

The supreme Purpose of Marriage

"The supreme purpose of marriage is that husband and wife should help the other to enter the heavenly kingdom. Through their mutual love and their shared life, the two of them . . . are called to bring one another closer to Christ."

(Met. Kallistos Ware, forward to Marriage as a Path to Holiness: Lives of Married Saints, by David and Mary Ford)

How do each of us daily support the other in drawing near to Christ?