

Marriage: Responsibilities or Rights ? | Matthew Teigrob

Questions for Sunday, April 19, 2026

1. How does viewing marriage as a matter of responsibilities rather than rights challenge the cultural emphasis on personal freedom and individual rights in relationships?
2. In what ways does the concept of mutual submission in Ephesians 5:21 reshape our understanding of authority and servanthood within marriage and the broader Christian community?
3. How does the fall in Genesis 3:16 help us understand the ongoing struggle between control and submission in marriage, and how does the gospel offer redemption in this area?
4. What does it mean for a husband to lead with love as Christ loved the church, and how might this sacrificial leadership transform the dynamics of a marriage?
5. How can wives bring all of their God-given abilities, gifts, and personality to their marriage while still practicing biblical submission without losing their identity?
6. Why do you think Paul uses the relationship between Christ and the church as the primary model for marriage, and what does this reveal about God's design for both relationships?
7. In what practical ways can husbands actively care for the spiritual well-being of their wives, and why is this responsibility so crucial to godly leadership?