

THE BIBLICAL ROLE OF A HUSBAND

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Genesis 3:17-24 ¹⁷ And unto Adam he said, Because thou hast hearkened unto the voice of thy wife, and hast eaten of the tree, of which I commanded thee, saying, Thou shalt not eat of it: cursed is the ground for thy sake; in sorrow shalt thou eat of it all the days of thy life;¹⁸ Thorns also and thistles shall it bring forth to thee; and thou shalt eat the herb of the field;¹⁹ In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground; for out of it wast thou taken: for dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return.²⁰ And Adam called his wife's name Eve; because she was the mother of all living.²¹ Unto Adam also and to his wife did the Lord God make coats of skins, and clothed them.²² And the Lord God said, Behold, the man is become as one of us, to know good and evil: and now, lest he put forth his hand, and take also of the tree of life, and eat, and live for ever:²³ Therefore the Lord God sent him forth from the garden of Eden, to till the ground from whence he was taken.²⁴ So he drove out the man; and he placed at the east of the garden of Eden Cherubims, and a flaming sword which turned every way, to keep the way of the tree of life.

1 Timothy 5:8 But if any provide not for his own, and specially for those of his own house, he hath denied the faith, and is worse than an infidel.

1. The man was _____ for the garden.

Genesis 2:15 And the LORD God took the man, and put him into the garden of Eden to dress it and to keep it.

**2. The man should provide for the _____
needs of the family.**

**3. The husband is to provide the _____
needs for the family.**

Deuteronomy 6:7 And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.

**4. The husband is to provide the _____
needs of the family.**

5. The husband is to provide _____ for the home.

Proverbs 1:8 My son, hear the instruction of thy father, and forsake not the law of thy mother.

Proverbs 4:1 Hear, ye children, the instruction of a father, and attend to know understanding.

**6. The husband is to have an _____
profession.**

Titus 3:14 And let our's also learn to maintain good works for necessary uses, that they be not unfruitful.

7. The husband should be _____ and orderly.

1 Timothy 3:6-7 Not a novice, lest being lifted up with pride he fall into the condemnation of the devil.⁷ Moreover he must have a good report of them which are without; lest he fall into reproach and the snare of the devil.

8. The husband must keep _____ business family business.

1 Timothy 3:4 One that ruleth well his own house, having his children in subjection with all gravity;

9. The husband must _____ by following.

Ephesians 5:1 Be ye therefore followers of God, as dear children;

10. The husband must keep _____ out of the home.

11. The husband must _____ the Lord even if the wife does not.

1 Corinthians 7:14-16 For the unbelieving husband is sanctified by the wife, and the unbelieving wife is sanctified by the husband: else were your children unclean; but now are they holy.¹⁵ But if the unbelieving depart, let him depart. A brother or a sister is not under bondage in such cases: but God hath called us to peace.¹⁶ For what knowest thou, O wife, whether thou shalt save thy husband? or how knowest thou, O man, whether thou shalt save thy wife?

12. The husband is the _____ of the family.

Ephesians 5:23 For the husband is the head of the wife, even as Christ is the head of the church: and he is the saviour of the body.

13. The husband is to _____ the wife.

Ephesians 5:25 Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it;

14. The husband is made _____ by his wife.

15. The husband and wife should have veto power on _____ decisions.

