Have you tried working with the Couple's Recode (CR) file. In this file the men's and women's recode data has already been merged together.

Alternatively you can use the MATCH command. See this thread for an example of the MATCH FILES command. You would match using something like:

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* Open the women's data.
GET FILE='ccIRvvFL.SAV'.
* Match the men's data to the women's data.
MATCH FILES /FILE=*
 /table='C:\data\ccMRvvFL.SAV'
 /RENAME MV001=V001 MV002=V002 MV003=V034
 /BY V001 V002 V034.
```