Reclaim Your Role As Wife

I. Introduction

The Lord God said, "It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper suitable for him." Genesis 2:18 (NIV)

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II. Helper

"The heart of her husband trusts in her, and he will have no lack of gain. She does him good, and not harm, all the days of her life." Proverbs 31:11-12 (ESV)

III. **Encourager**"Therefore encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing."
I Thessalonians 5:11 (ESV)

IV. Lover

"Oh lover and beloved, eat and drink! Yes, drink deeply of your love!" Song of Songs 5:1b (NLT)

"Above all, love each other deeply, because love covers over a multitude of sins." 1 Peter 4:8 (NIV)

V. Pray-er

"Confess your sins to each another and pray for each other, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective." James 5:16 (NIV)

VI. Applications "For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them." Ephesians 2:10 (ESV)
<u>Helper</u>
Encourager
<u>Lover</u>
<u>Pray-er</u>

Helpful Resources:

Sacred Influence by Gary Chapman

Love & Respect by Dr. Emerson Eggerichs

The Power of a Praying Wife by Stormie O'Martian

Intimate Issues by Linda Dillow and Lorraine Pintus

What it Means to Be God's Woman - wordsfromwags.com

Should Women Submit to Men? realtruthrealquick.com Oct. 18, 2015

"A Beautiful Design" sermon series - The Village Church http://www.thevillagechurch.net/resources/sermons/series/a-beautiful-design/

Helpful Scripture References for You and Your Marriage:

Genesis 2:18-25

Psalm 18:1, 18:32

Proverbs 5:19, 14:1, 18:22, 19:13-14, 25:11, 31:10-31

Ecclesiastes 4:12

Song of Songs 5:1b, 7:10

Jeremiah 29:11

Mark 10:9

1 Corinthians 13:1-13

2 Corinthians 5:15, 9:8

Ephesians 2:10, 4:2-3, 4:29, 5:21-24, 5:31-33, 6:10-18

Philippians 1:6, 2:3, 4:8

Colossians 3:12-19

1 Thessalonians 5:11, 5:17

Titus 2:3-5

Hebrews 3:13, 13:5-6

1 Peter 2:23, 3:1-3, 4:8