



Welcome Your Opportunity to Serve God in Your Home

I Peter 3:1-7

1-6 - Peter is teaching Christian wives how to overcome the effect that the curse of sin has upon women (Genesis 3:16):

→ “Because of sin, you will no longer like your God-given purpose.”

Genesis 2:18

I. The Christian wife’s Responsibility: what God requires of you.

A. This responsibility is a matter of Christlikeness. *Likewise*

B. This responsibility is a challenge unique to Christian wives. *ye wives*

C. It is your responsibility to choose to put yourself under your husband’s authority. *be in subjection*

D. This subjection is exclusively to your husband. *to your own husbands*

II. The Christian wife’s Opportunity: what God can do through you.

A. This is your best tool for winning an unbelieving husband.

that, if any obey not the word

B. A solid, loving marriage is a powerful witness to all unbelievers.

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C. This can witness to people who will never listen to the Gospel.

they also may without the word be won

D. A Christian wife can make a godly home.

by the conversation of the wives

1. Unbelievers are watching. *While they behold*

2. A pure lifestyle is essential. *your chaste conversation*

3. The subjection of a strong woman shows her reverence for God.

coupled with fear

You are forming your character by what you put into your mind.

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