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We will get started in just a minute...

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- 6 thought-provoking principles
- Practical tips
- Relevant stories
- A handy dandy reference PDF
- Suggested follow-up resources





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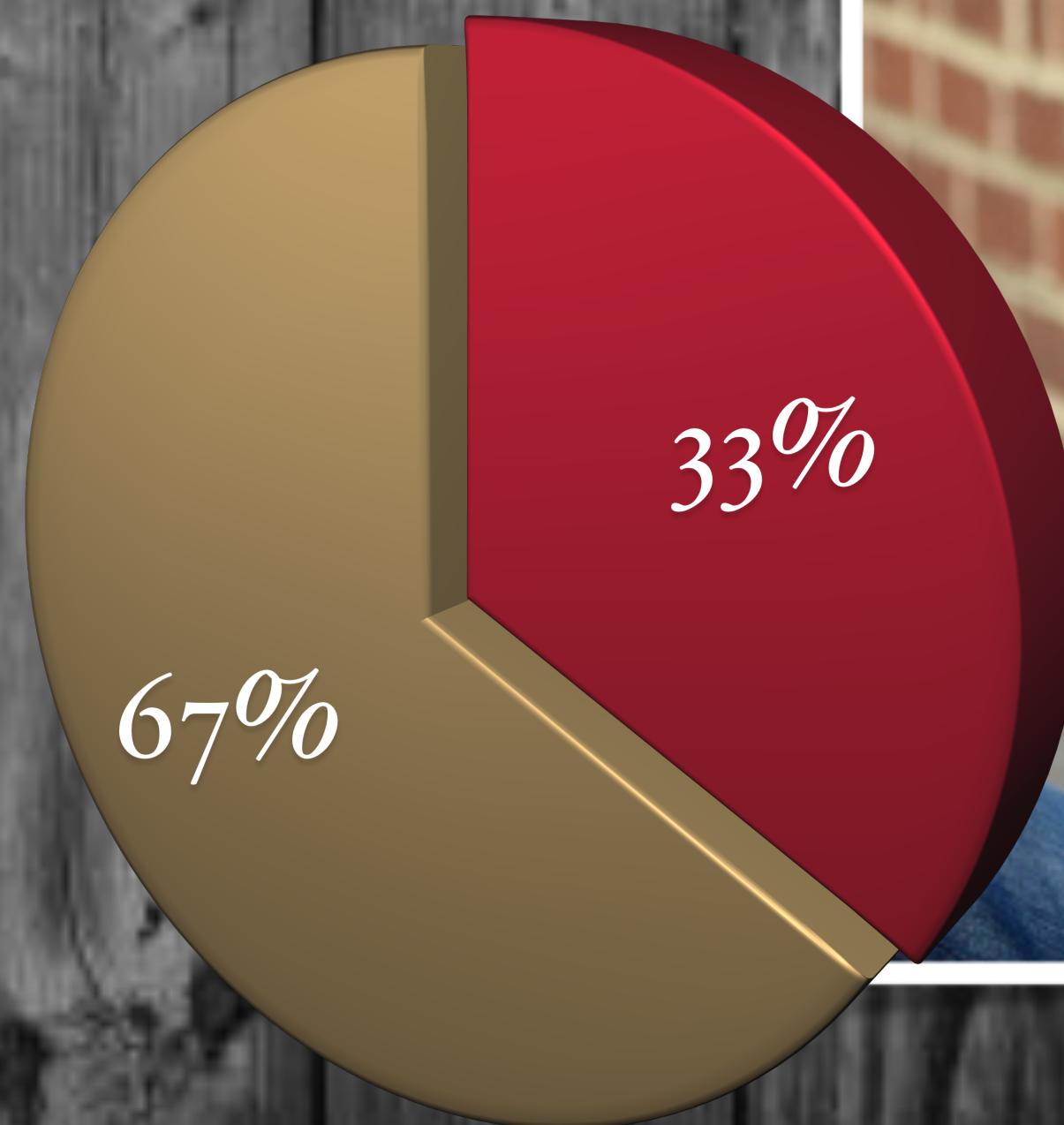
Some logistics

- Questions: type into chat
- Slides: will be available
- Recording: will be available*
- Prize: drawing at the end
- Speakers: contact info provided



Fatherhood in Crisis

- 24 million children live without their biological father
- 1 of every 3
- 18 million: no step dad either



Effects of Dad's Absence

- **7x↑** teenage pregnancy
- **2x↑** high school dropouts
- **4x↑** poverty
- **2x↑** obesity



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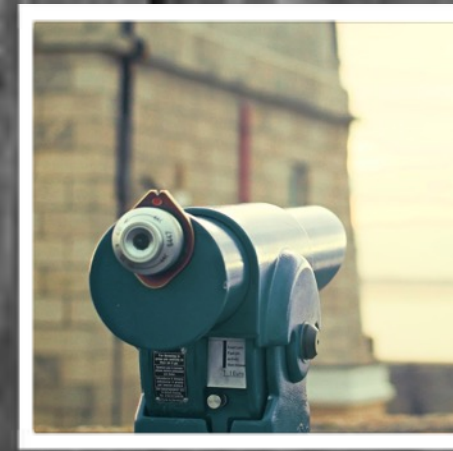
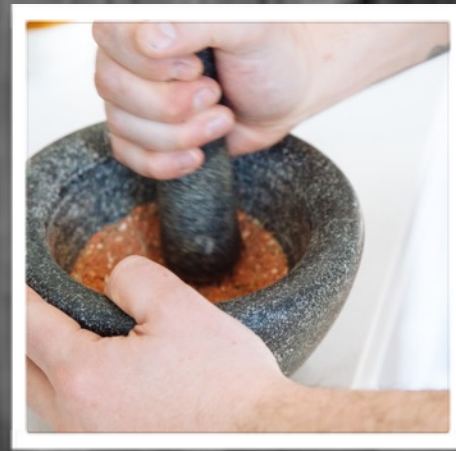
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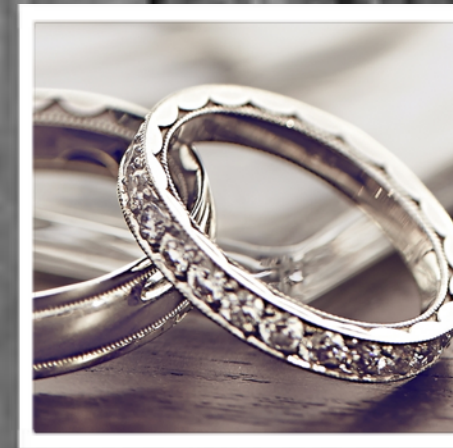
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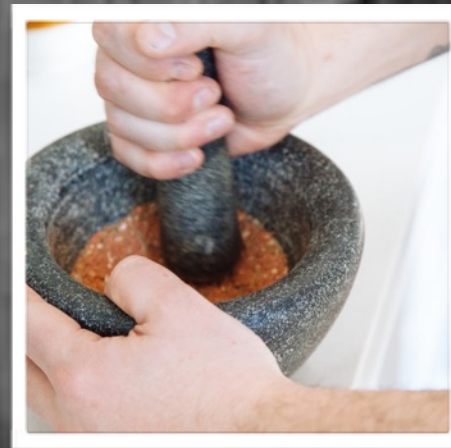
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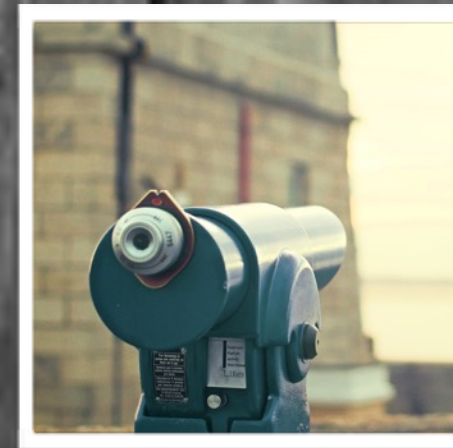
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- Don't sweep it under the rug
(*1 Kings 2*)
- Don't run from a crisis
(*1 Chronicles 11: 22-25*)
- Don't ever quit
(*2 Timothy*)



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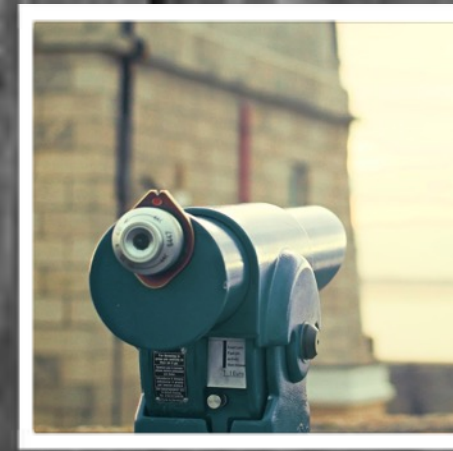
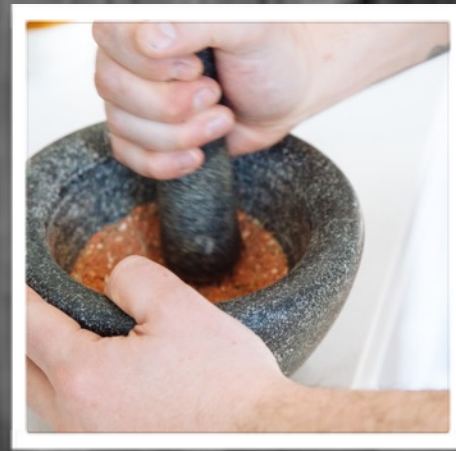
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- You're married. Awesome, now stay that way.
- Marriage is not about you.
- You're divorced? Okay, you're still a dad—so be a good one.



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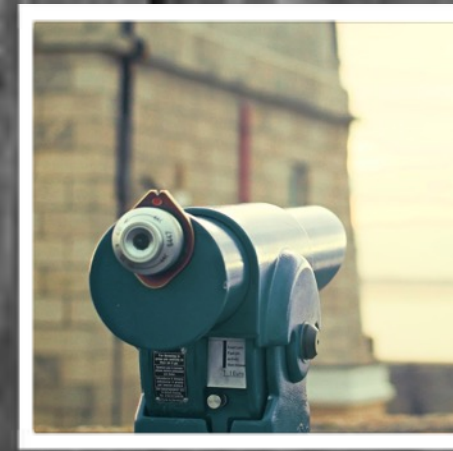
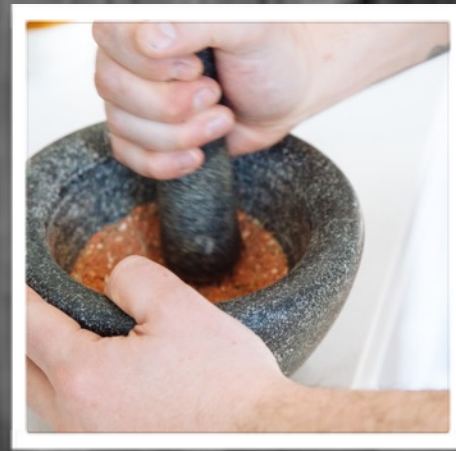
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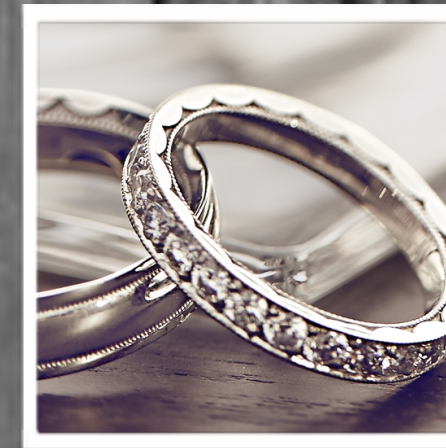
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- Don't be this dad
 - Mr. "Successful" Dad
 - Disney Dad
 - Father "Figure"
- Be this dad
 - Cook
 - Planner
 - Disciplinarian
 - Game Night Guy
 - Teacher
 - Student
 - Leader
 - Example
 - Active
 - Creative



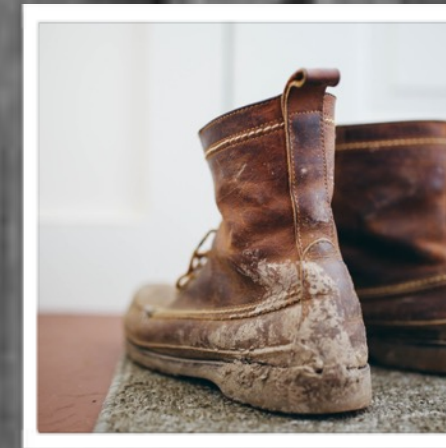
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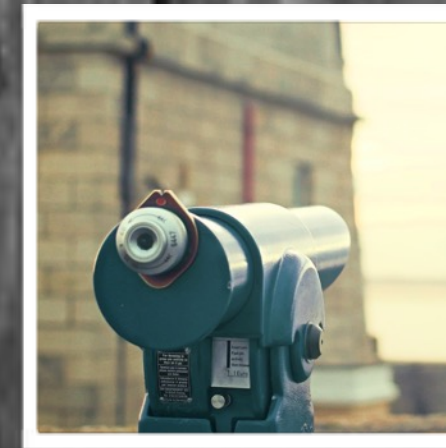
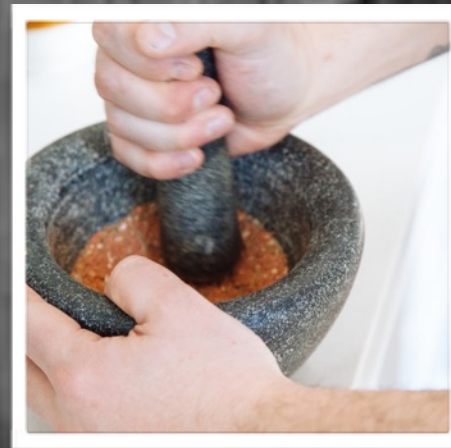
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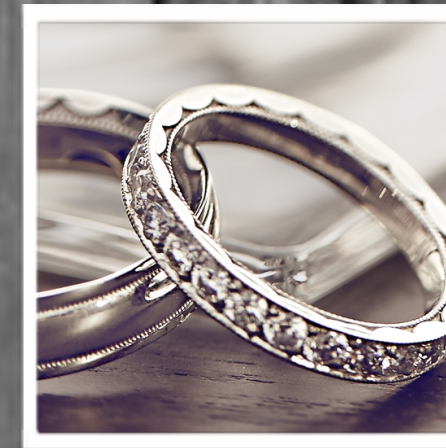
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- Timing is everything
(Proverbs 15:1)
- Be willing to wound
(Proverbs 27:6)
- The tongue is a world of trouble
(James 3)



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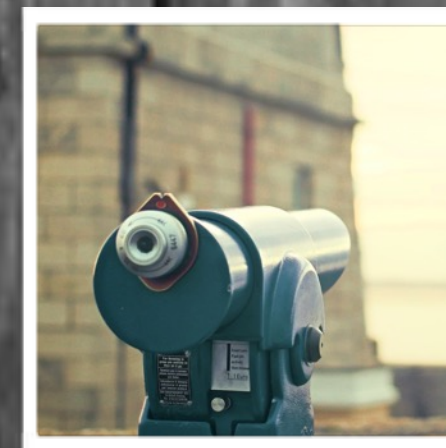
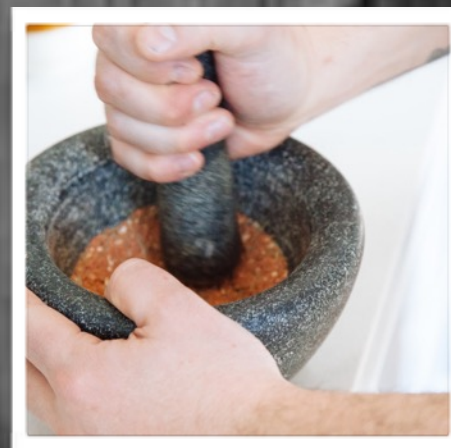
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- Take more risks
(Luke 19)
- Esteem others greater
(Philippians 2:3-4)
- Give myself away
(2 Timothy 2:2)



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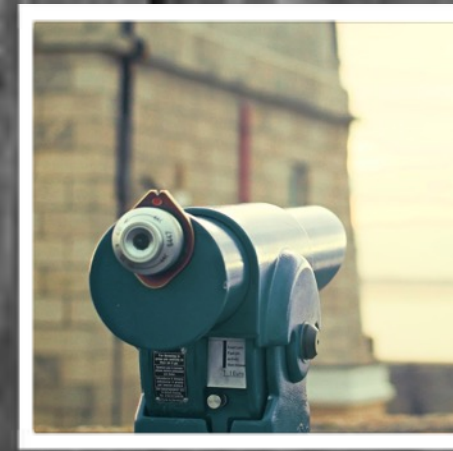
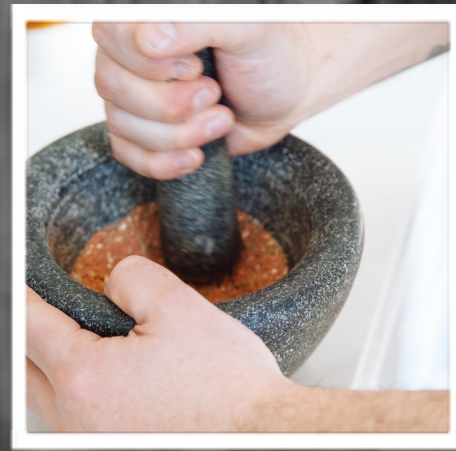
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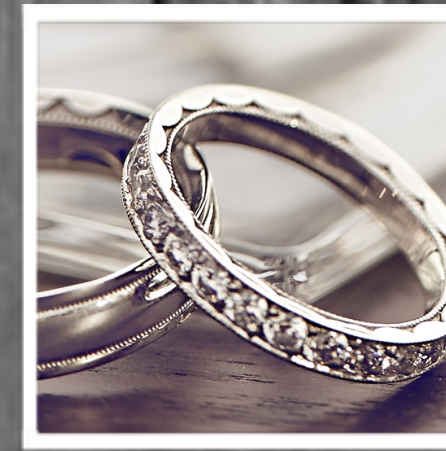
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- Be a perpetual Fatherhood student
- Create fatherhood & family goals
- Take initiative



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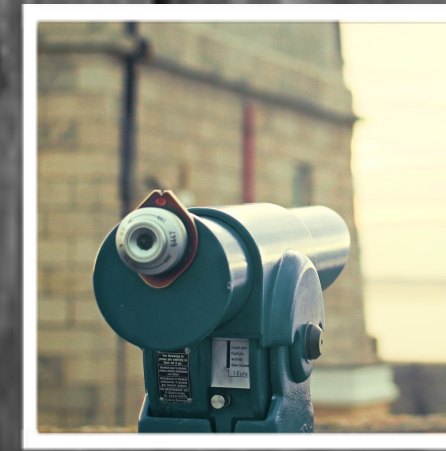
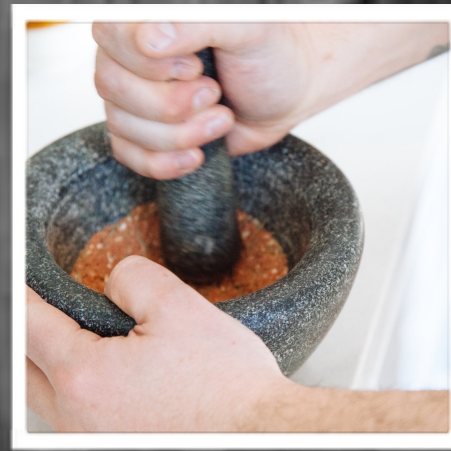
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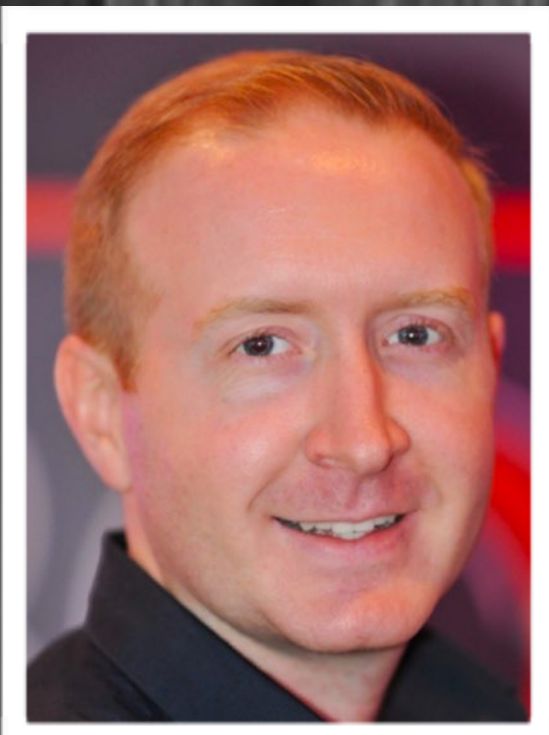
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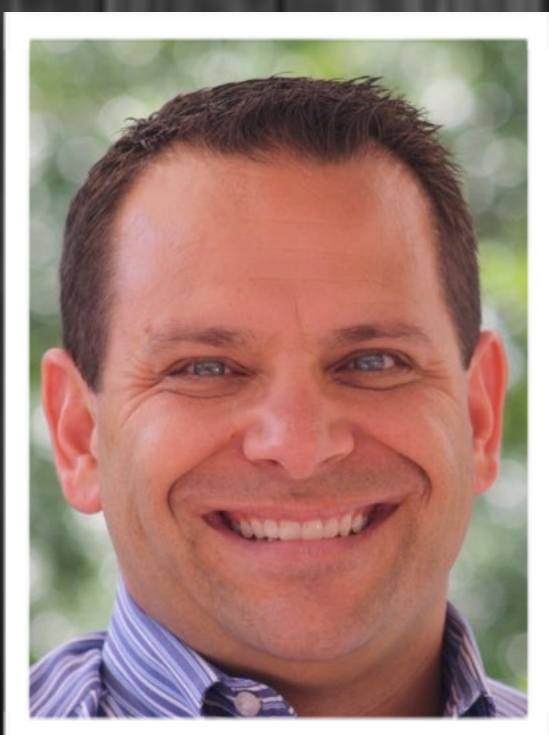
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