

Small Group Discussion Questions
Sermon Date: November 5, 2023

Sermon: Spiritual Adornment
Passage: 1 Timothy 2:9-10

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Sermon Outline:

3 Ways Women Influence Church Services

1. The Proper Dress, v. 9a
2. The Pretentious Distraction, v. 9b
3. The Proclaimed Demeanor, v. 10

Review Questions:

1. Explain the meaning of “proper” in the context of clothing.
2. What does dressing “modestly” involve?
3. What does it mean to dress discreetly?
4. Define “good works” in this context. What are cultural understandings of “good works” that are not part of Christian “good works”?

Discussion Questions:

1. What distracts you during church services? In what ways do you think you can be a distraction to others?
2. How can you dress and behave in ways that would be conducive to others’ focus on the Lord during church?
3. Do you have a tendency to over-prioritize or under-prioritize your external appearance? How can either extreme be disrespectful to the Lord and others?
4. Do you have a tendency to define your works as “good” based on results or cultural acceptance? How can you develop a heart that defines your behavior as “good” solely by the Bible?
5. What further convictions or questions do this passage and sermon raise for you?