

Message Notes

"Men - Women - God"

Scripture Passages

(taken from the New International Version)

Introduction - "Life is not simple . . . neither is preaching through 1 Corinthians!"

What's your starting point?

What we know for sure:

Let's dive into 1 Corinthians 11:2-16!
A new series of topics - Worship!

1. Men and Women in worship
(1 Corinthians 11:2)

2. Head?!?! Say, what?!
(1 Corinthians 11:3)

4 Possibilities

Eph 1:-10, 2:19b-23, 4:14-16, 5:22-25

Colossians 1:15-20, 2:9-10

Matthew 28:6-19

John 3:34-36, 5:19-27, 10:14-18

Philippians 2:5-11, 1 Corinthians 15:27-28

3. Dishonoring your head
(1 Corinthians 11:4-6)

4. Why to cover or not
(1 Corinthians 11:7-10)

Genesis 1:26-27

Genesis 2:18, 20b-22

5. Different BUT Equal!
(1 Corinthians 11:11-12)

4. The conclusion of the matter
(1 Corinthians 11:13-16)

Application - "How do we apply this?"

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1 Corinthians 11:2-16

²I praise you for remembering me in everything and for holding to the teachings, just as I passed them on to you. ³Now 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. ⁴Every man who prays or prophesies with his head covered dishonors his head. ⁵And every woman who prays or prophesies with her head uncovered dishonors her head – it is just as though her head were shaved. ⁶If a woman does not cover her head, she should have her hair cut off; and if it is a disgrace for a woman to have her hair cut or shaved off, she should cover her head. ⁷A man ought not to cover his head, since he is the image and glory of God; but the woman is the glory of man. ⁸For man did not come from woman, but woman from man; ⁹neither was man created for woman, but woman for man. ¹⁰For this reason, and because of the angels, the woman ought to have a sign of authority on her head. ¹¹In the Lord, however, woman is not independent of man, nor is man independent of woman. ¹²For as woman came from man, so also man is born of woman. But everything comes from God. ¹³Judge for yourselves: Is it proper for a woman to pray to God with her head uncovered? ¹⁴Does not the very nature of things teach you that if a man has long hair, it is a disgrace to him, ¹⁵but that if a woman has long hair, it is her glory? For long hair is given to her as a covering. ¹⁶If anyone wants to be contentious about this, we have no other practice – nor do the churches of God.