

## Marriage God's Way part 1

Eph. 5:22-24, 32-33

1. God created the institution of \_\_\_\_\_. (Gen. 2:24-25)
  - a. God established parameters in which this institution is to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - b. The definition and divine design of marriage involves \_\_\_\_\_ man and \_\_\_\_\_ woman in a profound union of two individuals making a covenantal \_\_\_\_\_ (in keeping their society's practices / laws) which is intended to be permanent as the #1 \_\_\_\_\_ human relationship. Marriage should be ideally entered into in order to fulfill God's will \_\_\_\_\_.
  - c. The Bible warns us about operating \_\_\_\_\_ of these God established parameters. (Ps. 127:1-2)
2. The following set of instructions are for the \_\_\_\_\_ who is married to a man. (Eph. 5:22)

3. The commands given to the woman are to \_\_\_\_\_ and to \_\_\_\_\_ her husband (Eph. 5:22, 33; Col. 3:18; Titus 2:1-6; 1 Pet. 3:1-6)

a. Submit –

b. The fact of the matter is that we are all \_\_\_\_\_ to someone except God the Father.

c. Respect –

➤ **What is the point? When God created the divine institution of marriage, He established order within the marriage unit so that the marriage could function in a way that pictures the relationship between Jesus Christ and the church and ultimately bring glory to God.**