

Colossians 3:18-22a (Wives, Husbands, Children, Parents And Employees)

Introduction:

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Wives (3:18):

- “Wives, submit to your own husbands,”
 - (see Jam. 4:7; Rom. 13:1; Heb. 13:17; 1 Pet. 5:5; Eph. 5:21; Eph. 5:22)
- “as is fitting in the Lord.”
 - (see Eph. 5:23-24; Acts 5:27-29)

Husbands (3:19):

- “Husbands, love your wives”
 - (see Eph. 5:25)
- “and do not be bitter toward them.”
 - (see Eph. 5:26-33; 1 Pet. 3:7)

Children (3:20):

- “Children, obey your parents in all things,”
 - (see Eph. 6:1-3; Exod. 20:12)
- “for this is well pleasing to the Lord.”
 - (see Eph. 5:10; Col. 1:10)

Parents (3:21):

- “Fathers, do not provoke your children,”
 - (see Eph. 6:4a)
- “lest they become discouraged.”
 - (see Eph. 6:4b; Prov. 3:12; 1 Thess. 2:11; Deut. 6:5-7)

Employees (3:22-25):

- “Servants, obey in all things your masters according to the flesh,”
 - (see Eph. 6:5; 1 Tim. 6:1-2; Titus 2:9-10; 1 Pet. 2:18-19)

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