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Becoming a Family that Heals

How to Resolve Past Issues and Free Your Future

August 2009, CAROL STREAM, IL – “He won’t talk or relate to us,” Amy Smith shares through tears about Bill, her husband of 15 years. “Our marriage is in trouble. The problems in our family seem so big that I just don’t know where to start.”

As Christian marital and family therapists for the past 30 years, Drs. Tom and Beverly Rodgers have worked with many families like the Smiths. These families feel desperate and overwhelmed, but there is hope for healing.

Tom and Bev know the feeling. Having both come from broken and hurting families, they realized they were bringing wounds from their respective families into their marriage. Because of the hurt and pain, they eventually developed the Soul Healing Love Model to help others begin healing relationships as well.

In their new book, *Becoming a Family that Heals: How to Resolve Past Issues and Free Your Future* (Focus on the Family/Tyndale House Publishers, September 2009), Bev and Tom take readers through the Soul Healing Love Model, which integrates psychological principles and biblical truths to help families move toward forgiveness and healing. Bill and Amy Smith’s story illustrates how these concepts work in every chapter.

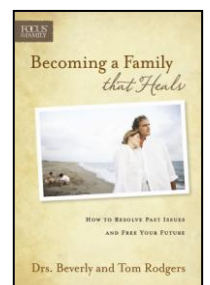
The book includes “Healing Homework”—exercises and questions that help readers work through their past hurts and begin new relational patterns in their families. Couples and families will learn to better understand each other and gain insight into their own and each other’s wounds, ending the cycle of family brokenness.

To schedule an interview with Tom and/or Bev, please contact Christy Wong at christywong@tyndale.com or 630.784.5389.

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Program Ideas:

Becoming a Family that Heals by Drs. Tom and Beverly Rodgers

- How to have the healthy family you never had
- How to resolve past issues and free your future
- Solving marital and family power struggles
- Keys to healthy, biblical parenting
- Surviving family storms
- Tips for healthy communication with your kids and teens
- Do opposites attract and is this a good thing?
- Traditional Family – Is the traditional family a thing of the past?