

Who defines Marriage?

- **God** defined marriage (Genesis 2). He did not leave it for humans to decide.
- **Moses and the prophets** explained the significance of God's definition. Everything outside God's definition is sin, perversion and depravity.
- **Jesus** affirmed God's definition and affirmed that the definition was actually from God (Matthew 19).
- **The apostles** affirmed the significance of God's definition, every time the issue came up. (It wasn't their purpose to simply re-quote the entire law and prophets, so some issues are not explicitly mentioned.)
- Since God has defined marriage (and through the prophets and apostles, has explained its significance), humans have no right to invent their own definitions.