



THE BIBLICAL ROLE OF HUSBANDS



1. HE SHOULD LOVE GOD MORE THAN HIS WIFE



"The most important one," answered Jesus, "is this: 'Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.'" - **Mark 12:29-30**

2. HE SHOULD BE BOTH A LEADER AND A SPIRITUAL LEADER



"If anyone does not know how to manage his own family, how can he take care of God's church?" - **1 Timothy 3:5**

3. HE SHOULD BE A PROVIDER



"Anyone who does not provide for their relatives, and especially for their own household, has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever" - **1 Timothy 5:8**

4. HE SHOULD BE A PROTECTOR



"Husbands, in the same way be considerate as you live with your wives, and treat them with respect as the weaker partner and as heirs with you of the gracious gift of life, so that nothing will hinder your prayers" - **1 Peter 3:7**

5. HE SHOULD BE A COMPANION



"...But for Adam no suitable helper was found...That is why a man leaves his father and mother and is united to his wife, and they become one flesh." - **Genesis 2:20-24**

6. HE SHOULD BE COURAGEOUS



"Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be courageous; be strong." - **1 Corinthians 16:13**

7. HE SHOULD LOVE HIS WIFE (AND LET OTHERS SEE THAT LOVE)

"Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her." - **Ephesians 5:25**

