

## FORCED-CHOICE MARRIAGE CHARACTER TRAITS

Cut the character traits listed below on the dotted lines. Arrange them in order of importance to you, placing the most important trait at the top of your list and the least important at the bottom of your list. When you have decided on a final order, tape your list together or glue the strips on another piece of paper.

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Ability to communicate and solve problems  
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Attractiveness  
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Enjoy one another's friends  
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Intellectual compatibility  
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Same race and ethnic backgrounds  
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Same views about having and raising children  
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Similar hobbies  
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Similar recreational activities  
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Similar religious beliefs  
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Similar sleep patterns  
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Similar standards of cleanliness  
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Similar values regarding food and exercise  
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Similar ways of handling money  
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The man being taller than the woman  
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The support and acceptance of both families  
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