

For Our Information

Annette Gray is continuing with physical therapy and is beginning to be able to drive more.

Carolynn Richmond is expecting test result soon from her most recent doctor visit.

The Simpson Family is also out of town this weekend.

Dan's uncle, Jerry Rickard, is now bed ridden and receiving hospice care.

Keep our brothers & sisters in mind

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We want opportunities to speak with others about our work in the Lord's Kingdom.

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We seek only to serve God according to His Will!

God placed the role of provider on the man. In our society man expects and demands that his wife work yet the Bible places that duty on him. There are times of illness, emergency, or other circumstances that may demand or allow the wife to work. But in many homes it is due to over spending and/or laziness on the part of the husband. *"If anyone will not work, neither shall he eat"* (2Thessalonians 3:10). If a young man is not ready to work and provide for his family, he is not ready to have a wife.

The better the husband fulfills his duties, the better the home will be.

(God has given certain responsibilities to men who choose to fill the role of husband. No matter what our society might urge upon us, we cannot shirk those responsibilities. It is time for husbands to be the men God expects us to be. How well do you fill your role in your family? DLH)

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The Husband In The Home

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A marriage consists of a man and a woman. They each have roles and responsibilities to fulfill. It seems that more marriages fail due to neglect of the man rather than the woman. This suggests that man is either ignorant of his role or does not care. I believe many have never considered the great responsibility place of them in marriage. Let us study some of the passages addressed to the man in the Bible.

"For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh"

Ephesians 5:31



So husbands ought also to love their own wives as their own bodies.

He who loves his own wife loves himself

Ephesians

5:28



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As two people enter into a marriage they are establishing a new home separate from their parents. While the man still has responsibilities towards his parents, the first person in his life should be his wife. Sadly, some men want to let "Mom and Dad" run their home. His parents should realize that they are out-laws as far as meddling is concerned and Junior should be ready to stand on his own two feet. He wants to have his friends and pal around with the "boys" while the wife stays home. Getting married is a commitment toward building life together. She is the one he builds a home with; she should be his best friend and pal.

"Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave himself for it"

Ephesians 5:25

Being the head of the home has a lot of responsibilities. Some men only know one passage of scripture, *"Likewise you wives, be submissive to your own husbands"* (**1Peter 3:1**). They think they are lords and whatever they say goes. **Ephesians 5:25** is conveniently left out. This passage teaches the duty of the husband is to truly love his wife; to place her needs ahead of his and to submit to her desires. Yes, there may be times the husband will have to make an unpopular decision but this should be done with love and not lordship. Jesus loved the church and died for it. Husbands should have that same degree of love. This may mean keeping the kids or washing the dishes or spending time with them instead of going hunting. You may wonder, why? Because you love her and yourself. *"So husbands ought to love their own*

Store In My Heart

Romans 6:23

For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Wages are given for work or for services rendered. Thus we can see that the reward or payment we receive, death, is for committing sin. Those who live in sin will receive their due payment.

On the other hand, eternal life is a gift. Gifts are not given because they are earned. We don't give our children gifts because they worked enough to earn them. There are no services or labor associated with a gift.

But note where that free gift is found, in Christ. If we are 'in Christ' we can receive eternal life. So the question for each of us should be, "How do I get in Christ?"

wives as their own bodies; he who loves his wife, loves himself" (**Ephesians 5:28**). A happy wife will make a happy husband. I have noticed that most women are as good as their husband let's them be.

"Likewise you husbands, dwell with them with understanding, giving honor to the wife, as to the weaker vessel, and as being heirs together of the grace of life, that your prayers may not be hindered"

1Peter 3:7

The relationship a man has with his wife affects his relationship with God. This passage mentions at least three points. One is the instruction to dwell with understanding. Men need to realize that women are different! Emotionally, physically, biologically, and sexually she functions different than a man. She may cry while watching a movie or feel irritable at times. Secondly, she is the weaker vessel. This does not refer to her soul or intellect but her physical features. Women are generally smaller and not as rugged as men. This should be considered. Thirdly, she deserves to be honored. To be valued for her role as companion and for her work in the home. *"Her children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her: many daughters have done well, but you excel them all"* (**Proverbs 31:28-29**). Too many men take their wives for granted and regret it later on. Tell her you love her and praise her, it may be the only pay she will get for her efforts.

"But if anyone does not provide for his own, and especially for those of his household, he has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever"

1Timothy 5:8