

CrossWalk **notes**

Worth It

Seeing Value in Women Through God's Eyes.

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How do I see my value as a woman apart from the roles I play in my life?

²⁷ So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them. **Genesis 1:27, NIV**

God made us all equal in _____.

He also chose to make us _____ and _____.

But for Adam no suitable helper was found . . . he took one of the man's ribs and then closed up the place with flesh.

²² Then the Lord God made a woman from the rib he had taken out of the man, and he brought her to the man. ²³ The man said, "This is now bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; she shall be called 'woman,' for she was taken out of man." ²⁴ That is why a man leaves his father and mother and is united to his wife, and they become one flesh. . . ²⁰ Adam named his wife Eve, because she would become the mother of all the living. **Genesis 2:20^b-24; 3:20 NIV**

One _____ a woman may play is that of a wife and mother in an _____ union in marriage.

Wives, in the same way submit yourselves to your own husbands so that, if any of them do not believe the word, they may be won over without words by the behavior of their wives, ² when they see the purity and reverence of your lives.

1 Peter 3:1-2, NIV

Jesus made submission his _____. You can, too!

³ Your beauty should not come from outward adornment, such as elaborate hairstyles and the wearing of gold jewelry or fine clothes. **1 Peter 3:3, NIV**

Men sin by _____ women.

Women sin by falling into a similar _____.

⁴ Rather, it should be that of your inner self, the unfading beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which is of great worth in God's sight. ⁵ For this is the way the holy women of the past who put their hope in God used to adorn themselves. They submitted themselves to their own husbands, ⁶ like Sarah, who obeyed Abraham and called him her lord. You are her daughters if you do what is right and do not give way to fear. **1 Peter 3:4-6, NIV**

God sees the beauty of a _____ and _____ spirit that comes from confident _____ in him.

Don't let _____ keep you from doing what is _____.

⁸ Listen, my son, to your father's instruction and do not forsake your mother's teaching.

⁹ They are a garland to grace your head and a chain to adorn your neck. **Proverbs 1:8-9, NIV**

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⁴ Rather, it should be that of your inner self, the unfading beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which is of great worth in God's sight **1 Peter 3:4, NIV**

My next step: Jesus has restored me in the image of God – I am a child of God. I will not let my roles define me – but I will serve him in whatever role he assigns me.

What's your next step?

Mark it on your connection card.