

## TROY AND KATHLEEN BILLINGS

Troy and Kathleen Billings live on their five-acre homestead in Greenville, South Carolina with their five children, ages 8 to 25. They also have four children in Heaven. Troy is a multilingual global corporate business executive and Kathleen is a nationally acclaimed professional Catholic speaker and author. Kathleen writes for Catholic Mom and WINE- Women in the New Evangelization. She is a contributing author to the book, *Amazing Grace for Mothers*, (Ascension Press) and *Called by Name - 365 Daily Devotions for Catholic Women*, (Ave Maria Press.) Together Troy and Kathleen created from the ground up, and are the former co-director's of a vibrant, parish-based marriage ministry called BAM - Building Amazing Marriages, which they directed for ten years. After moving to South Carolina from Chicago in 2020, they immediately began hosting a monthly family rosary and dinner at their home which rapidly grew and now attracts between 250-300 people a month. They also developed and now co-lead weekend marriage retreats called *Simply Love*. Troy and Kathleen have a blog entitled "Two to Tango" in the *For Your Marriage* section of the USCCB Website and are frequent guest speakers nationwide on the topic of marriage. They are the co-authors of the worldwide top selling Catholic marriage book *Simply Love: Catholic Marriage Day by Day* published by Our Sunday Visitor.

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