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SUBJECT: Making Decisions Together: Some Practical Tips

When you’re married, there are tons of decisions to be made each week.

Decisions range from ones related to career, finances, household responsibilities, friends, activities, kids, religion, and more. The decisions you have to make as a couple are many—and that will never change.

That’s one of the beautiful things about marriage—you get someone to help you navigate all those tough decisions.

But sometimes all that decision making can put a strain on a marriage, can’t it?

Here’s today’s *Timeless Marriage Tip*:

**Take steps to keep decision making from weakening your marriage.**

What are some of the steps you can take? Let’s take a look.

1) Set aside time each week to discuss any upcoming decisions that need to be made.

2) When you and your spouse have a disagreement about a particular decision, DO NOT attack your spouse verbally. Listen to his/her opinion calmly.

3) Do not make major decisions (house or car purchase, for example) without getting input from your spouse.

4) When your spouse makes a decision you do not agree with, express your disagreement respectfully—but make sure to show love and support to your spouse.

What other steps can you take to minimize the stress of decision making?

Here’s to a better marriage,

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