

COLOSSIANS

“So that you will
walk in a manner
worthy of the Lord,
to please Him in all respects....”

COLOSSIANS 3:18-21

Practical Principles

For Walking in a Manner Worthy of the Lord,
to Please Him in All respects...Col. 3:1-4:6

1. Heavenly Perspective, 3:1-4.
2. Holy Practice, 3:5-11.
3. Healthy Relationships, 3:12-17.
4. Heavenly Homes, 3:18-21.

IMPORTANCE OF MARRIAGE/FAMILY:

- The Bible Compares the relationship between **husband/wife** with that of **Christ/The Church**.
- Eph. 5:23, Paul compares “**headship**” of the husband with the wife, to that of Christ and the Church.
- Eph. 5:24, Paul compares “**submission**” of the wife with the husband, to that of the Church to Christ.

IMPORTANCE OF MARRIAGE/FAMILY:

- In I Cor. 11:3, Paul compares the “**headship**” of the man with the wife, to that of Christ with the man, and to that of God the Father with Christ.

Our marriages are intended to picture and demonstrate theological truths!

IMPORTANT MARRIAGE TOPICS...

- The permanence of marriage
- Priorities in marriage
- Purity and faithfulness
- Respect
- Dealing with disagreements, conflict, and anger.
- Money & finances
- Communication
- Children

THE “SECRET” TO BEING
A GODLY SPOUSE IS...
BEING A GODLY PERSON!!!

IMPORTANT MARRIAGE TOPICS (Colossians)...

Personal Qualities:

- Heavenly Priorities, 3:1-2.
- Future Perspective, 3:4.
- Purity, 3:5.
- Holiness, 3:12.
- Humility, 3:12.
- Love, 3:14.
- Peace ruling in the heart, 3:15.

IMPORTANT MARRIAGE TOPICS (Colossians)...

Personal Qualities:

- Gratitude, 3:15, 16, 17.
- Doing all in the Name of the Lord Jesus!, 3:17.

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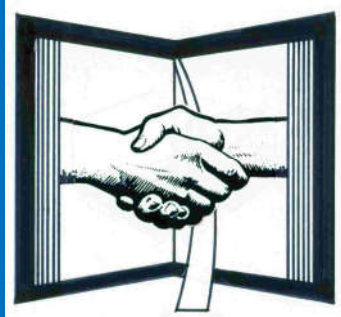
Relationship Qualities:

- No Anger and wrath, 3:8.
- Heart of compassion, 3:12.
- Kindness, 3:12.
- Gentleness, 3:12.
- Patience, 3:12.

IMPORTANT MARRIAGE TOPICS (Colossians)...

Communication Qualities:

- No speaking to each other in anger or wrath, 3:8.
- No malice, 3:8
- No slander or abusive speech, 3:8.
- Absolute honesty...no lying!, 3:9.



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