



God's Design For Wives

Introductory counseling issues:

1. There are many unhappy and discontent wives out there, not because they cannot be find happiness and contentment but because they have not known how or tried to do things God's way.
2. In most homes roles have been meted out like toss salad.

I. The Christian wife practices _____! (Ephesians 5:22-24; 1 Peter 3:1)

A. What it is not!

1. It doesn't mean _____.
2. It doesn't mean the _____ of the husband.
3. It doesn't mean _____.
4. It doesn't mean _____.
5. It doesn't mean _____ stagnation.
6. It doesn't mean _____ is impossible.
7. It doesn't mean _____ manipulation.

B. What it is!

1. It is a divine plan of _____ and _____.
2. It is a way of life for _____ believer.

3. It is a _____ for the wife.
 4. It is an _____.
 5. It is an _____ of the will and not a _____.
 6. It is a proof of her _____.
 7. It is an _____ - _____ command.
 8. It is a proper relationship to God's _____. (James 4:6; Romans 13:1; Romans 8:28, 29a; 1 Timothy 2:11, 12 = learners spirit)
 9. It is a way to stay _____. (1 Peter 3:4-6)
 10. It is a picture of how the Church of Jesus Christ is to _____ Him. (Ephesians 5:22-24)
- C. On what is the wife's submission based?
1. It is based on _____ (not culture, 1 Timothy 2:13-14)
 2. It is based on her _____ into sin.
 3. It is a lesson God wants _____.

II. The Christian wife is a _____! (Genesis 2:18)

- A. Someone who is _____ suited.
- B. Her husband is her _____ ministry.
- C. She will find her greatest _____ and _____ in that role.
- D. She is a _____ member of a _____.

III. The Christian wife is _____! (Ephesians 5:33)

- A. What it means?
- B. What it doesn't mean?