

Text: 1 Corinthians 11:2-16

<sup>1 Cor. 11:2</sup> Now I commend you because you remember me in everything and maintain the traditions even as I delivered them to you.

<sup>3</sup> But I want you to understand that the head of every man is Christ, the head of a wife is her husband, and the head of Christ is God.

<sup>4</sup> Every man who prays or prophesies with his head covered dishonors his head,

<sup>5</sup> but every wife who prays or prophesies with her head uncovered dishonors her head, since it is the same as if her head were shaven.

<sup>6</sup> For if a wife will not cover her head, then she should cut her hair short. But since it is disgraceful for a wife to cut off her hair or shave her head, let her cover her head.

<sup>7</sup> For a man ought not to cover his head, since he is the image and glory of God, but woman is the glory of man.

<sup>8</sup> For man was not made from woman, but woman from man.

<sup>9</sup> Neither was man created for woman, but woman for man.

<sup>10</sup> That is why a wife ought to have a symbol of authority on her head, because of the angels.

<sup>11</sup> Nevertheless, in the Lord woman is not independent of man nor man of woman;

<sup>12</sup> for as woman was made from man, so man is now born of woman. And all things are from God.

<sup>13</sup> Judge for yourselves: is it proper for a wife to pray to God with her head uncovered?

<sup>14</sup> Does not nature itself teach you that if a man wears long hair it is a disgrace for him,

<sup>15</sup> but if a woman has long hair, it is her glory? For her hair is given to her for a covering.

<sup>16</sup> If anyone is inclined to be contentious, we have no such practice, nor do the churches of God.

\* God Has Ordained the Biblical Roles for Husbands and Wives, and Men and Women

\* Wives Submitting to Their Husband's Leadership is the Same as Husbands Submitting to God and Jesus

\* Men are to Hold <u>Positions</u> of Spiritual Leadership at <u>Church</u> and Home

\* Neither Male Nor
Female is <u>Superior</u> or
<u>Subservient</u> to the Other

\* Men are to be Masculine and Women are to be Feminine - Because That's **How God Intended It!** 

