

**“A Godly Wife Who Brings God Glory” 3/31/19**  
**1 Peter 3:1-6**

Sermon Series- *“Living for the Glory of God in a Hostile World”*

**Big Idea-** God desires for his daughters who are wives to submit to their husbands out of respect and love for God Himself. Even if husbands are disobedient to the Word and they suffer persecution for their faith, wives should conduct themselves with honor and without fear because of their faith in God.

**LESSON 1-** A godly woman will bring God glory in her CONDUCT

- A. Wives are to bring God glory through active SUBMISSION  
(Submission to *own* husbands, not men in general; Eph 5:22; Col 3:18).
- B. Wives of unbelieving husbands may win them without A WORD  
("disobey the word" can refer to unbelievers also- see 1 Pet 2:8; 4:17)
- C. Wives are to live lives of purity and with RESPECT  
(**John 12:43**; Colossians 3:23; 2 Corinthians 5:9; Ephesians 5:32)

**Going Deeper** *God expects wives to honor God by honoring their HUSBANDS*

**LESSON 2-** A godly woman will bring God glory in her INNER PERSON

- A. Wives are not to be caught up in primping the EXTERNALS  
(**1 Timothy 2:9-10**; Proverbs 31:30 "beauty is fleeting....")
- B. Wives are to be focused on a humble and peaceful DEMEANOR  
(Matt 11:29- not selfishly assertive or dramatic; Isaiah 66:2; 3:16-24)
- C. Wives need to know that this is VERY PRECIOUS in God's sight.

**Going Deeper** *God expects wives to spend more time on the internals than EXTERNALS*

**LESSON 3-** A godly woman will bring God glory in her LEGACY

- A. Wives are called to trust God in their obedient act of SUBMISSION
- B. Wives need to exhibit a good model just as Sarah did with Abraham  
(Gen 18:12- in her thoughts- How do you think of your husband?)

**Going Deeper** *God desires for you to trust Him in this and He will protect you from FEAR*