

HUSBANDS AND WIVES

Ephesians 5:22-33 ... November 19, 2017

DIRECTION TO THE WIFE

- Submit to your husband's authority
- This requires guidance of the Holy Spirit
- A model of the relationship of Christ and the Church

DIRECTION TO THE HUSBAND

- Love your wife as Christ loved the Church
- Sacrificial love, giving up your desires to please your wife
- A model of the relationship of Christ and the Church

DIRECTION TO BOTH HUSBANDS AND WIVES

- Marriage is a picture of Christ and His Church
- Marriage is willfully surrendering to the Holy Spirit to be obedient to God's design for the family
- The two key words in a marriage are love and respect

APPLICATION

The picture of marriage represents the picture of Christ and His Church. We must through the power of the Holy Spirit live these principles out within our marriage.

