

# The Benefits Of A Godly Wife

## GENESIS 2:18

18. *And the LORD God said, It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him an help meet for him.*

## PROVERBS 12:4

4. *A virtuous woman is a crown to her husband: but she that maketh ashamed is as rottenness in his bones.*

## HE SWORE BY HIMSELF [54-1212]

...the woman that's a Christian, and a good woman is the best thing that a man could find outside of salvation. But one that ain't no good is the worst thing he could find...

## JEHOVAH JIREH PT3 [62-0707]

So, an unrighteous one is the worse thing he can get a hold of. And a righteous one is the best thing he can get a hold of, outside of salvation. If God could have give a man a better thing than a wife, He would have give it to him, 'cause God just gives His children the good things. And He gave him a wife, and I'm thankful for it.

## FAITH IS THE SUBSTANCE [47-0412]

...it doesn't take a big house to make a home. It's the character on the inside that makes a home.

## PROVERBS 18:22

22. *Whoso findeth a wife findeth a good thing, and obtaineth favour of the LORD.*

## PROVERBS 31:10

10. *Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies.*

## PROVERBS 31:26-28

26. *She openeth her mouth with wisdom; and in her tongue is the law of kindness.*

27. *She looketh well to the ways of her household, and eateth not the bread of idleness.*

28. *Her children arise up, and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth her.*

## PROVERBS 31:30

30. *Favour is deceitful, and beauty is vain: but a woman that feareth the LORD, she shall be praised.*

**RUTH 3:11b**

11b. ...all the city of my people doth know that thou art a virtuous woman.

**GENESIS 3:12**

12. And the man said, The woman whom thou gavest to be with me, she gave me of the tree, and I did eat.

**GENESIS 21:11-12**

11. And the thing was very grievous in Abraham's sight because of his son.

12. And God said unto Abraham, Let it not be grievous in thy sight because of the lad, and because of thy bondwoman; in all that Sarah hath said unto thee, hearken unto her voice; for in Isaac shall thy seed be called.

**GENESIS 19:26**

26. But his wife looked back from behind him, and she became a pillar of salt.

**JOB 2:9**

9. Then said his wife unto him, Dost thou still retain thine integrity? curse God, and die.

**EXODUS 4:24-26**

24. And it came to pass by the way in the inn, that the LORD met him, and sought to kill him.

25. Then Zipporah took a sharp stone, and cut off the foreskin of her son, and cast it at his feet, and said, Surely a bloody husband art thou to me.

26. So he let him go: then she said, A bloody husband thou art, because of the circumcision.

**I SAMUEL 25:25-33**

25. Let not my lord, I pray thee, regard this man of Belial, even Nabal: for as his name is, so is he; Nabal is his name, and folly is with him: but I thine handmaid saw not the young men of my lord, whom thou didst send.

26. Now therefore, my lord, as the LORD liveth, and as thy soul liveth, seeing the LORD hath withholden thee from coming to shed blood, and from avenging thyself with thine own hand, now let thine enemies, and they that seek evil to my lord, be as Nabal.

27. And now this blessing which thine handmaid hath brought unto my lord, let it even be given unto the young men that follow my lord.

28. I pray thee, forgive the trespass of thine handmaid: for the LORD will certainly make my lord a sure house; because my lord fighteth the battles of the LORD, and evil hath not been found in thee all thy days.

29. *Yet a man is risen to pursue thee, and to seek thy soul: but the soul of my lord shall be bound in the bundle of life with the LORD thy God; and the souls of thine enemies, them shall he sling out, as out of the middle of a sling.*

30. *And it shall come to pass, when the LORD shall have done to my lord according to all the good that he hath spoken concerning thee, and shall have appointed thee ruler over Israel;*

31. *That this shall be no grief unto thee, nor offence of heart unto my lord, either that thou hast shed blood causeless, or that my lord hath avenged himself: but when the LORD shall have dealt well with my lord, then remember thine handmaid.*

32. *And David said to Abigail, Blessed be the LORD God of Israel, which sent thee this day to meet me: 33. And ***blessed be thy advice***, and blessed be thou, which hast kept me this day from coming to shed blood, and from avenging myself with mine own hand.*

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*Nabhal or Nabal = "fool"*

*Nabal {naw-bawl'}*

### **I KINGS 11:3**

3. *And he had seven hundred wives, princesses, and three hundred concubines: and his wives turned away his heart.*

4. *For it came to pass, when Solomon was old, that his wives turned away his heart after other gods: and his heart was not perfect with the LORD his God, as was the heart of David his father.*

### **MATTHEW 14:8**

8. *And she, being before instructed of her mother, said, Give me here John Baptist's head in a charger.*

### **MATTHEW 27:19**

19. *When he was set down on the judgment seat, his wife sent unto him, saying, Have thou nothing to do with that just man: for I have suffered many things this day in a dream because of him.*

### **LIFE STORY [51-0415A]**

...and there, friends, is where my sorrows started. I listened to my mother-in-law in the stead of God. He was giving me the opportunity. And there this gift would've been manifested long time ago, if I'd just went ahead and done what God told me to do.

### **GO TELL [60-0417M]**

You know, I'm so thankful for a God-given wife. Aren't you, brethren? A real wife, a real companion...

I set down. I motioned to her, and got her over close to me. And I said, "Meda, sometimes I wonder." I said, "I wonder what's the matter." I said, "Why would them meetings be there, and God let me lay like this?" I said, "Why was it?" And I said, "Sometimes I wonder if He even called me."

She said, "Ain't you ashamed of yourself?" And she told me, said, "Bill, don't you know that God knows what He's doing with you? Just--just be quiet."

And so I went in. That kinda rebuked me a little, you know.

#### HE CARETH FOR YOU [60-0301]

God gave man a wife to comfort him, to touch him. And any man knows, that's got a good wife, there's something about a good wife that can... A man be upset in his business or--or his walks of life, and can come home; no matter, there's no one, no doctor...

It is that way with me. When I come from overseas or somewhere, and I'm so nervous and upset, and loss of sleep. And--and hear the cry, and seeing the little hungry children on the street, and, oh, crying and going on, it just kills me. Then when I come home, if wife will set down on the arm of the chair, put her arm around me, and say, "Oh, Bill, I--I understand it, you know."

And just a few little pats from the wife mean so much: same thing, a husband to a wife. That's the way God want it to be.