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**“I PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE
BIBLE, GOD’S HOLY WORD, I WILL
MAKE IT A LAMP UNTO MY FEET AND
A LIGHT UNTO MY PATH AND WILL
HIDE ITS WORDS IN MY HEART THAT
I MIGHT NOT SIN AGAINST GOD.**

Hold up your bible: This is my bible. There are many like it but this one is mine.

I highly recommend getting a study bible. Turn your sword into a battle axe.

<say the pledge together>

When we say these words, we’re actually declaring that the Word of God has headship over our life.

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FASHION, OR HEADSHIP?

1 CORINTHIANS 11:1-16

God

↑

Christ

↑

Husband

↑

Wife

God's Authority Structure

The head of every man is Christ, the head of woman is man, and the head of Christ is God (1 Cor. 11:3 NLT)

1 Cor 11:4-5: ⁴Every man who prays or prophesies with his head covered dishonors his head. ⁵But every woman who prays or prophesies with her head uncovered dishonors her head—it is the same as having her head shaved.


Ladies fashion in church is another divisive issue in the Corinthian church similar to being able to eat meat offered to idols.
(We're not talking about burlap sacks.)

My study bible says the word "head" here is being used both literally and figuratively.

We all submit to somebody. Do it according to God's structure and be blessed, or on your own accord and your miles may vary.

<https://slidetodoc.com/veils-ales-females-1-corinthians-11-2-16/>

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SUBMISSION AND COVERING
1 CORINTHIANS 11:1-16

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Submission of Jesus
1 Cor 11:3; 14:28

Submission doesn't make a wife less human than her husband.
Submission doesn't make Jesus less God than the Father.



God
Creator

Man
Creature

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Although Jesus created and sustained all things (Col 1:17-18), Jesus voluntarily submitted to the Father and did nothing outside of his will. (John 5:19)

¹⁹ Jesus gave them this answer: “Very truly I tell you, the Son can do nothing by himself; he can do only what he sees his Father doing, because whatever the Father does the Son also does.

Submission doesn't mean less than. Jesus is not less than God simply because he chose to submit to the Father.

When we submit to our headship, we are under the blessings and coverings of that headship.

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LORD'S SUPPER

1 CORINTHIANS 11:17-34

- 26: For as often...you proclaim the Lord's death until he returns.
- 29: For he who eats and drinks in an unworthy manner eats and drinks judgment to himself. (NKJV)
 - For if you eat the bread or drink the cup **without honoring the body of Christ** (NLT)

We will celebrate our communion (Common Union) together at the end, just a couple of points.

Jesus served Judas communion knowing full-well what was coming. Sin does not disqualify you from communion, therefore don't exclude yourself from this means of grace whenever it is offered to you.

You can have communion with your own family. Don't know what to say? Open your bible.

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SPIRITUAL GIFTS

1 CORINTHIANS 12:1-11

- 1: Regarding your question about the **special abilities** the Spirit gives us. **I don't want you to misunderstand this.** (NLT)
- 4: There are different kinds of spiritual gifts, but the same Spirit is the source of them all.
- 7: A spiritual gift is given to each of us so we can help each other.
- **Church isn't at its full potential until everyone is using their gifts!**

Other translations say ignorant or uninformed.

Isn't it interesting that the Corinthians were asking Paul about these Spiritual Gifts? They had already been experiencing them in their church, but they didn't fully understand or know how to use them.

These gifts all come from the same Spirit (God), they are not from separate pagan Gods as they were accustomed.

Wisdom, Knowledge, Faith, Healing, Miracles, Prophecies, Discernment, Tongues, Interpretation

Look for more on the Spiritual Gifts on the Active Love Church YouTube channel and join our bible study!

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NEW MEMORY VERSE

1 Corinthians 12:1 (NIV)

Now about the gifts of the Spirit, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed.

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INSTRUCTIONS

- Write down the memory verse: 1 Corinthians 12:1
- Briefly review previous memory verses
- Read 1 Corinthians 11-12:11
- Pray about the promises, truths, and commands in the text
- Pray for one another

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MEMORY VERSE REVIEW

- 1 Corinthians 2:12
- 1 Corinthians 3:16
- 1 Corinthians 6:12
- 1 Corinthians 9:22
- 1 Corinthians 12:1