

Sermon Series:

Ephesians: BluePrint - God's Design for the Church

Bible Passage:

Ephesians 5:21-33

Discussion Questions:

1. Read Ephesians 5:21-24. In our culture, these verses almost always come with push back. What are some reasons that we push against these verses?
2. Read Revelation 19:6-9. This passage give us a picture of the only perfect marriage. Do you expect your marriage to be perfect? Even though we have imperfections in our marriages, how can our marriages glorify God?
3. As a wife, how do you respond to the leadership of your husband? How can you encourage and support his leadership?
4. "We can try to love and respect through the law or through the gospel." What does loves and respect through the law look like? Share examples. What does love and respect through the gospel look like? Share examples.
5. Wives, why should you submit to your husbands?

Moving Forward:

God loves us because "we are His." God doesn't love us based on our ability to love and serve Him. This week, reflect on God's love for you. Stop trying to earn God's love and begin resting in His perfect love. When your imperfections show up this week, don't let those imperfections define you. Instead, trust Christ' forgiveness and love!