

I've long heard the phrase, " a jug of wine, a loaf of bread and thou." Minus the wine seems the easiest way to go with the Lord. His plans, however are Him and me in the midst of people.

DAY ONE ;

Today we will be looking generally at the impact of members of a family on other members or the family at large.

1. Read the following scriptures and record insights on impact of family members.

a. Genesis 15:1-6

Genesis 16:1-5

Genesis 18:11-15

b. Genesis 25:21-28

Genesis 27:1-46

c. Genesis 34:1-31

d. Genesis 37:28

Genesis 39:1-23
(remember the cup bearer and Joseph's release from
jail to Pharaoh's house)

Genesis 45:1-5

e. Acts 16:25-34

f. Acts 16:1-2

II Timothy 1:5

g. John 1:40-42

DAY TWO AND DAY THREE:

In Christ can there be victory for each of us regardless of what is happening around us?

1. Read the following scriptures and record insights on Jesus Christ as Head.

a. Ephesians 5:18-23

b. Colossians 1:8

c. Colossians 2:9-14

d. Colossians 2:18-19

Do you see that headship flows down and influences?

What effort do you see the Body making?

2. Each of us find ourselves under the authority of a "head"; perhaps a husband or a father who has great influence.

Read the following and record insights on headship.

a. Ephesians 5:23-27

b. I Corinthians 11:1-10

What do you understand from verse three?

Verse four needs this fact. Hats or veils signified guilt or humility. What do you see from verse four?

c. I Timothy 2:8-15
(v11-12 translate woman- wife, man-husband)

What if the " head" is lost?

What if they don't walk in obedience?

What if they abuse their authority?

Does their influence still have ultimate purpose?

3. Read the following for further insights.

a. I Peter 3:1-6

What is the woman's power?

b. I Corinthians 11:11-15
Verse 13 is not a question. In light of that, what does verse 14 mean?

c. I Corinthians 7:12-14

What is the power of one believer in a home?

4. What of the parental relationship?

Read the following scriptures and record insight on headship.

a. Ephesians 6:1-4

b. Colossians 5:20-21

Always with God, in Christ there is provision!

5. Read the following scriptures and record insights into provision.

a. Romans 8:14-15

b. Galatians 4:6-9

c. I Peter 1:15-19

d. II Corinthians 11:1-2

6. Write a few sentences to show what you understand of "headship".

7. Write a few sentences to show what you understand of the ultimate authority of Jesus Christ.

8. Write a few sentences to show how you understand these two principles working together.

DAY FIVE:

Now, not to confuse you more but hopefully to clarify. God never makes one believer less than another. There are different roles. There exists headship yet, there is an ultimate Head.

1. Read Galatians 3:27-29.

2. Read the following and record what you determine of individual roles and power. Because much in scripture is addressed to males, I have included specific scriptures.

a. Mark 16:1-9

b. Acts 16:14-15

c. Luke 2: 25-38

d. Romans 16:1 (define servant K.J.)

e. I Corinthians 11:5

f. Acts 18: 24-25

g. Titus 2:3-5

Is there a place for you?

Ministry?

3. What do you see of the conflict caused in spiritually divided situations whether the "head" be husband, father or in a single parent, a mother.

Is personal resolution promised? Use truth from the last two lessons to support your answers.

