

Popular Christian Author, Influencer Jen Hatmaker Announces Plans to Divorce

Popular Christian author, blogger and influencer Jen Hatmaker has announced a pending divorce from her husband of 27 years, Brandon Hatmaker. Founders of Austin New Church in Austin, Texas, the couple has five children and formerly hosted the HGTV series *Your Big Family Renovation*.

Hatmaker took to Instagram to share her news in a post that thanked followers for “the kindness you have shown these last two months,” adding, “I don’t know how to say this, and I still cannot believe I am even saying it, but Brandon and I are getting divorced. Although the details are ours alone, this was completely unexpected, and I remain stunned as we speak. I am shocked, grief-stricken, and broken-hearted.” She asked readers to “respect the privacy of our children and our extended family” and to “pray for us. Hold us so dear to your hearts.”