

Fight for Your Families- Wives That Help Win the War

27 So God created human beings in his own image.

In the image of God he created them;
male and female he created them.

28 Then God blessed them and said, "Be fruitful and multiply. Fill the earth and govern it. Reign over the fish in the sea, the birds in the sky, and all the animals that scurry along the ground."

Genesis 1:27-28

"Then the Lord God said, "It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper who is just right for him.""

Genesis 2:18

There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free man, there is neither male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus."

Galatians 3:28

"Nevertheless, in the Lord woman is not independent of man, nor is man independent of woman. For as woman came from man, so also man is born of woman. But everything comes from God."

1 Corinthians 11:11-12

1. **God created women to be helpers in the war for our families.**

3 kinds wives in marriage:

Wise- uses power constructively

Foolish- wastes power neglectfully

Evil -perverts power destructively

2. A Christian Wife is submissive to their husbands' role for their family.

21 And further, submit to one another out of reverence for Christ. 22 For wives, this means submit to your husbands as to the Lord. 23 For a husband is the head of his wife as Christ is the head of the church. He is the Savior of his body, the church. 24 As the church submits to Christ, so you wives should submit to your husbands in everything.

25 For husbands, this means love your wives, just as Christ loved the church. He gave up his life for her.

Ephesians 5:21-25

Submission in marriage doesn't mean women are called to submit to all men.

Submission in marriage doesn't mean women are called to submit to sin.

Submission in marriage doesn't mean women.... have no voice, no choice.

Submission in marriage doesn't mean women wait until he deserves it.

Submission is done to honor God.

Submission is done to recognize God's designed roles.

Submission is done to represent the union between Jesus and His church.

Jesus submitted to His parents ([Luke 2:51](#)).

- Citizens should submit to government authority ([Romans 13:1](#) and [5, Titus 3:1, 1 Peter 2:13](#)).
- Christians should submit to God ([Hebrews 12:9](#) and [James 4:7](#)).

No husband is entitled to say that he is the head of the wife unless he loves his wife, and is willing to sacrifice his life for hers

3. A Christian wife is a crown for her husband.

A worthy wife is a crown for her husband,
but a disgraceful woman is like cancer in his bones.

Proverbs 12:4

We honor them with our eyes.

We honor them with our words.

We honor them by bringing them before the throne of God.