

**FEMININE  
BEAUTY  
(INWARD &  
OUTWARD!)**

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**TEXT: 1 Corinthians 11:7...the woman is the glory of the man.**

**14 Doth not even nature itself teach you, that, if a man have long hair, it is a shame unto him?**

**15 But if a woman have long hair, it is a glory to her: for her hair is given her for a covering.**

Psalm 90:17 And let the  
**beauty of the Lord** our  
God be upon us: and  
establish thou the work  
of our hands upon us...

Revelation 9:7...their  
faces were as the faces  
of men.

8 And they had **hair as  
the hair of women...**

**Matthew 23:26** Thou blind Pharisee, cleanse first that which is within the cup and platter, that the **outside of them may be clean also**.

**27** Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye are like unto whited sepulchres, which indeed appear **beautiful** outward, but are within full of dead men's bones, and of all uncleanness.

**28** Even so ye also outwardly appear **righteous** unto men, but within ye are full of hypocrisy and iniquity.

**1 Timothy 2:9** In like manner also, that women **adorn themselves in modest apparel**, with shamefacedness and sobriety; not with broided hair, or gold, or pearls, or costly array;

**10** But (which becometh women professing godliness) with good works.

*Modest:*

"Of female attire: Decent, **not meretricious**. 1611 Bible, 1 Tim. ii. 9: 'That women adorne themselues in modest apparell.'" (Oxford English Dictionary)

*Meretricious:*

**"Of, pertaining to,  
characteristic of, or befitting a  
harlot; having the character of a  
harlot."**



**Proverbs 7:10** And, behold, there met him a woman with **the attire of an harlot**, and subtil of heart.

**11** (She is loud and stubborn; her feet abide not in her house:

"This would lead them to avoid every thing unbecoming or meretricious in the mode or fashion of their dress..."

(Clarke, 1800's)

**Ezekiel 16:9 Then washed I thee with water...and I anointed thee with oil.**

**10 I clothed thee also with broidered work, and shod thee with badgers' skin, and I girded thee about with fine linen, and I covered thee with silk.**

**11 I decked thee also with ornaments, and I put bracelets upon thy hands, and a chain on thy neck.**

**14 And thy renown went forth among the heathen for thy beauty: for it was perfect through my comeliness, which I had put upon thee, saith the Lord GOD.**

**Job 42:15** And in all the land  
were **no women found so fair as  
the daughters of Job:** and their  
father gave them inheritance  
among their brethren.

**2 Samuel 1:24 Ye daughters of Israel, weep over Saul, who clothed you in scarlet, with other delights, who put on ornaments of gold upon your apparel.**

**Proverbs 31:21 She is not afraid of the snow for her household: for all her household are clothed with scarlet.**

**22 She maketh herself coverings of tapestry; her clothing is silk and purple.**

**Jeremiah 2:32 Can a maid  
forget her ornaments, or a  
bride her attire?...**

**"The **apostle condemneth not these ornaments** where they are suited to the quality of women...but where they are too excessive with respect to the purse...or take up more time to be spent in putting them on than is fit...or are of that nature and fashion as they speak an unchaste or an immodest heart, or may cause scandal to others..."**

**(Poole, 1600's)**



**John 6:27 Labour not for the  
meat which perisheth, but for  
that meat which endureth  
unto everlasting life...**

**2 Thessalonians 3:10 For even when we were with you, this we commanded you, that **if any would not work, neither should he eat.****

**1 Timothy 5:8 But if any  
provide not for his own, and  
specially for those of his own  
house, he hath denied the faith,  
and is worse than an infidel.**

**Philippians 2:4 Look  
not every man on his  
own things...**

**Philippians 2:4 Look not every man on his own things, but every man also on the things of others.**

**1 Peter 2:18 Servants, be subject to your masters with all fear; not only to the good and gentle, but also to the froward.**

**19 For this is thankworthy, if a man for conscience toward God endure grief, suffering wrongfully.**

**1 Peter 3:1 Likewise, ye wives, be in subjection to your own husbands; that, if any obey not the word, they also may without the word be won by the conversation of the wives;**

**2 While they behold your chaste conversation coupled with fear.**

**3 Whose adorning let it not be that outward adorning of plaiting the hair, and of wearing of gold, or of putting on of apparel;**

**4 But let it be the hidden man of the heart, in that which is not corruptible, even the ornament of a meek and quiet spirit, which is in the sight of God of great price.**



1 Peter 3:5 For **after this manner in the old time the holy women also**, who trusted in God, **adorned themselves**, being in subjection unto their own husbands:

6 Even as Sara obeyed Abraham, calling him lord: **whose daughters ye are**, as long as ye do well, and are not afraid with any amazement.

**Genesis 12:11 And it came to pass, when he was come near to enter into Egypt, that he said unto Sarai his wife, Behold now, I know that thou art a fair woman to look upon:**

**12 Therefore it shall come to pass, when the Egyptians shall see thee, that they shall say, This is his wife: and they will kill me, but they will save thee alive.**

**Genesis 24:22** And it came to pass, as the camels had done drinking, that the man took a golden earring of half a shekel weight, and two bracelets for her hands of ten shekels weight of gold;

**53** And the servant brought forth jewels of silver, and jewels of gold, and raiment, and gave them to Rebekah: he gave also to her brother and to her mother precious things.

**Song of Solomon 1:10 Thy  
cheeks are comely with rows  
of jewels, thy neck with  
chains of gold.**

**Isaiah 61:10 I will greatly  
rejoice in the LORD...as a  
bride adorneth herself with  
her jewels.**

**Proverbs 31:30 Favour is  
deceitful, and beauty is vain:  
but a woman that feareth the  
Lord, she shall be praised.**

**2 Samuel 14:25 But in all Israel there was none to be so much praised as Absalom for his beauty: from the sole of his foot even to the crown of his head there was no blemish in him.**

**1 Samuel 25:3 Now the name of the man was Nabal; and the name of his wife Abigail: and she was a woman of good understanding, and of a beautiful countenance...**



**Proverbs 11:22 As a jewel  
of gold in a swine's snout,  
so is a **fair woman** which is  
without **discretion.****

## *Discretion:*

**"...that discernment which enables a person to judge critically of what is correct and proper..." (*Web.*, 1828)**

**Titus 2:5 To be discreet,  
chaste, keepers at home,  
good, obedient to their own  
husbands, that the word of  
God be not blasphemed.**

**"...the word signifies temperate,  
and imports an ability to govern  
all our affections and  
passions..." (Poole)**

**Ezekiel 16:14 And thy renown went forth among the heathen for thy beauty: for it was perfect through my comeliness, which I had put upon thee, saith the Lord God.**

**15 But thou didst trust in thine own beauty, and playedst the harlot because of thy renown...**

**Ezekiel 27:2 Now, thou son of man, take up a lamentation for Tyrus;**

**3...Thus saith the Lord God; O Tyrus, thou hast said, I am of perfect beauty.**

**Ezekiel 28:12 Son of man, take up a lamentation upon the king of Tyrus, and say unto him, Thus saith the Lord God; Thou sealest up the sum, full of wisdom, and perfect in beauty.**

**13 Thou hast been in Eden the garden of God; every precious stone was thy covering...the workmanship of thy tabrets and of thy pipes was prepared in thee in the day that thou wast created.**

**17 Thine heart was lifted up because of thy beauty, thou hast corrupted thy wisdom by reason of thy brightness: I will cast thee to the ground...**

**Jeremiah 9:23 Thus saith the Lord, Let not the wise man glory in his wisdom, neither let the mighty man glory in his might, let not the rich man glory in his riches:**

**24 But let him that glorieth glory in this, that he understandeth and knoweth me...**



**"I express myself with caution, lest I should be mistaken to vilify reason, which is indeed the only faculty we have wherewith to judge concerning any thing, even revelation itself..."**

**(Joseph Butler, *The Analogy of Religion*, 1736)**

**Psalms 33:16...a mighty man is not delivered by much strength.**

**17 An horse is a vain thing for safety: neither shall he deliver any by his great strength.**

**18 Behold, the eye of the LORD is upon them that fear him, upon them that hope in his mercy;**

**Psalms 20:7 Some trust in  
chariots, and some in horses:  
but we will remember the name  
of the LORD our God.**

**Proverbs 21:31 The horse is prepared against the day of battle: but safety is of the LORD.**

**1 Corinthians 1:29** That no flesh should glory in his presence.

31 That, according as it is written, He that glorieth, let him glory in the Lord.

**Proverbs 20:29 The glory  
of young men is their  
strength...**