



Serving God in Your Home, part 2

I Peter 3:1-7

- I. The Christian wife's Responsibility: what God requires of you.
- II. The Christian wife's Opportunity: what God can do through you.

III. The Christian wife's Beauty: your first priority. 3-4.

A. Not the outside. *Whose adorning let it not be that outward adorning*

- 1. Not your hair. *of plaiting the hair*
- 2. Not your jewelry. *and of wearing of gold*
- 3. Not your clothes. *or of putting on of apparel*

B. The inside. *But let it be the hidden man*

- 1. Your heart. *the hidden man of the heart*
- 2. Eternal priorities. *in that which is not corruptible*
- 3. Spiritual accessories. *even the ornament*
- 4. A spirit of strength under control. *of a meek spirit*
- 5. A spirit of calmness. *of a quiet spirit*
- 6. Living to please God. *which is in the sight of God*
- 7. Valuing what God values. *of great price.*

IV. The Christian wife's Legacy: your eternal identity. 5-6.

A. Example. *For after this manner*

B. Heritage. *in the old time*

C. Holiness. *the holy women also*

D. Faith. *who trusted in God*

E. Spiritual beauty. *adorned themselves*

F. Teamwork. *being in subjection unto their own husbands*

G. Purpose. *Even as Sara obeyed Abraham*

H. Meekness. *calling him lord*

I. Teaching. *whose daughters ye are*

J. Righteousness. *as long as ye do well*

K. Courage. *and are not afraid*

L. Confidence. *with any amazement.*

There is no peace, no settled, solid peace, for those who do not know God.

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