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### The New Life and It's Biggest Change

- New Marriage, New Parents, New Workplace
- Roman Culture and The Colossian Believer

### Signs of Jesus' Return

- Global Conditions and National Events
- 2 Tim 3:1-4 Moral Signs
- Noah's Generation : God Measures Time \_\_\_\_\_

### 3 Observations About God's Design for Marriage

#### 1. Context V.16 The Word of Christ Dwell Richly

- Eph 5:18 Filled with The Spirit
- A Supernatural Role: The Word and the Spirit

#### 2. Eph 5:21 Mutual Submission

- The Real Issue: Surrender to Jesus

#### 3. Only Two Basic Truths?

- Gen. 2-3, Mt. 19, Eph. 5-6, 1 Cor. 7 & 13, 1 Pet. 3
- The Two Foundations of Marriage

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### The New Wife and Submission

- The Right Definition: Order, Respect, Protection
- Everybody Submits
- The Husband: God's Authority & Design

### Definition of Submission

“Rally together under 1 leader for a common goal that benefits everyone”

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## **A Loving Willingness to Follow Jesus Through Your Husband**

### **What Submission Does Not Mean**

- Inferiority, Intelligence or Spirituality

### **Qualified in Two Ways**

#### **1. To Her Own Husband**

#### **2. Fitting in the Lord**

- Fitting Beauty & Limitation: Unbiblical or Sinful Behavior

### **What If My Husband is Not a Christian — 1 Pet 3:1-6**

- Won By Her Behavior: “Jesus Makes His Life Better”

### **3 Words for Wives**

#### **1. Respect — Eph 5:33**

- Jesus and Your Husband

#### **2. Follow**

- Don't Take Jesus' Job, Empower Him

#### **3. Affirm**

- A Man's Greatest Need?