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Woman who fears the Lord

Charm is deceitful and beauty is vain, But a woman who fears the Lord, she shall be praised.

Proverbs 31:10

When I think of Mother's day, I always think one day to honor Mother's is simply not enough. When God made women, He made them specifically wired to care and nurture their children. Their ability to add the care of a child to their already busy lives, and to do so with joy and selflessness is an amazing thing to behold. Every one of us who were blessed with a loving mother were blessed with one of the greatest gifts to man...A Mom.

Mom

To what can I compare a godly mother?
To Glue that holds a family together.
An Anchor that hold us firm in a storm.
A Blanket that keeps us cozy and warm.

A Hug that lets us know we are loved.
A Heart that points us to God above.
A Pillar that stands strong for what's right.
A Hand that tucks us in each night.

To Diamonds, or Pearls or Silver or Gold?
There is nothing on earth that quite fits the mold.
So we come to the conclusion, she is one of kind.
And I thank God always that He made her mine.

Happy Mothers Day!

John

Solving Problems

Matthew 18:15 *If your brother sins against you, go and show him his fault, just between the two of you. If he listens to you, you have won your brother over.*

Is there a Christian that you are upset with? Does this person know this? Is this causing deep emotions within you? Are you losing sleep over it? Are you speaking against this person because of the hurt? We can be deeply troubled over how someone's actions affect us. Certainly it is not easy to go to someone and say how his/her actions have hurt. In fairness to self and to the other person, the offense must be addressed. Quite possibly the person is unaware of the offense. Give that person a chance to make things right. The situation is to be kept between the two people. If the offender asks for your forgiveness then the problem is solved and the relationship (especially the Christian one) can continue. Don't let the roots of the problem grow deep. Harmony in the church is so valuable as well commanded by the Scriptures.

When this process is followed there is usually a great outcome. What happens if the person does not respond? Jesus continued to teach that if the person does not listen then take one or two other people with you to address the problem again. This will establish witnesses concerning the differences. If this does not work then the Lord taught that the church was to be informed. The church was to rise up to help solve the problem. If after this process there is still no resolution, then the offender was to be treated as if they were not a member of the church. The truth of the matter is that it will never get this far if the two individuals are living the Christian life. Solve your problems and do it quickly.

Joe

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

OUR MEMBERS

- Alice Bolton
- Roberta Bolton
- Bernice Bratton
- Joy Brown
- John Churchwell
- Dave Coleman
- JoAnn Coleman
- Vera Daniels
- Corrine Goetz
- Tal Gray
- Billy Ray Hardison
- Nell Hood
- Clayton & Myrna Jett
- Linda Luna
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- Jimmy Quirk
- Donald White
- Elaine Whitehead
- Patsy Tyree
- Peggy Wilson
- Dorothy Johnson

FRIENDS AND FAMILY

- Georgia Cook** - mother of Jennifer McNeese
- Helen Deen** - mother of Sharon Davis
- Wanda Nix** - sister of Debbie Massey
- Joyce Crowe** - mother of Debbie Massey
- Linda Collier** - sister-in-law of Linda Mabry
- Stormy Lyle** - mother of Mike Lyle
- Dennis Thrasher** - father of Lisa Kelley
- Carolyn Macer** - mother of Joe Macer
- John Cottrell** - brother of Robert Cottrell

WORSHIP LEADERS MAY 13, 2018

SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.

Welcome.....Greg Lusk
 Song Leader:Nathan Hixson
 Prayer:.....Greg Grey
 Lord's Supper: Presiding.....Sam Quirk
 James Bolton Ronnie Skelley
 Terry Burgess Corey Smith
 Max Ballard Dustin Stutts
 Ryan Massey Chase Thomason
 Read: Proverbs 31:26-31.....Trent Hill
 Sermon: A Woman Who Fears the Lord.....John Thomas
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Greg Lusk

SUNDAY 5:30 P.M.

Welcome/Song Leader.....Mike Kinzer
 Prayer.....Max Ballard
 Read: Romans 6:19-23.....Benny Bolton
 Sermon: The Gospel in a Verse
 A "how to" talk on evangelism.....John Thomas
 Presiding.....John Massey
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Ryan Grice

Ushers: David White, Ed Hargrove, Sonny Hargrove
 Greeters: Greg & Kelley Lusk, Ryan & Angie Massey
 A/V Operator: Chris Mobley, Tommy Hood

Security Team: A.M Chris Mobley, Patrick Sullivan - P.M. - Chris Mobley, Bobby Daniels

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NURSERY CARE FOR MAY

A.M.....Angie Massey

WEDNESDAY MAY 16, 6:30 P.M.

Song Leader:Trent Thomason
 Prayer:.....Charlie Willis
 Announcements/Speaker:.....Jerry Ballard