* A Christian husband is called to love his wife as Christ loved the church – with a

Husbands to Wives	Christ to Church
Husbands, love your wives	as Christ loved the church and gave Himself up for her that He might her to Himself
In the same way, husbands should love their wives as their own	just as Christ does the church, because we
	are members of His
Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one	
	This is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church.
However, let each one of you love his wife as himself, and let the wife see that she respects her husband.	

Γhis m	akes sense only i	f two things are true:		
1.	Your	is not prin	narily about your	
	"Beloved, let u	s love one another, for love is	rom God." 1 John 4:7	
		As Christ L	oved the Church	
	• His love her worth – one directional			
	• His love_	him	– sacrificial	
	His loveher – transformational		- transformational	
	You are alt	ogether beautiful, my love; th	ere is no flaw in you. Song of Solomon 4:7	
	• His love_	her for	– gravitational	
	Colossians	1:21-22 -		
	mystery =	the union of the union of	and flows from and p and His	oints to
2.	Your	is your		
	"Adversity intro	oduces a man to	" Anonymous	

"Love is something more stern and splendid than mere kindness."

C.S. Lewis