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THE TESTIMONY OF THE BEAUTY AND JOY OF MARRIAGE AND FAMILY

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PLACE OF RESIDENCE: **Melbourne - Australia**
MARRIED YEARS: **10 Years**
CHILDREN: **Luciana Maria Orjuela - Hernandez**
GRANDCHILDREN:
GREAT-GRANCHILDREN:

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WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE JUST MARRIED LOVE AND THE LOVE YOU FEEL NOW?

- When we got married everything was happiness and it was perfect we felt we were on top of the world and imagined our life was going to be like this forever, we still had a lot to discover from each other and we had many dreams and goals to be achieved; everything was new and every day was like a fairy tale. The love that we feel now it is more profound, it is transparent and we know each other a lot better after 10 years of marriage, we continue to learn from each other every day. We have become just one that cannot be apart from each other, we have achieved so many things together and we have learnt to love and respect each other the way we are, we feel blessed and we are thankful to God for letting us share our life.

- Cuando recién nos casamos todo era felicidad, todo era perfecto, todo era nuevo, nos sentíamos en la cima del mundo y nos imaginamos nuestra vida sería así por siempre. Teníamos mucho que descubrir y conocer de cada uno, también muchos sueños, metas por cumplir, todo era como un cuento de hadas. El amor que sentimos ahora es más profundo, es aún más transparente, y nos conocemos mucho mejor después de estar casados por 10 años, sabemos que este proceso nunca termina y continuamos aprendiendo el uno del otro todos los días. Nos hemos convertido en uno solo y no podemos estar lejos el uno del otro por mucho tiempo, hemos cumplido muchas de nuestras metas y hemos aprendido a respetarnos y a aceptarnos tal y como somos, nos sentimos bendecidos estamos agradecidos con Dios por permitirnos compartir nuestra vida juntos.

WHAT ARE THE VALUES AND ATTITUDES YOU THINK HAVE KEPT YOU UNITED AND HAPPY FOR SO MANY YEARS?

- Love.
- Faithfulness, unconditionally respecting and loving each other.
- Humbleness, always working hard to make the other one happy.

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- Trusting each other, never hiding things from each other and always telling the truth.
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- El amor.
- La fidelidad, respetándonos mutuamente amándonos incondicionalmente.
- La humildad, siempre con en la lucha constante de hacer feliz al otro.
- La confianza, sin ocultarnos nada y siempre decirnos la verdad.

MENTION TWO UNFORGETTABLE MOMENTS IN YOUR LOVE STORY.

- On our wedding day the moment we promised to love and respect each other in front of God.
 - The day our miracle daughter was born.
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- El día de nuestra boda, el momento que prometimos amarnos y respetarnos por toda la eternidad.
- El día que nació nuestra hija un milagro de Dios.

WHICH HAS BEEN THE MOST STAGE DIFFICULT IN YOUR MARRIAGE AND HOW DID YOU FACED IT?

- The most difficult stage in our marriage has been when we decided to have children and unfortunately lost all our pregnancies; it was a long and painful journey, we faced it by holding God's hand, we had faith and we supported each other all the way, we never gave up and continued loving each other and believing one day when God decided it was the right moment God would make us the happiest and proudest parents.
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- La etapa más difícil en nuestro matrimonio has sido cuando decidimos tener hijos, desafortunadamente perdimos todos nuestros embarazos; fue un camino largo y doloroso, pero lo enfrentamos cogidos de la mano de Dios, tuvimos fe y nos apoyamos mutuamente, nunca nos dimos por vencidos, y nos convencimos que un día, cuando Dios así lo decidiera, nos convertiríamos en los padres más felices y orgullosos.

SHARE WITH US, WHAT HAVE WORKED TO YOU TO KEEP YOUR MARRIAGE FOR SO MANY YEARS?

- Firstly trusting God and putting everything we do in God's hands, loving, trusting, supporting and respecting each other, and also despite the difficult moments we have faced, the good sense of humor has always existed in our home.
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- Primero confiando y poniendo todo lo que hacemos en manos de Dios, amándonos, apoyándonos y respetándonos y confiando el uno en el otro y a pesar de todos los momentos difíciles que hemos pasado el buen sentido del humor siempre ha existido en nuestro hogar.

THREE RECOMMENDATIONS (ADVICES) THAT YOU WANT TO MAKE TO THE NEWLYWEDS.

- Pray together.
 - Trust each other.
 - Always look for ways to make the other one happy, remember her/his happiness is always your happiness.
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- Oren en pareja
- Confíen el uno en el otro
- Luchen por hacer feliz al otro, recuerda que la felicidad de ella/ el es tu propia felicidad.

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