

THE CHRISTIAN WOMAN - STUDY QUESTIONS ON HOW MEN AND WOMEN DIFFER

Student Name:

1. Did God intend for men and women to be different from each other?
Genesis 1:27
2. Haman exhibits what characteristic which is often a problem with men?
Esther 6:4
3. The commands God gives the husband and wife in Ephesians 5:33 are exactly the things that man and woman most need from each other. The thing a man needs above all from a woman is (check the correct answer):
__a. sex __b. respect for his leadership __c. rationality
4. Why do you think David and Michal had such opposite feelings about David's behavior while bringing the holy ark into Jerusalem? 2 Samuel 3:12-15; 6:16-23
5. What do you think are the hardest things for women to understand about men?
6. If a woman believes her husband is making foolish choices but he won't listen, where can a woman turn, and to whom can she leave the consequences and be at peace? 1 Peter 5:7; Philippians 4:6, 7; Romans 12:18, 19
7. If a woman is tempted to be afraid and distraught about what may happen because her husband won't listen to her, scripture counsels her not to give way to . 1 Peter 3:6c
8. How can a woman best hope to convince a man who won't listen to God's word or her words? 1 Peter 3:1-6
9. Suppose you have a complaint you need to confront a man with. Describe the manner or approach that will be most likely to put him on the defensive and close his mind to what you are saying.
10. Describe the manner of communication that is most likely to help the man really listen and respond constructively. Romans 14:13; Ephesians 4:31; Galatians 6:1, 2; 1 Corinthians 13:4-7; Colossians 4:6; James 1:19; Proverbs 18:13; Matthew 18:15
11. How does a man feel about a woman who constantly nags? Proverbs 21:19
12. A woman who controls and manipulates her husband by withholding sex is violating what command of God's word? 1 Corinthians 7:2-5

13. List some ways in which you think mid-life is hard for a man.
14. What are some foolish choices men may make when coping with a mid-life crisis?
15. Give some reasons you can think have why a man might bury himself in his work and neglect marriage and family.
16. List some ways women punish men.
17. If a man's wife reminds him of his mother standing over him, how is likely to respond?
18. What are some reasons why a man finds it harder to share his feelings openly.
19. What are some differences in the way men and women think about sex?
20. Why is it hard for a man to stop and ask directions?
21. Name a man who was too depraved to ever change. 1 Samuel 25:1-39
22. Who will eventually deal with such a man? 1 Samuel 25:38
23. If a man mistreats his wife, what happens to that man and God? 1 Peter 3:7