

Relationship Coaching

What couples say



Just do it. He's more than just a minister, and a great person. He is a counselor, adviser and he does an amazing ceremony. He even saved our marriage which almost did not happen.

*Joy and Ken, Riverview, FL
In person + video conference coaching*



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*Brittany and James, Charleston, SC
Video conference coaching*



I definitely recommend the coaching sessions. He is easy to talk with and brings to light any situations/decision-making you may have in the future, that you most likely are not thinking about or discussing now.

*Christian and Jared, Apollo Beach, FL
In person coaching*

From the coaching sessions (which, if anyone is on the fence about signing up for them, absolutely go for it! They were so helpful and enlightening for us as a couple), to the rehearsal where he took complete control and made us feel at ease, to the actual wedding day, he was amazing.

*Alison and Michael, St. Petersburg, FL
In person coaching*



We took part in his four premarital coaching sessions and they were amazing! He took the time to know us on a personal level, individually and as a couple. He truly cared about making our marriage work even after the wedding day. Most importantly, he gives very sound advice and helped us to start our marriage on a solid foundation.

*Joan and Chris, Gainesville, FL
Video conference coaching*



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What places him many steps beyond the average officiant, is that he possesses a set of intangibles that are more easily felt than described. In short, he listens, he is engaged, and he gives poignant advice that conveys a deep, spiritual profundity that very few possess. There is genuine wisdom to be found here.

The best advice I have for couples is that you should absolutely consider his relationship coaching. Only through thoughtful conversation and interacting that you will legitimately get to know each other; only then will the words spoken at your ceremony ring true with authenticity.

Like the marriage you will shortly be entering into, you will get out of these meetings what you put into them. You will doubtlessly be challenged and may even be compelled to reconsider longstanding beliefs you've held.

As a person who participated in this coaching, I am here to tell you that it is worth it. I have the utmost respect for Reverend DeArruda. He is the simply the best.

*Ali-Jae and Brandon, Washington, DC and San Francisco
Video conference coaching*



My husband and I took a relationship assessment provided to us as part of Michael's service agreement and, via Skype, discussed the results. We found this discussion so helpful that we actually engaged Michael further for three coaching sessions and through these sessions Michael was so helpful in helping my husband and I identify our strengths as a couple as well as what we can do to strengthen our areas of weakness.

The comfort that we developed with Michael was so strong that we felt as though he was a lifelong confidant and not someone we'd met just a few short months before (and only once in person).

Kerri and Scott, Chicago
Video conference coaching



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