AI-00484 Spark vs No Spark in Marriage



Turn the following statement into a 10 questionnaire:

If you have strong, positive memories of the early days of your relationship and feel a sense of longing and desire for what "once was," then there may be something to save.

If you feel nothing or negative feelings when you think back to the early days of your relationship, then the spark is gone and the relationship may not be worth saving.

If you can't access any positive feelings about your partner, even during the best times in your relationship, then it's unlikely that you hold any romantic feelings about them.

If you don't love your partner the way they deserve to be loved, it is selfish for you to continue in the relationship.

10 Questionnaire to Save Your Relationship

- 1. Do you have strong, positive memories of the early days of your relationship?
- 2. When you think back to the early days of your relationship, do you feel a sense of longing and desire for what "once was"?
- 3. Do you feel nothing or negative feelings when you think back to the early days of your relationship?
- 4. Can you access any positive feelings about your partner, even during the best times in your relationship?
- 5. Do you love your partner the way they deserve to be loved?
- 6. How would you describe your relationship right now?

- 7. What are your hopes and dreams for the future of your relationship?
- 8. What are you willing to do to save your relationship?
- 9. What are your partner's hopes and dreams for the future of your relationship?
- 10. What are they willing to do to save your relationship?

Instructions:

- 1. Answer each question honestly and thoughtfully.
- 2. Share your answers with your partner and discuss them openly.
- 3. Be willing to listen to your partner's perspective and be open to change.

If you answered "yes" to questions 1 and 2, and "no" to questions 3 and 4, then there is a good chance that your relationship can be saved. However, it will require both of you to be willing to work on it.

If you answered "no" to question 1, or "yes" to question 3 or 4, then it is more likely that the spark has gone out and the relationship may not be worth saving. However, it is important to have a conversation with your partner before making a final decision.

If you answered "no" to question 5, then it is important to ask yourself why you are still in the relationship. If you are not willing to love your partner the way they deserve to be loved, then it is selfish to continue in the relationship.

No matter what your answers are, it is important to remember that you are not alone. There are many resources available to help couples who are struggling in their relationships. If you need help, please reach out to a therapist or counselor.