

Eleventh Annual

# WORLDVIEW CONFERENCE

Biblical Training for Today's Culture

THE HIGH CALLING OF

*Marriage and Family*



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**DATE!**

**Saturday, March 8, 2025**

Belmont Bible Church / 5430 Belmont Rd. Downers Grove, Illinois

## FEATURING SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKERS:

### Dr. Brad Wilcox

Professor of Sociology & Director  
of the National Marriage Project  
at the University of Virginia



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### Scott Phelps

Founder & Executive Director  
of the Abstinence & Marriage  
Education Partnership

**Morning Sessions: 10:00 AM — 12:00 PM**

Session 1: **Dr. Brad Wilcox**, *Marriage and the Common Good: How the State of Our Union Depends Upon the State of Our Unions*

Session 2: **Scott Phelps**, *Inspiring Hope for America's Youth: The best way to restore a culture of marriage and family is to reach a new generation of American youth on the clear and objective benefits of marriage and family*

**Afternoon Sessions: 1:00 PM — 3:00 PM**

Session 3: **Dr. Brad Wilcox**, *The Closing of the American Heart: Why young adults are steering clear of marriage and family and what we can do to revive the fortunes of the family*

Session 4: **Scott Phelps**, *Helping Youth Embrace the Success Sequence: Rebuilding a culture of marriage and family requires that we provide our youth with a practical pathway toward future success*

\$15 per person / \$35 per family / Lunch is not included

A list of area restaurants will be provided PLUS a room for people who bring lunches will be made available.



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## DR. BRAD WILCOX

Dr. Wilcox, is Professor of Sociology and Director of the National Marriage Project at the University of Virginia, the Future of Freedom Fellow at the Institute for Family Studies, and a nonresident senior fellow at the American Enterprise Institute.

Professor Wilcox is the author of the recently released book, *Get Married: Why Americans Should Defy the Elites, Forge Strong Families and Save Civilization* (HarperCollins, 2024). In this book, Wilcox studies marital quality, marital stability, and the impact of strong and stable marriages upon men, women, and children.

His research on marriage and family life has been featured in CBS News, National Public Radio, National Review, NBC News, The Atlantic, The New York Times, The Wall Street Journal, and The Washington Post, among other media outlets. He also consults regularly with companies on fertility and marriage trends in the United States.

Professor Wilcox has a master's degree and a doctorate in sociology from Princeton University. His bachelor's degree in government is from the University of Virginia.

Professor Wilcox is the author and editor of six books, Wilcox has written for scientific journals such as *The American Sociological Review* and *The Journal of Marriage and Family*, as well as *The New York Times*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *The Atlantic*, and *National Review*. A Connecticut native, he now lives in Charlottesville, Virginia with his wife and family.

## SCOTT PHELPS

Scott Phelps has worked with youth in San Francisco and Chicago and each year speaks to thousands of teens around the country on the benefits of abstinence until marriage. He provides training seminars nationally to help educators and parents effectively communicate the message of abstinence to teens. His career is dedicated to helping today's teens to resist negative pressures and make good decisions for their lives.

Scott's presentation entitled "Future Freedom" is a one hour assembly presentation for grades 8-12 which provides students with a clear understanding of the benefits of saving sex for marriage through vivid word pictures, real life stories, and on stage student involvement.

Scott and his wife Carrie have four children and reside near Chicago. Scott holds a bachelor's degree from San Francisco State University and a Master's degree from Trinity International University in Deerfield, Illinois.

Scott is the author of *Aspire and Excel*, and the co-author of *A.C. Green's Game Plan and Navigator* published by Project Reality. Scott is the founder and executive director of the Abstinence & Marriage Education Partnership.

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