

**BUILDING A BETTER HOME**  
Making the Most of Marriage

1 Peter 3:1-7

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*<sup>5</sup>For in the past, the holy women who put their hope in God also adorned themselves in this way, submitting to their own husbands, <sup>6</sup>just as Sarah obeyed Abraham, calling him lord. You have become her children when you do what is good and do not fear any intimidation.*

*<sup>7</sup>Husbands, in the same way, live with your wives in an understanding way, as with a weaker partner, showing them honor as coheirs of the grace of life, so that your prayers will not be hindered.*

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**WIVES**

**Willful Submission**

1 Peter 3:1

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**To Come Under or Beside Someone to Lift Them Up**

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**WIVES**

**Inner Beauty**

1 Peter 3:1-4

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**Imperishable** - Doesn't Go Away With Age  
**Gentle** - Meek - Strength Under Control  
**Quiet** - Tranquility That Arises From Within

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**HUSBANDS**

**Don't Demand Submission**

1 Peter 3:7

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**Mutual Submission**  
Ephesians 5:21

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**HUSBANDS**

**Put Your Wife Before Yourself**

1 Peter 3:7

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Loved  
Understood  
Respected  
Affection

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**HUSBANDS**

**Spiritual Champion**

1 Peter 3:7

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Ephesians 5:24-26  
<sup>24</sup> Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives are to submit to their husbands in everything.  
<sup>25</sup> Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself for her, <sup>26</sup> to make her holy...

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**J I B A S E**  
**H W U S S U F N D**

**Three Strand Cord**

Ecclesiastes 4:12




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