

9. What were the disciples arguing over at the time in which Jesus washed their feet?
10. What are the two sides of “end” as used in John 13:1?
11. How do we know that Jesus loved His disciples?
12. Jesus can command us to love one another because love is a what?
13. According to Titus 2:3-4, older women can teach the younger women to do what?
14. The choice to love will lead to what?
15. In Ephesians 5:25-33, the Apostle Paul (and the Holy Spirit) exhorts husbands to do what?
16. What is the first characteristic of the love a husband should have for his wife?
17. How did/does Christ love the church?
18. The world tells men to be what?
19. God says, “Men, die to yourself and...” do what?
20. Husband: When was the last time you sacrificed what you wanted to do or your desires for the sake of your wife?
21. How regularly do you sacrifice what you want to do or your desires for the sake of your wife?
22. Not only is a husband’s love for his wife to be sacrificial, it is also to be what?
23. True love always seeks to do what?
24. A third characteristic about love is that it is what?
25. What is something you, as a husband, give great care to?
26. What is the fourth characteristic of a love that a husband ought to have for his wife?
27. What does the word, “joined” in verse 31 have the idea of?
28. Why is it so important for a husband to love like this (as described here in Ephesians 5)?
29. Husband, does your love for your wife accurately portray Christ’s love for the church?
30. What book is a parallel book to Ephesians?
31. Bitterness is not simply a feeling or an emotion. It is primarily a what?
32. In Colossians 3:19, God commands husbands to not be what?
33. Why does God say, “Husbands, love your wives and do not be bitter toward them?”
34. What are some ways that husbands demonstrate bitterness towards their wife?
35. What is the first thing a husband is commanded to do in I Peter 3:7?

36. What does it mean to “dwell with your wife...”?
37. Do you talk with your wife? Communicate with her? Spend time with her?
38. What is the second thing Peter commands a husband to do?
39. Why is it so hard for men to dwell with their wife in an understanding way?
40. What is the third exhortation Peter gives to husbands?
41. The root word in the Greek that is translated “honor” means what?
42. Do you honor your wife? Does she know that?
43. Many times when the marriage isn’t what it should be it is whose fault?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God’s enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- »»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- »»How can I accomplish this change?
- »»What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

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## **QUALITIES OF A GODLY HUSBAND**

### **Ephesians 5:25-33**

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon “**Qualities of a Godly Husband.**” All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. What is in trouble in our day-n-age?
2. How is love defined in our culture?
3. What is wrong with the cultures definition of love?
4. We are living in a period of history when many don’t know the meaning of what word?
5. Do you?
6. One of the reasons why people no longer understand commitment is because they no longer understand what?
7. Love, as God defines it, involves what?
8. Love is a choice that issues forth in an act of what?

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