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Marriage Made in Heaven

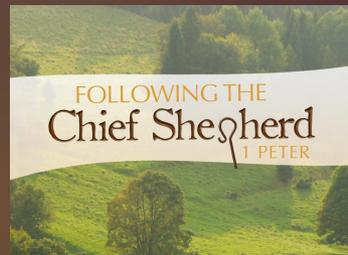
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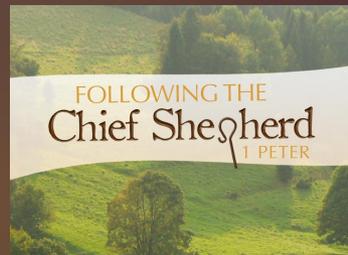
In the same way?

- 1 Peter 2:13 – Human institutions of government, civic authorities
- 1 Peter 2:18 – Servant/master relationships
- 1 Peter 2:21 – Christ's example of submission
- 1 Peter 3:1 – Wives
- 1 Peter 3:7 – Husbands



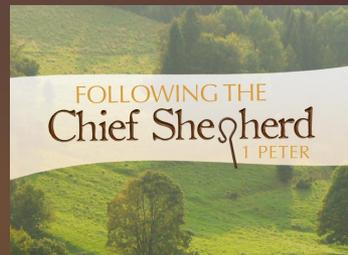
Submission?

- A mutual submission
 - to yield,
 - to follow,
 - to listen to the pattern and example of Christ,
 - to not seek my own way,
 - to not be a demanding, selfish kind of a person
 - to give freely,
 - to love others, placing their worth and care over my own.



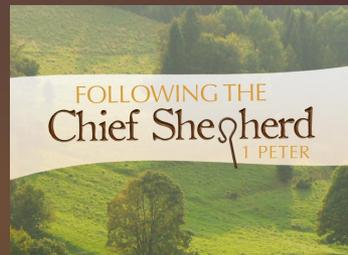
1 Peter 3:1-7

1 In the same way, you wives, be submissive to your own husbands so that even if any of them are disobedient to the word, they may be won without a word by the behavior of their wives, 2 as they observe your chaste and respectful behavior.



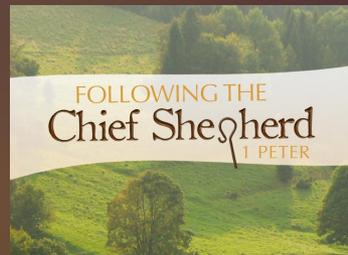
1 Peter 3:1-7 Cont.

3 Your adornment must not be merely external—braiding the hair, and wearing gold jewelry, or putting on dresses; 4 but let it be the hidden person of the heart, with the imperishable quality of a gentle and quiet spirit, which is precious in the sight of God.



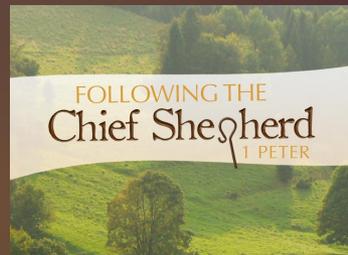
1 Peter 3:1-7 Cont.

5 For in this way in former times the holy women also, who hoped in God, used to adorn themselves, being submissive to their own husbands; 6 just as Sarah obeyed Abraham, calling him lord, and you have become her children if you do what is right without being frightened by any fear.



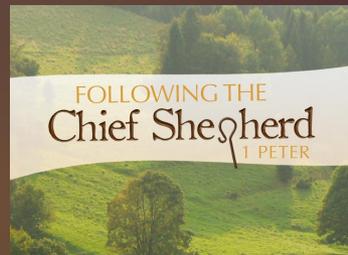
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7 You husbands in the same way, live with your wives in an understanding way, as with someone weaker, since she is a woman; and show her honor as a fellow heir of the grace of life, so that your prayers will not be hindered.



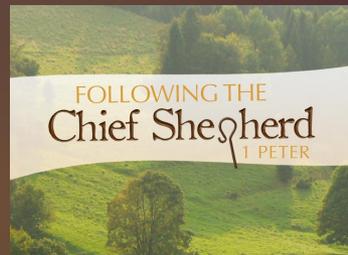
Wives

- Be submissive
- Focus on the Inner beauty
- Live free from fear



Wives

1. How did your husband ever qualify for the job of being your husband?
2. What kind of husband do you want?



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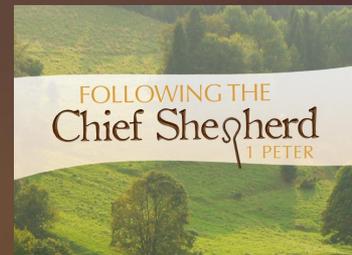


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Husbands

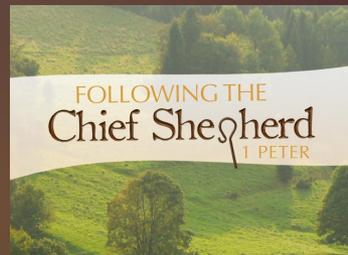
- Lead well
- Love well



Husbands

Therefore, prepare your minds for action, keep sober in spirit, fix your hope completely on the grace to be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ. 14 As obedient children, do not [e]be conformed to the former lusts which were yours in your ignorance,

1 Peter 1:13-14

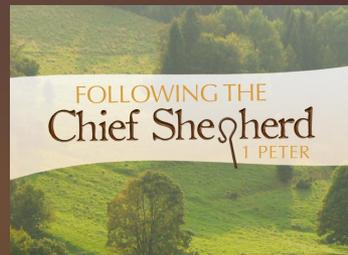


Husbands

Now those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

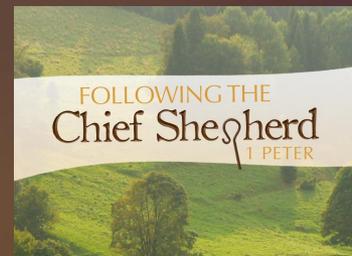
Galatians 5:24

- Men, does this describe your life ?



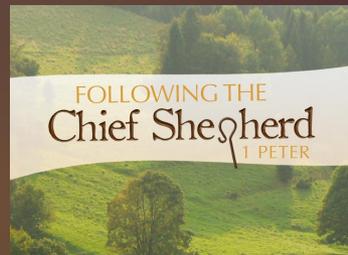
Husbands

- 1 Peter 3:7 – Grant her honor
- 1 Peter 2:7 – Precious
- Husband's do you regard your wife as precious?



Husbands

- Have we made sure that our wives know and understand how precious they are to us?
- Do we understand how difficult it is for a wife to live out her days, obeying the six verses that we read?
- Men, when is the last time you took your wife by the hand, and lead her in prayer ?





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