

# Allowing the Church To Be the Church!

Body Life

1 Corinthians 12:27, Romans 12:4-5

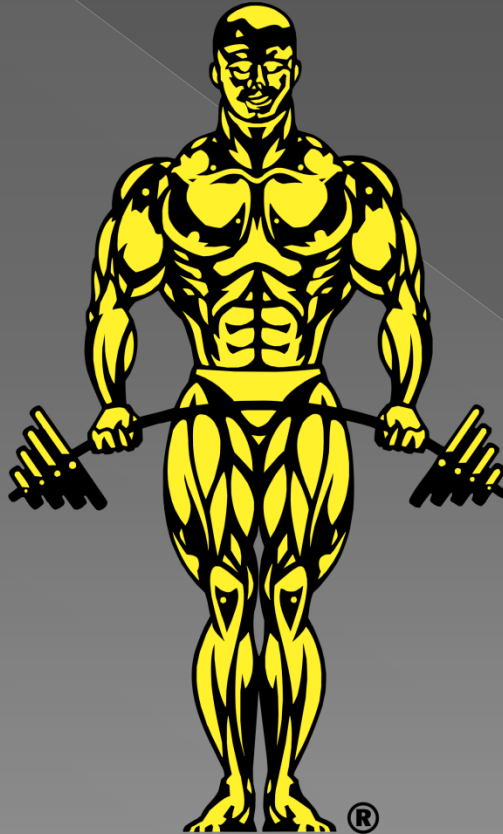
# 1 Corinthians 12:27

Now you are the  
body of Christ, and  
each one of you is a  
part of it.

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We are the  
Body of Christ!



# I. Jesus Christ is Lord of the church.



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● Ephesians 5:23

FOR THE HUSBAND IS THE HEAD OF  
THE WIFE, EVEN AS CHRIST IS  
THE HEAD OF THE CHURCH: AND HE  
IS THE SAVIOUR OF THE BODY.

- EPHESIANS 5:23

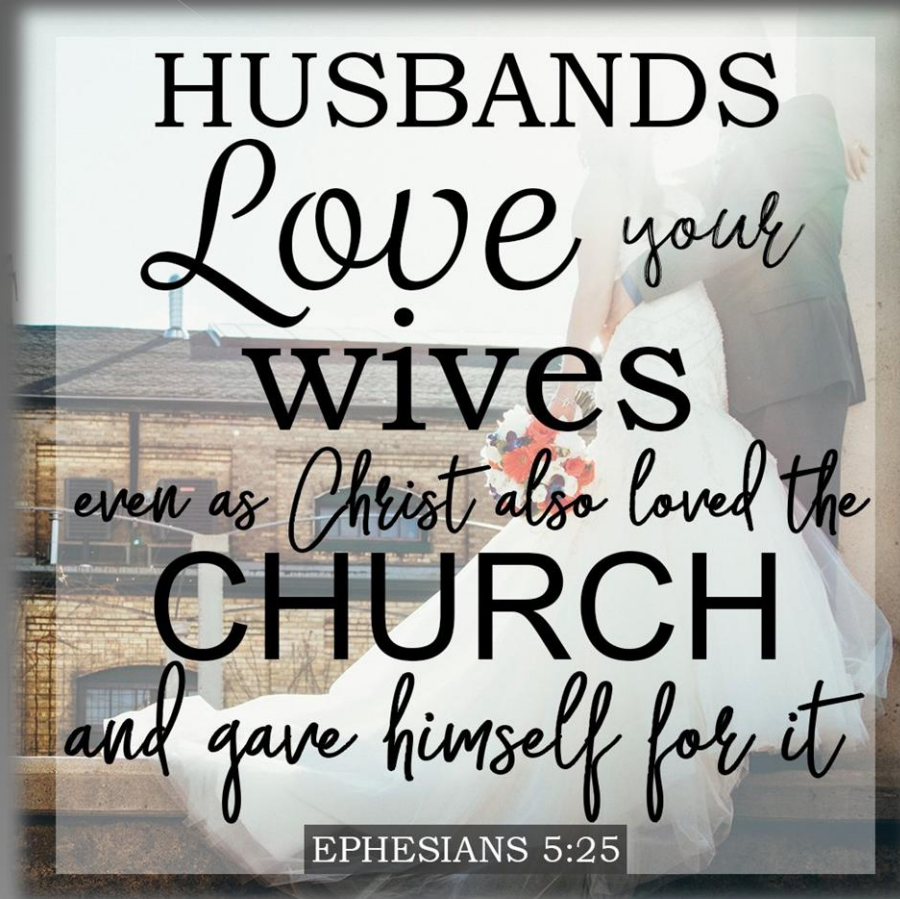


## II. Jesus Christ loves the church.



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● Ephesians 5:25





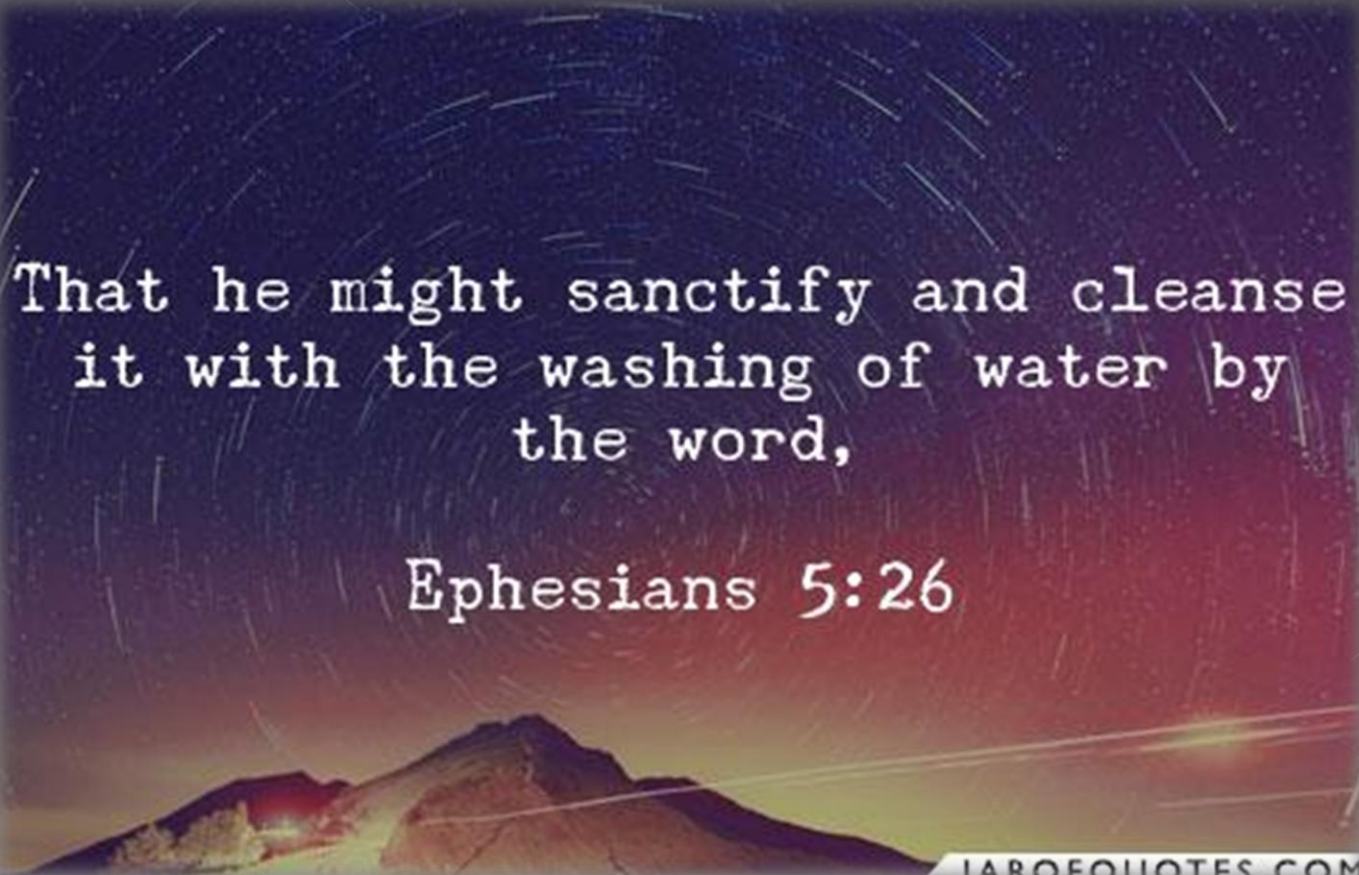
# III. Jesus Christ cleanses the church.



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● Ephesians 5:26



That he might sanctify and cleanse  
it with the washing of water by  
the word,

Ephesians 5:26

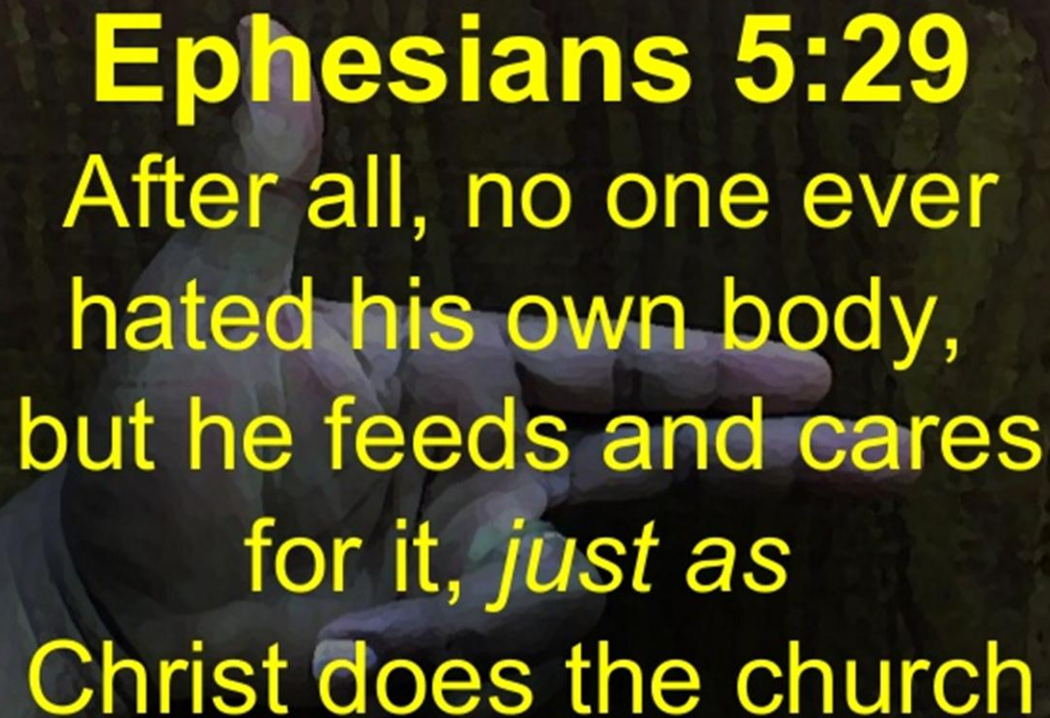
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**Ephesians 5:29**  
After all, no one ever  
hated his own body,  
but he feeds and cares  
for it, *just as*  
Christ does the church



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### **Ephesians 5:29**

(29) For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as the Lord does the church.

Surrender  
your life to  
Jesus Christ!