

A Heart That Leads Your Wife

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Luke 1:6 – Both of them were upright in the sight of God, observing all the Lord’s commandments and regulations blamelessly.

SUMMARY:

By your actions or lack of actions, you may be telling your wife, “I don’t Love you.” You must make changes to ensure that doesn’t happen. Commit yourself to carrying out those changes.

NOTES:

Applications:

1. Pray for your wife’s purity and protection daily. You can do this during your quiet time each morning. Or, you can pray for her while you’re driving to work (or while you’re running, etc)
2. Determine together if the place where your wife works is a healthy environment for her spiritually. (Ask this question of any potential job as well.)
3. Be aware of what she’s watching on TV. (Remember Adam – maybe he should have been more involved in his wife’s life!)
4. Shield her from people who might have a negative effect on her spiritual growth. (Such a person could be anyone who has a destructive influence on her, even a relative or a friend.)

Discussion Points:

1. If you are a husband and father, what does God hold you responsible for?
2. What is the most significant way you can encourage your wife’s spiritual growth?
3. What are some additional ways you can nurture your wife’s spiritual growth and be a “spiritual cheerleader”?
4. Do you pray daily for your wife’s protection and purity? List some specific ways you can do this.
5. Do you provide spiritual leadership by taking time to pray together with your wife? When is a good time for you to pray as a couple, and what are some things you could pray about together?

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A Man After God’s Own Heart...chapter # 8

Luke 1: 5,6

Ephesians 5: 26,27

Gen 3: 1-5 (where was the man)