

Steve & Lila Bayer

September in Little Rock is hot and humid. We're still having 95-100 degree

days. But, people are starting to wear jeans, sweaters and lots of fall colors—we're anxious for fall, so we're pretending it's here. As Christians, we may also need a real-

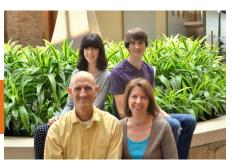
ity check. Are we wearing Christianity, but not living in fellowship with Christ? Or do we put on "busy-ness" and fail to reach out to others in need? Maybe we are wait-

ing for future joy, and not being joyful in this moment. Now is a good time to clean out our spiritual closet and see what we can do to move our relationship with Christ to

a deeper level. FamilyLife has podcasts, free on-line articles, and a host of resources to help you get re-connected with God. Let us know if you need help finding any-

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thing specific. We love and appreciate you!



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Personal Quick Links

Steve & Lila's Website

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From a Pastor's wife...

My husband and I love FamilyLife! As a pastor's family, they have been a tremendous support to us. 1 year ago April 15, we were separated, headed for a divorce. Thanks to God, counseling and [other FamilyLife events], our marriage is alive and well! We could not have done...this without the support you give pastors. We are eternally grateful.

~Pastor's wife, married 5 ½ years

"Breaking free from Busyness" on FamilyLife-Today Radio

Are you feeling overwhelmed with busyness? If so you'll want to hear about the radical steps one over-extended mother took to get out of the rat race and refocus on her family. *Family-Life Today* radio host Dennis Rainey and co-host Bob LePine talk with Joanne Craft about her family's relaxing and rejuvenating "year off" and share simple ways to guard your family from the constant temptation of busyness. <u>Listen</u> here!

Prayer Requests

- PRAISE that Marshall and Maddie's home school coop has gotten off to a great start. PRAY for them to do well at their studies & at their 5-week driving school (starts 9/29).
- PRAISE that we celebrated Maddie (14) and Marshall's birthdays this summer!
- PRAISE for you...for your prayers, financial partnership & your ongoing encouragement.
- PRAY for Lila as her knee continues to be problematic for her.
- PRAISE for your prayers that the reorganization at FamilyLife will progress and PRAY for the resulting impact, that we may increase ministry to millions around the world.

FamilyLife Quick Links

Weekend to Remember Marriage Getaway

Art of Marriage

Stepping Up

FamilyLife Today Radio

FamilyLife Video

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