

LIFE LESSONS JUST FOR WOMEN
WHAT SUBMISSION REALLY MEANS
EPHESIANS 5:21-24



The Heart of the Matter

Some sections of Scripture seem more like a minefield littered with explosives than a treasure chest full of truth. One such section of Scripture deals with the topic of a wife submitting to her husband. We step into it with the full understanding that the topic is known for flaring tempers and causing misunderstandings. Rather than ignoring it, how much more does this passage cry out for a level-headed approach informed by historical, cultural, and biblical contexts? So let's tackle the question: What does submission really mean?



Discovering the Way

1. Setting the Context (Ephesians 5:18-21)

This controversial text comes in a particular context, one that emphasizes the filling of the Spirit and the presence of submission in every relationship. However, this text has been regularly misunderstood and misapplied.

2. Submission in the Roles of Life (Ephesians 5:22-24)

The life of submission is founded upon the inherent dignity and equality of all people, being modeled after the life of Christ Himself.

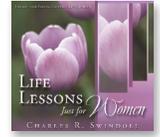


Starting Your Journey

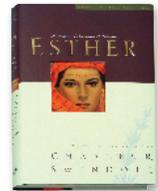
To embrace this hard truth, we need to think biblically and reason theologically, making God and the Scriptures the starting point for our thinking.



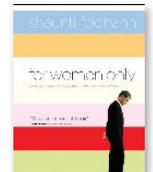
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