

A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study
Date: February 13, 2022
1 Peter 3:1-7

1. What does 3:1 tell us to do?
 - a. Uh, well, this was obviously written in a different time.
 - b. Wives...submit yourselves to your own husbands...
 - c. Well, this obviously isn't the church for me!

2. What does it mean to be submissive or to submit? _____

3. What should a woman do if her husband is not a Christian?
 - a. That is the exception.
 - b. Get a divorce.
 - c. Submit.
 - d. Do what he says but be sure to let him know that you don't like it.

4. Why, according to 3:1-2, should this be done?
 - a. Because Peter was a male chauvinist, just like Paul.
 - b. Because we don't win people over by resistance and arguments, we win them over by our example, our behavior that shows people who Christ is and who he really wants us to be, and the purity and reverence of our lives.

5. Is this only true of wives and women (see 1 Corinthians 9:19-23)? Yes_____ No_____ Explain. _____

6. Where, according to 3:3-4, should a woman's beauty come from?
 - a. Their nice clothes.
 - b. Their jewelry.
 - c. Their hairstyles.
 - d. From your inner self, the unfading beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit.

7. Does this mean we shouldn't wear nice clothes, jewelry, or elaborate hairstyles? Yes_____ No_____ Explain. _____

8. How are husbands to treat their wives, according to 3:7?
 - a. You heard Peter, they are to make them submit.
 - b. Be considerate.
 - c. Treat them with respect.
 - d. As heirs with you of the gracious gift of life.

9. What, according to the end of verse 7, might be the consequence of not treating your wife this way? _____

10. How are you treating your spouse or others around you? _____