



# Sermon Discussion Questions

*May the Word of God SHAPE and MOLD us into the image of Jesus!*

**CHECK INS:** Let's check in with each other; how are we doing folks?

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## 4.19.26 - SERMON RECAP:

This week we continue in our series: Disciples of Jesus- looking at I Peter 3:1-7. Peter was calling his audience and us to the radical lifestyle that is countercultural and calls us to trust God's and follow his word. It is important to understand that Peter addresses wives and husbands, yet he values both equally. In God, we are called to live out Christ in our marriage and our daily lives. May we as believers live as Beautiful and Fearless wives and Strong and Prayerful husbands in Christ. May we consider the Call of Christ on all our lives daily. Take time to read together 1 Peter 3:1-7.

## DIGGING DEEPER:

1. So far, Peter has been calling the church to challenge culture through submission. In vs. 1, how does a wife's subjection declare the Gospel?
2. How does our culture encourage us to handle deep disagreement in marriage? Read 1 Peter 2:11-12: How is the conduct Peter is calling women to align with 1 Peter 2:11-13?
3. The external adornment is a big part of today's culture and was also important in Peter's day. Read Matt 5:3-11: As we, not just wives, live in subjection, how can the beatitudes shape our lives daily? Which one do you wrestle with the most?
4. Read 1 Peter 3:4-5: Why does our culture put so much emphasis on external adornment? How is internal holiness more valuable than external appearance? Read 1 Samuel 16:6-13: What does God look at and value in people?
5. Read Genesis 18:9-15: What was the real struggle going on in Sarah's heart during this moment? Look at the Lord's response in vs. 14; how do we struggle in our own faith that God can move in our lives when it seems impossible?
6. Read 1 Peter 3:7: How does honor, by husbands, in the marriage encourage and make it easier for wives to live in subjection? How has sin skewed marriage away from honor and into control?
7. When you see 'weaker vessel', what comes to mind? Why is it important to remember weaker does not mean less valuable or inferior?
8. Read Galatians 3:27-4:7: How does Paul describe equality in God for those that believe? How might we live out the freedom of being sons and daughters of God either in marriage or not?
9. Read Ps 27:1; & 73:26: In the face of subjection and unfair/unjust suffering, in any context, how might we take strength from God? What places in scripture do you turn to when you struggle to live in good conduct as a 'Disciple of Jesus'?

## How Does ALL THIS Apply to our Values?



Gospel Transformation

Compassionate Engagement



Authentic Relationship

Kingdom Multiplication

