

Chaste

Hey guys how's it going? ... Let's talk about being a chaste wife.

So, Chaste? What a weird word to be in this list, right? How can this be true? A wife is definitely not chaste so let's look at the definition of this word according to the Strong's concordance. Chaste means: properly, clean, (figuratively) innocent, modest, perfect: – chaste, clean, and pure. Purity from carnality and fault.

I find the placement of this word very interesting. It's after having a husband and after having children so it must be a thing we have to be mindful in spite of the fact that everyone knows we engage in sexual acts. I admit, I had no clue what this should have meant so I did what I did best and that was make up my own definition and do that instead. My only knowledge of the word chaste was chastity so I figured chaste was the old-english version of that word. LAUGH just making it up! Anyway, I began to cultivate a sense of reservedness, and propriety and shame that I attached to the act. I began to resent the way my body responded and likened myself to an unbridled animal who engaged in the lowest form of physical acts. This was weak and stupid, I know.

But see I had a problem. On one side of the hand, I was, by my flesh, trying to avoid & destroy my God-given duty and gift as a wife but on the other side, still the same fleshly hand, I had this insatiable desire of wanting everyone to know that a man chose me, he does his sex stuff with me, that I am desired by him in that way all the time. That I'm a lady in the streets but a...well you know the saying. Should I talk about the chaos that was my life? LAUGH

See, this is exactly why reading the Word, being transformed by the renewing of our mind, knowing the will of God and obeying the Word is of utmost importance.

So that discretion, that sensibility, that properness, and sobermindedness will instruct the young woman on how to curb her passions. She is to be pure & proper, in thought, in word, in behavior. Meaning she isn't vulgar or prurient.

Women seem to have such prurient lifestyles, discussions, and attitudes in this day and age and the married woman is no exception. The lustfulness of our society is pervasive. It is literally everywhere. Even the innocence of children is no longer excluded.

But the way of the biblical woman is to curb those attitudes, refusing to cultivate a prurient and lewd lifestyle. I believe this is to be taught to our daughters lest they grow up infatuated with their bodies and sexuality in such a way as to become vulgar and shameless.

Remember the mouth speaks out of that which fills the heart (Matthew 12:34). So if the heart is filled with inappropriate innuendos and coarse jesting, boasting in our sexual prowess or abilities, this is what we will talk about. And this is not the way of the young, biblically minded woman.

Last thing, God keeps building upon a particular theme and that's that the woman has to be mindful of her self control.

If there is a great time to be selfish, it's as a young woman. You are to be focused on self, more than serving. In the list in Titus 2, there are 8 things listed she is to learn and 6 of them are about her specific person. It's about molding herself to be what God wills her to be. So she can indulge in self-centeredness as much as she wants as long as she is learning and living what the Bible mandates.

Focus on getting yourself in line with scripture, young woman. Offer no resistance to the Holy Spirit as He deals with you. Instead, set your heart and mind to banish the vulgarity of speech and behavior so that you may glorify your father in heaven.

What about you? Has becoming a chaste woman been easy or tough for you? Let us know down below in the comments section.

That's it for today guys thank you for joining me, I'll see you next time