

THE SPIRIT FILLED WIFE

Ephesians 5:22-24, 33

I. Spirit filled wives honor their husbands by submission (22-24).

A. The Manner of Submission (22a).

1 Peter 3:1a: Wives, likewise, **be submissive** to your own husbands.

B. The Motive of Submission (22b).

1 Corinthians 11:3: But I want you to know that the **head of every man is Christ, the head of woman is man**, and the head of Christ *is* God.

C. The Model of Submission (23-24).

Ephesians 1:22-23: And He put all *things* under His feet, and gave Him **to be head over all things to the church**, which is His body, the fullness of Him who fills all in all.

Colossians 1:18: And **He is the head of the body, the church**, who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things He may have the preeminence.

II. Spirit filled wives honor their husbands by respect (33).

1 Peter 3:1b, 6: that even if some do not obey the word, they, without a word, **may be won by the conduct of their wives**, 6 as Sarah obeyed Abraham, **calling him lord**, whose daughters you are if you do good and are not afraid with any terror.