinerschurch.org with any questions about our ministry, getting marriage help, or ways to serve with us!



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A great marriage isn't something you suddenly find, it's something you build together."

— Doug Fields

BINGO

How it works:

Write down numbers, throw them in a hat, and pick out activities at random to do together that correlate with the number on the bingo set! Try to get 5 in a row by the end of the season! (Or try to fill the whole grid!)

1 Go Apple Picking	2 Get Dessert First!	3 Have an at home picnic	4 Try a new fall treat together
5 Go on a fall color hunt walk	6 Put phones away for 30 minutes	7 Listen to a song from your early days	8 Share a favorite autumn memory
9 Go to a Pumpkin Patch	10 Order each others go-to fall drink	11 Watch a cozy movie/TV show	12 Play a new board game
13 Get matching fluffy socks	14 Warm up your spouses car on a cold morning	15 Leave sweet post its for them around the house	16 Drive through the falling leaves

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