

SEVEN THINGS TO PRAY FOR MYSELF AS A WIFE - Notes

Review prayer hand: Adoration, Confession, Thanksgiving, Supplication, Intercession

How do you feel when someone is really listening to you? They are focused on what you are saying, giving you their full attention...

Psalm 116:1-2 *"I love the Lord, because he hears My voice and my supplications. Because He has inclined His ear to me. Therefore I shall call upon Him as long as I live."*

For single women – **Isaiah 54:5** – *For your husband is your Maker...* Do for God the same things that a wife would do for her husband. Single women

MONDAY **Mark 10:6-12** – That I would be faithful to my marriage vows.

"the two shall become one flesh..."

Faithful to God

TUESDAY **Ephesians 5:22-24; I Peter 3:1-6** – That I would submit to my husband's leadership, trusting God to change his life.

"as unto the Lord"

Submit to God's leadership

Powerful tool for God to use in husband's life – not words

WEDNESDAY **Esther 2:8-15; Song of Solomon 7:10-12; 8:14** – That I would make our marriage sexually exciting: caring for my body, being responsive and aggressive, communicating that I belong to him in a special and unique way Sexual purity – Ps 119:9,11

Es 2:8,9,12 – ministry to husband

look to God to meet needs

SS 7:10-12

THURSDAY **Titus 2:4-5; Proverbs 31:10-31** - That I would dedicate myself to making our home a refuge.

Older women encourage younger to love husbands/children, work

develop hospitality

at home...so word of god not dishonored

Prov 31:10,11 – trust, 13 – willingly work, 26- kind speech, 27 – takes care of home

FRIDAY **Ecclesiastes 9:7-9; Gen 2:18-20** – That I would be his helpmate, companion and best friend – taking an interest in his work, hobbies and life pursuits.

Ecc 9:9 – enjoy life with woman you love

Be God's companion, take

Gen 2:18-20 – not good for man to be alone

Him with you—all parts of

Helper suitable for him

life accessible to Him

SATURDAY *Ephesians 5:33; Proverbs 12:4* – That I would give him respect both publicly and privately – never correcting him, nagging him or embarrassing him.

Be a crown or a cancer?

Respect, honor God

Control speech – think before speak

SUNDAY | *Peter 3:1-6* – That, like Sarah, I would fearlessly commit my life and marriage to the sovereignty of God.

Sarah – learned to trust in God to work through Abraham

Trust sovereignty of God

Not trust at first (Hagar) – learning process

His choices for me

Followed Abraham – left home, family for new land

His timing

His plan – my future