

# “Marriage - Christ & the Church”

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Ephesians 5:22-33 Study Guide

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## Background and Theme

1. **Author:** The Apostle Paul
2. **Audience:** The church in Ephesus
3. **Theme of Ephesians: Christ and the Church**
  - The Church Sitting in Christ (Ephesians 1-3)
  - The Church Walking in Christ (Ephesians 4-6:9)
  - The Church Standing in Christ (Ephesians 6:10-24)

## I. Model for Marriage

## II. Need in Marriage

## III. Roles in Marriage

1. **Wives - Submission -**
  
2. **Husbands - Love Sacrificially -**

**Verses Referenced:** Genesis 2:15-25, Ephesians 5:18

