## A Wife's Responsibility

Ephesians 5:21-24; 1 Peter 3:1-6 November 18-2018 Pastor Gary Hollinger

At the resurrection people will neither marry nor be given in marriage; they will be like the angels in heaven. (Matthew 22:30)

But I want you to realize that the head of every man is Christ, and the head of the woman is man, and the head of Christ is God. (1 Corinthians 11:3)

Christian wives are to emulate the church, who willingly follows their servant leader.

I. Christian wives are to <u>voluntarily submit</u> themselves to the <u>headship</u> of their husbands. (Ephesians 5:22-24; 1 Peter 3:1-6)

"bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ" (Galatians 6:2).

To this you were called, because Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, that you should follow in his steps... (1 Peter 2:21)

When they hurled their insults at him, he did not retaliate; when he suffered, he made no threats. Instead, he entrusted himself to him who judges justly. (1 Peter 2:23)

II. Christian wives are to give <u>unconditional respect</u> to their husbands. (Ephesians 5:33)