

1 Peter Series

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HUSBANDS

1 PETER 3:7



1ST PETER

LIVING IN LIGHT OF ETERNITY

1 Pet. 2:17, “Honor all people. Love the brotherhood. Fear God. Honor the king.”

How to implement these four imperatives in our lives is explained by the following Greek participles:

1 Pet. 2:18: Servants *by being submissive to your masters ...*

1 Pet. 3:1: Wives, likewise *by being submissive to your own husbands ...*

1 Pet. 3:8: Husbands, likewise *by dwelling with them with understanding ...*

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Eph. 5:25, “Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself for her,”

**ἀγαπάω *agapaō*
pres act impera 2 plur
to love**

**ἀγαπάω *agapaō*
aor act indic 3 sing
to love**

Eph. 5:28, “So husbands ought to love their own wives as their own bodies; he who loves his wife loves himself.

Eph. 5:29, “For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as the Lord does the church.”

1 Cor. 13:4, “Love is patient, love is kind and is not jealous; love does not brag and is not arrogant,

1 Cor. 13:5, “does not act unbecomingly; it does not seek its own, is not provoked, does not take into account a wrong suffered,”

1 Cor. 13:6, “does not rejoice in unrighteousness, but rejoices with the truth;

1 Cor. 13:7, “bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.”

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συνοικέω *sunoikeō*
pres act part masc
plur nom
to live with

γνῶσις *gnōsis*
acc fem sing
knowledge

Joy/Inner Happiness/Tranquility of Soul

James 1:3; John 15:11; 17:13

**Personal Love
for God
Prov. 3:5, 6**

**ILM/ULM
Prov. 3:5, 6**

**Occupation
with Christ
Prov. 3:5, 6**

**Personal Sense of our Eternal Destiny
Col. 3:24; 1 Pet. 1:4**

**Faith-Rest Drill
Prov. 3:5, 6**

**Grace Orientation
Eph. 2:8, 9
1 Pet. 3:18**

**Doctrinal
Orientation
Heb. 4:12
1 Pet. 3:18**

**Walking by the Holy Spirit/Filling of the Holy Spirit
Gal. 5:16**

Confession of Sin, 1 John 1:9

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τιμή *timē*

acc fem sing

**respect, value,
esteem**

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σκεῦος *skeuos*
acc neut sing
object, thing, a
human body, a
container (jar,
dish), instrument
for doing
something

“Joe Biden and *I know that women are as least as strong as men*, we’re stronger for it.”

**Pres. Barack Hussein Obama, Jan. 4, 2017
Speaking to the Armed Forces Full Honor
Review Farewell Ceremony
(emphasis added)**



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What kind of heir?

**Heir of God, which we all have in common?
Or joint-heir with Christ?**

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with our spirit that we are children of God,**

**Rom. 8:17, “and if children, then heirs—heirs
of God and joint heirs with Christ, if indeed
we suffer with Him, that we may also be
glorified together.”**

1. In some passages, inheritance is related to rewards for what is earned for service, whereas salvation is a free gift.

Colossians 3:24, “knowing that from the Lord you will receive the reward of the inheritance; for you serve the Lord Christ.”

**2. In other passages our Heirship is based on Adoption, Sonship, therefore inheritance is related to positional truth.
Gal. 3:29, 4:1**

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Where do the commas belong?

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3. Heirship is related to hope.

Titus 3:7, “that having been justified by His grace we should become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.”

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ἐγκόπτω *egkoptō*

pres pass infin

to cut off, hinder

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