

# *On Marriage*

*Wives, submit yourselves unto your own husbands, as unto the Lord.*

*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.*

*Therefore as the church is subject unto Christ, so let the wives be to their own husbands in every thing.*

*Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ also loved the church, and gave Himself for it. . .*

*So ought men to love their wives as their own bodies.*

*He that loveth his wife loveth himself.*

*For no man ever yet hated his own flesh;*

*but nourisheth and cherisheth it,*

*even as the Lord the church:*

*For we are members of His body, of His flesh, and of His bones.*

*For this cause shall a man leave his father and mother, and shall be joined unto his wife, and they two shall be one flesh.*

*. . . Let every one of you in particular so love his wife even as himself; and the wife see that she reverence her husband.*

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