



# Welcome!

**June 6, 2021**

“If the Son sets you free... you are free indeed!” -John 8:36

## Our Worship Gathering

Welcome & Announcements

Baby Dedication: James Robert Schneider; Samuel Tucker Schneider

Call to Worship

Worship through Song

The Heart of Worship

Good to Me (I Cry Out)

The Power of Your Love (Lord, I Come to You)

Worship through Prayer

Worship through Scripture

Respecting Family Authority | 1 Peter 3:1-7 | Pastor Scott

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Worship by Responding

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Worship by Going

**\*\*If you'd like to *worship by giving*, there is an offering box in the back. You can also give through the app and web page\*\***

### **Colorado Freedom Church**

6862 Galley Road | Colorado Springs, CO 80915

[www.ColoradoFreedomChurch.com](http://www.ColoradoFreedomChurch.com)

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Sundays: Kids and Youth; 5-6 pm; Grades K-12

## Announcements:

- Visit the App Store or Google Play and download the FC App!
- Please consider setting up recurring online giving through the app or web page.
- If you are interested in partnership, please pick up an information packet at the information table.

## Upcoming Events:

- June 26: Compassion Food Distribution of Colorado; 8 am
- July 18-21 Connect Conference @ Maranatha Camp; register at [weareberean.org/events](http://weareberean.org/events)
- September 16: Back to Church Sunday

## Prayer Matters

*So encourage each other and build each other up, just as you are already doing.*

1 Thessalonians 5:11 (NLT)

### Berean Church

Burwell, NE – Cedar Creek Bible Church (David & Connie)

### Global Outreach

The Harris' (Uganda)

### Other

**Respect Family Authorities | 1 Peter 3:1-7**  
**Pastor Scott Maxon | Colorado Freedom Church**

*In the same way, you wives must accept the authority of your husbands. Then, even if some refuse to obey the Good News, your godly lives will speak to them without any words. They will be won over<sup>2</sup> by observing your pure and reverent lives.*

*<sup>3</sup> Don't be concerned about the outward beauty of fancy hairstyles, expensive jewelry, or beautiful clothes. <sup>4</sup>You should clothe yourselves instead with the beauty that comes from within, the unfading beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which is so precious to God.*

*<sup>5</sup> This is how the holy women of old made themselves beautiful. They put their trust in God and accepted the authority of their husbands. <sup>6</sup> For instance, Sarah obeyed her husband, Abraham, and called him her master. You are her daughters when you do what is right without fear of what your husbands might do.*

**SUMMARY**

-Submission involves at least four things:

First, it begins with an attitude of entrusting oneself to God (cf. 2:23-25).

Second, submission requires respectful behavior (3:1-2).

Third, submission involves the development of a godly character (3:3-5).

Fourth, submission includes doing what is right (3:6).

*<sup>7</sup> In the same way, you husbands must give honor to your wives. Treat your wife with understanding as you live together. She may be weaker than you are, but she is your equal partner in God's gift of new life. Treat her as you should so your prayers will not be hindered.*

### **Now What?**

#### 1. Wives:

- “Am I looking to saints like Sarah as role models, or to today's celebrity trendsetters?”
- “Is my husband at the top of my prayer list?”
- “Do I put my husband first in my planning?”
- “Do I look for ways to respect him?”
- “Do I make his life easier or more difficult?”

#### 2. Husbands.

- “What are your wife's greatest needs?”
- “What are her greatest concerns?”
- “What are her hopes and dreams?”
- “How can I show my wife honor?”
- “What new adventures would she like to go on?”

#### 3. Rules for Marriage:

1. Maintain absolute honesty in order to have a basis of mutual confidence.
2. Keep lines of communication open.
3. Overlook minor faults and idiosyncrasies.
4. Strive for unity in finances.
5. Remember that love is a commandment, not an uncontrollable emotion.

#### 4. Marriage Checkup

1. Are we partners or competitors?
2. Are we helping each other become more spiritual?
3. Are we depending on the externals or the eternal? The artificial or the real?
4. Do we understand each other better?
5. Are we sensitive to each other's feelings and ideas, or taking each other for granted?
6. Are we seeing God answer our prayers?
7. Are we enriched because of our marriage, or robbing each other of God's blessing?