

COLOSSEANS

CHRIST ALONE

"The concert held in the Fellowship Hall was a great success. Special thanks are due to the minister's daughter, who labored the whole evening at the piano, which as usual fell upon her."

**"It's Drug Awareness Week:
Get involved in drugs before
your children do."**

"For those of you who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs."

"During the absence of our pastor, we enjoyed the rare privilege of hearing a good sermon when J. F. Stubbs supplied our pulpit."

"The peace-making meeting scheduled for today has been cancelled due to a conflict."

"The beautiful flowers on the altar this morning are to celebrate the birth of David Alan Belzer, the son of Rev. and Mrs. Julius Belzer."

"Let us join David and Lisa in the celebration of their wedding and bring their happiness to a conclusion."

"Ladies, don't forget the rummage sale. It is a great chance to get rid of those things not worth keeping around the house. Don't forget your husbands."

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Therefore, as God's chosen ones, holy and dearly loved, put on compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience, bearing with one another and forgiving one another if anyone has a grievance against another. Just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you are also to forgive.

Colossians 3:12-13

Wives, submit to your husbands.
Colossians 3:18

Husbands, love your wives and
don't be bitter toward them.

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Ephesians 5:25



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Be committed to sacrifice
yourself for her highest good.

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requires...your commitment

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So, if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. For I have given you an example, that you also should do just as I have done for you.

John 13:14-15

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Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself for her to make her holy, cleansing her with the washing of water by the word. He did this to present the church to himself in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or anything like that, but holy and blameless. In the same way, husbands are to love their wives as their own bodies.

Ephesians 5:25-28

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You to handle unmet expectations

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bitter = the bitterness associated with
disappointment, hate and anger.

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LOVE & RESPECT

The Respect He Desperately Needs

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