



TREASURING THE GIFT OF FAMILY: The Gift of Marriage (Sermon #9)
THE WIFE'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR ONENESS

The fulfillment of a wife's role in marriage leads to oneness. A wife is responsible to accept God's design for marriage.

- God has designed the husband and wife with _____ (Galatians 3:28).
- God designed the husband and wife to be _____ (1 Corinthians 11:11)
- A wise woman discerns God's divine order and responsibility in marriage.
 - God has designed the husband as the _____ of the relationship (Ephesians 5:23)
 - God has designed the wife as the _____ of the relationship (Genesis 2:18)
 - God has designed the husband and wife to fulfill His design through dependence upon His power (John 15:5).

1A. WIFE'S RESPONSIBILITY: _____ HER HUSBAND (Titus 2:4)

1B. Love is an attitude of unconditional _____.

1C. This is not based on performance but as God's _____ to the wife.

2C. This includes his _____ and _____.

3C. This is to be done despite his _____ and _____.

2B. Love is sacrificial _____.

1C. It involves keeping your husband as your _____.

2C. It includes staying available to your husband in terms of _____ and _____.

3C. It is displayed by _____ (Galatians 5:13)

3B. Love is physical intimacy (Song of Solomon 7:10-12)

2A. WIFE'S RESPONSIBILITY: _____ HER HUSBAND (Proverbs 31:10-12)

1B. This is _____ and _____.

2B. This will _____ your husband become a godly leader (Proverbs 12:4).

3B. This is called _____ in the Bible (Ephesians 5:22-23).

1C. Submission does not mean to be inferior, to lose one's identity, blind obedience, or allowing the husband to be abusive.

2C. Submission does mean:

1D. A response to your husband with a view of God's design for marriage.

2D. To _____ line yourself up under his leadership.

3D. To _____ your husband to lead and take the initiative.

4D. To _____ God's Word (Titus 2:5)

3A. WIFE'S RESPONSIBILITY: _____ HER HUSBAND (Ephesians 5:33)

1B. In the Bible, this mean to _____ lift up your husband for special consideration and treatment.

2B. This involves _____ and _____.

3B. _____ demonstrates this and gives confidence.

4B. _____ demonstrates this and inspires.

Becoming a helper to your husband involves two basic responsibilities:

- It begins with a _____.
- It requires a _____ and _____.
- As the wife fulfills God's design, she will demonstrate the love, support, and respect her husband needs to be the servant-leader God has called him to be.

