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WANT

QUESTIONS, PROBLEMS, COERCION?

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YES

SWISS LAW

In Switzerland, a marriage is in principle only valid

- if both spouses are already 18 years old (of legal age) and
- if both spouses married and said “yes” of their own free will.

WHY AM I MARRIED?

- 😊 I really wanted to marry.
- 😞 I had to marry – but I wanted to say “no”.
- 😞 I have to be married – but I do not want to.
- 😞 I am afraid of my spouse / of the family.

**Marriage
by coercion
is wrong –
yet solutions
do exist!**