

A CHURCH OF GOD AT WOODSTOCK AND TRUTH ON THE WEB MINISTRIES

Peter and HIS Letters



PART 3: 1 PETER, CHAPTER 3

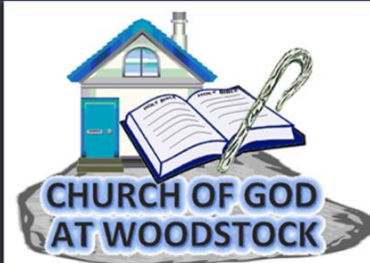


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WEB MINISTRIES**

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1 PETER 6:17 AND TAKE...THE SWORD OF THE
SPIRIT WHICH IS THE WORD OF GOD

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1 Peter 3:1a

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- Submit yourselves to every ordinance of man for the Lord's sake...
- For so is the will of God, that with well doing ye may put to silence the ignorance of foolish men:
- Servants, be subject to your masters with all fear; not only to the good and gentle, but also to the froward.
- For even hereunto were ye called: because Christ also suffered for us, leaving us an example, that ye should follow his steps:



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1 Peter 3:1-2

Likewise, ye wives, be in subjection to your own husbands; that, **if any obey not the word**, they also may without the word be **won by the conversation of the wives**; While they behold **your chaste conversation coupled with fear**.

Ephesians 5:22–23

Wives, submit yourselves unto your own **husbands**, as unto the **Lord**. For the **husband** is the head of the **wife**, even as **Christ** is the head of the **church**: and he is the saviour of the body.



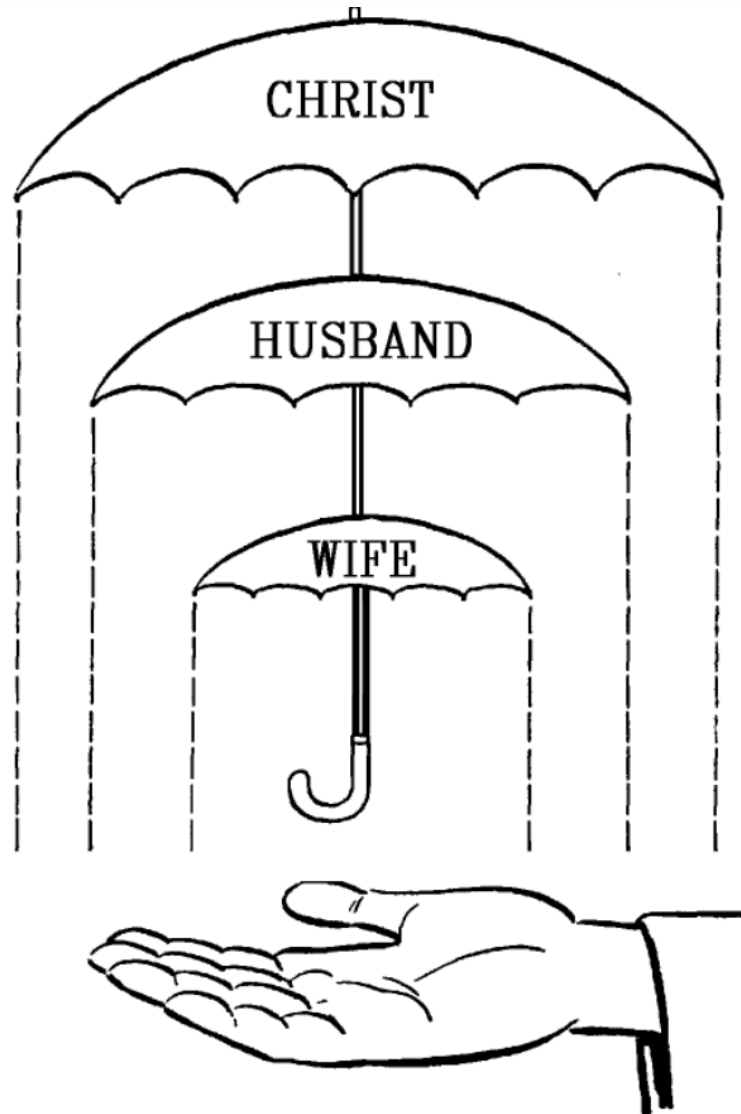
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1 Peter 3:1-2 *[NLT]*

In the same way, you wives must accept the authority of your husbands. Then, even if some refuse to obey the Good News, your godly lives will speak to them without any words. They will be won over by observing your pure and reverent lives.



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1 Peter 3:3-4

Whose **adorning** let it not be that **outward** *adorning* of plaiting the hair, and of wearing of gold, or of putting on of apparel; But let it be **the hidden man of the heart**, in that which is not corruptible, even the ornament of a **meek and quiet spirit**, which is **in the sight of God of great price**.



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1 Timothy 2:9–10

In like manner also, that women **adorn** themselves in modest apparel, with shamefacedness and sobriety; not with broided hair, or gold, or pearls, or costly array; But (which becometh women professing godliness) with good works.



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Proverbs 31:21–26

She is not afraid of the snow for her household:
for all her household are clothed with scarlet.
She **maketh herself coverings of tapestry; her
clothing is silk and purple.** Her husband is
known in the gates, when he sitteth among the
elders of the land. She maketh fine linen, and
selleth it; and delivereth girdles unto the
merchant. **Strength and honour are her
clothing;** and she shall rejoice **in time to come.**
She openeth her mouth **with wisdom;** and in her
tongue **is the law of kindness.**



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1 Thessalonians 4:2

For ye know what commandments we gave you by the Lord Jesus.

1 Thessalonians 4:11–12

And that ye **study to be quiet**, and to **do your own business**, and to work with your own hands, as we commanded you; That ye may walk honestly toward them that are without, and that ye may have lack of nothing.



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1 Timothy 2:1–4

I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, be made for all men; For kings, and for all that are in authority; that **we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty**. For this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour; Who will have all men to be saved, and to come unto the knowledge of the truth.



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1 Peter 3:5-6

For after this manner in the **old time the holy women also**, who trusted in God, **adorned themselves**, being in **subjection unto their own husbands**. Even as Sara obeyed Abraham, calling him **lord**: whose daughters ye are, as long as ye do well, and are not afraid with any **amazement**.

Strong's G4423 - ptoēsis - pto'-ay-sis

Proverbs 3:25

Be not afraid of **sudden fear**, neither of the desolation of the wicked, when it cometh.

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Genesis 12:11–13

And it came to pass, when he was come near to enter into Egypt, that he said unto Sarai his wife, Behold now, I know that thou art **a fair woman to look upon**: Therefore it shall come to pass, when the Egyptians shall see thee, that they shall say, This is his wife: and they will kill me, but they will save thee alive. **Say, I pray thee, thou art my sister**: that it may be well with me for thy sake; and my soul shall live because of thee.



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Genesis 20:13

And it came to pass, when God caused me to wander from my father's house, that I said unto her, **This is thy kindness** which thou shalt shew unto me; at every place whither we shall come, say of me, **He is my brother.**

Genesis 26:6–7

And Isaac dwelt in Gerar: And the men of the place asked him of his wife; and he said, **She is my sister**: for he feared to say, She is my wife; lest, said he, the men of the place should kill me for Rebekah; because **she was fair to look upon.**



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1 Peter 3:7a

Likewise, ye husbands...

- As free, and not using your liberty for a cloke of maliciousness, but as the servants of God. Honour all men. Love the brotherhood. Fear God. Honour the king.
- For ye were as sheep going astray; but are now returned unto the Shepherd and Bishop of your souls.



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1 Peter 3:7

Likewise, ye husbands, **dwell with them according to knowledge**, giving **honour** unto the wife, as unto the **weaker vessel**, and as being **heirs together of the grace of life**; that your prayers be not hindered.



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Ephesians 5:25

Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it;

Ephesians 5:28

So ought men to love their wives as their own bodies. He that loveth his wife loveth himself.

Ephesians 5:33

Nevertheless let every one of you in particular so love his wife even as himself; and the wife see that she reverence her husband.



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Proverbs 12:4

A virtuous woman is a crown to her husband:
but she that maketh ashamed is as rottenness in
his bones.

Proverbs 18:22

Whoso findeth a wife findeth a good thing, and
obtaineth favour of the LORD.



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1 Timothy 2:14

And Adam was not deceived, but the woman being deceived was in the transgression.

Romans 5:6

For when **we** were yet **without strength**, in due time Christ died for the ungodly.

1 Corinthians 1:27

But God hath chosen the foolish things of the world to confound the wise; and God hath chosen the **weak** things of the world to confound the things which are mighty;



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Mark 10:6–8

But from the beginning of the creation God made them male and female. For this cause shall a man leave his father and mother, **and cleave to his wife; And they twain shall be one flesh:** so then they are no more twain, **but one flesh.**



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Isaiah 59:1–2

Behold, the LORD'S hand is not shortened, that it cannot save; neither his ear heavy, that it cannot hear: But **your iniquities have separated between you and your God**, and your **sins** have hid his face from you, **that he will not hear**.



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Colossians 3:17–23

And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, **do all in the name of the Lord Jesus**, giving thanks to God and the Father by him. **Wives**, submit yourselves unto your own husbands, as it is fit in the Lord. **Husbands**, love your wives, and be not bitter against them. **Children**, obey your parents in all things: for this is well pleasing unto the Lord. **Fathers**, provoke not your children to anger, lest they be discouraged. **Servants**, obey in all things your masters according to the flesh; not with eyeservice, as menpleasers; but in singleness of heart, fearing God: And whatsoever ye do, do it heartily, **as to the Lord, and not unto men;**

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1 Peter 3:8-11

Finally, **be ye all of one mind**, having **compassion** one of another, love as brethren, be **pitiful**, be **courteous**: Not rendering evil for evil, or railing for railing: but contrariwise **blessing**; knowing that ye are **thereunto called**, that ye should **inherit a blessing**. For he that will love life, and see good days, let him **refrain his tongue from evil**, and his lips that they speak **no guile**: Let him **eschew evil**, and **do good**; let him **seek peace, and ensue it**.



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1 Peter 3:12-15

For the eyes of the Lord are over the righteous, and his **ears are open unto their prayers**: but the face of the Lord is against them that do evil. And who is he that will harm you, if ye be followers of that which is good? But and if ye suffer for righteousness' sake, happy are ye: and **be not afraid of their terror, neither be troubled**; But **sanctify the Lord God in your hearts**: and be ready always **to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason** of the hope that is in you with **meekness and fear**:



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1 Peter 3:16-18

Having a **good conscience**; that, whereas they speak evil of you, as of evildoers, they may be **ashamed that falsely accuse your good conversation in Christ**. For it is better, if the will of God be so, that ye **suffer for well doing**, than for evil doing. For Christ also hath once suffered for sins, **the just for the unjust**, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh, but **quickenened by the Spirit**:



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1 Peter 3:19-20

By which also he went and preached unto the spirits in prison; Which sometime were disobedient, when once the **longsuffering of God waited** in the days of Noah, while the ark was a preparing, wherein few, that is, **eight souls were saved** by water.



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1 Peter 3:21-22

The like figure whereunto even **baptism** doth also now save us (**not the putting away of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God,**) by the **resurrection of Jesus Christ**: Who is gone into heaven, and is on the right hand of God; angels and authorities and powers being made subject unto him.



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Matthew 23:14a

Woe unto you,
scribes and
Pharisees,
hypocrites! for ye
devour widows'
houses...

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Jesus descended to 'hell' and preached to dead humans

Ecclesiastes 9:5 For the living know that they shall die: but **the dead know not any thing**, neither have they any more a reward; for the memory of them is forgotten.

Psalms 6:5 For in death **there is no remembrance of thee: in the grave who shall give thee thanks?**

Psalms 88:10–11 **Wilt thou shew wonders to the dead?** shall the dead arise and praise thee? Selah. Shall thy lovingkindness be declared in the grave? or **thy faithfulness in destruction?**

Hebrews 9:27 **And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment:**

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Noah preached, by Christ's Spirit, to living humans

2 Peter 2:5

And spared not the old world, but saved Noah the eighth person, **a preacher of righteousness**, bringing in the flood upon the world of the ungodly;

Hebrews 11:7

By faith Noah, being warned of God of things not seen as yet, moved with fear, **prepared an ark** to the saving of his house; by the which **he condemned the world**, and became heir of the righteousness which is by faith.

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John 9:41

Jesus said unto them, If ye were blind, ye should have no sin: but now ye say, **We see; therefore your sin remaineth.**

John 15:22–24

If I had not come **and spoken unto them**, they **had not had sin**: but **now they have no cloke for their sin**. He that hateth me hateth my Father also. If I had **not done** among them the works which none other man did, they **had not** had sin: **but now** have they both **seen** and **hated** both me and my Father.

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From G5442; a guarding or (concretely guard),
the act, the parson; figuratively the place, the
condition, or (specifically) the time (as a division
of day or night), literally or figuratively: - cage,
hold, (im-) prison (-ment), ward, watch.



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Jesus preached to the fallen angels in their prison

1 Samuel 16:14–15

But the Spirit of the LORD departed from Saul, and an **evil spirit** from the LORD troubled him. And Saul's servants said unto him, Behold now, an **evil spirit** from God troubleth thee.

Mark 5:8

For he said unto him, Come out of the man, thou **unclean spirit**.



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Revelation 20:1–2

And I saw an angel come down from heaven, having the key of the **bottomless pit** and a **great chain** in his hand. And he laid hold on the dragon, that old serpent, which is the Devil, and Satan, and bound him a thousand years,

Revelation 20:7

And when the thousand years are expired, Satan shall be loosed out of his **prison**,



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Revelation 9:1–2a

And the fifth angel sounded, and I saw a star fall from heaven unto the earth: and to him was given the **key of the bottomless pit**. And he opened the bottomless pit; and there arose a smoke out of the pit,

Revelation 9:11

And **they had a king over them**, which is the **angel of the bottomless pit**, whose name in the Hebrew tongue is **Abaddon**, but in the Greek tongue hath his name **Apollyon**.

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2 Peter 2:4

For if God spared not the angels that sinned, but cast them down to hell, and delivered them into **chains of darkness, to be reserved unto judgment;**

Jude 1:6

And the **angels** which kept not their first estate, but left their own habitation, he hath reserved in **everlasting chains under darkness unto the judgment of the great day.**



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2 Peter 3:17–18

Ye therefore, **beloved**, seeing ye know these things before, beware lest ye also, being led away with the error of the wicked, fall from your own steadfastness. But **grow in grace**, and in the **knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.**

**To him be glory both now and for
ever.**

Amen.



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