

HUSBANDS WALKING WORTHY, PT. 2

Ephesians 5:25-30

"Sanctify them
by the Truth.
Your Word is Truth"

I. Introduction

II. The wife who is difficult, hard to live with, and rebellious.

A. When Jesus chose to love us, we didn't have it all together.

B. Jesus wants to sanctify and purify us in our marriages.

III. On the theme of loving our wives, the Lord expands on the analogy he's already given us. 28-30

A. Up to this point the focus has been on the church as being the bride of Christ.

B. We, as husbands, are connected to our wives.

C. "For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it." 29

D. The number one major problem in marriage is selfishness.

IV. Ways that we can nourish and cherish our wives.

A. First, by seeking to take care of our wives physically.

B. Second is by taking care of her emotionally.

C. In the marriage relationship only the husband is instructed to love the wife.

D. Third is by covering her flaws.

E. Fourth is by building up and protecting her spiritually.

F. Loving our wives and taking care of our them like our own bodies implies a sensitivity that we need to have to our wives.

V. Conclusion