



Children's Bulletin

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Marriage & Family

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Ephesians 5:22-6:4 New International reader's Version (NirV)

²²Wives, follow the lead of your own husbands as you follow the Lord. ²³The husband is the head of the wife, just as Christ is the head of the church. The church is Christ's body. He is its Savior. ²⁴The church follows the lead of Christ. In the same way, wives should follow the lead of their husbands in everything.

²⁵Husbands, love your wives. Love them just as Christ loved the church. He gave himself up for her. ²⁶He did it to make her holy. He made her clean by washing her with water and the word. ²⁷He did it to bring her to himself as a brightly shining church. He wants a church that has no stain or wrinkle or any other flaw. He wants a church that is holy and without blame. ²⁸In the same way, husbands should love their wives. They should love them as they love their own bodies. Any man who loves his wife loves himself. ²⁹After all, no one ever hated their own body. Instead, they feed and care for their body. And this is what Christ does for the church. ³⁰We are parts of his body. ³¹Scripture says, "That's why a man will leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife. The two will become one." ³²That is a deep mystery. But I'm talking about Christ and the church. ³³A husband also must love his wife. He must love her just as he loves himself. And a wife must respect her husband.

¹Children, obey your parents as believers in the Lord. Obey them because it's the right thing to do. ² Scripture says, "Honor your father and mother." That is the first commandment that has a promise. ³"Then things will go well with you. You will live a long time on the earth."

⁴Fathers, don't make your children angry. Instead, instruct them and teach them the ways of the Lord as you raise them.

Take notes by drawing or writing key words from the sermon.

Gospel Blueprints for Marriage & Family

M Q R D F U T L C I A W N S X	BODY
M K V Q R C I O S V B T V I Z	CHRIST
F U H A E O U V Z V M L K N O	CHURCH
M D I P O M W E M X N Z H S Q	GOSPEL
I S S G M W R D N O B E Y T Q	HOLY
E E Q I B L M I D X H P G R O	HUSBAND
R G F E D N E A G Z L T P U T	INSTRUCT
E Z B J G S E P Z H Z P P C S	LEAD
E X M O Y L O H S W T Z T T I	LOVED
X N T N K P Z N P O I F X C R	OBEY
Q Q X B N D Q N B D G F H Y H	RAISE
P A M B M C S S G B L U E D C	RESPECT
H U S B A N D B M W R S O O S	RIGHT
V O C Q Y M D P V C R T F B Y	WIFE
K U Z G K E C C H T T F I Y O	WORD

How can you grow in your relationship with Jesus? Draw or write your answer.