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MESSAGE TITLE: EXCEEDING HER NEED FOR AFFECTION

"A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another. By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, if ye have love one to another." (John 13:34–35)

"Be kindly affectioned one to another with brotherly love; in honour preferring one another;" (Romans 12:10)

1. Affection "Likewise, ye husbands, dwell with them according to knowledge, giving honour unto the wife, as unto the weaker vessel, and as being heirs together of the grace of life; that your prayers be not hindered."

A. The communication of

(1 Peter 3:7)

"Let no corrupt communication proceed out of your mouth, but that which is good to the use of edifying, that it may minister grace unto the hearers." (Ephesians 4:29)

"Let your speech be alway with grace, seasoned with salt, that ye may know how ye ought to answer every man." (Colossians 4:6) exceed

	B.	The cement of
	C.	The character of
2.	Af	ffection
	A.	Examine the
		"Now concerning the things whereof ye wrote unto me: It is good for a man not to touch a woman. Nevertheless, to avoid fornication, let every man have his own wife, and let every woman have her own husband. Let the husband render unto the wife due benevolence: and likewise also the wife unto the husband. The wife hath not power of her own body, but the husband: and likewise also the husband hath not power of his own body, but the wife. Defraud ye not one the other, except it be with consent for a time, that ye may give yourselves to fasting and prayer; and come together again, that Satan tempt you not for your incontinency." (1 Corinthians 7:1-5)
	B.	Edify your
		"And as ye would that men should do to you, do ye also to them likewise." (Luke $6:31$)
	C.	Establish a
		Showing affection to your wife will take work and planning. Here are a few practical ideas:
	•	Give her a hug.
	•	Write her a note.
	•	Buy her flowers.
	•	Take her out to dinner.

• Open the door for her.

• Touch her when in her presence.

• Hold her hand.

- Be physical without being sexual.
- Initiate taking a walk together.
- Give her a back rub.
- Call her during the day to see how she is doing.
- Send her a text periodically to let her know how much she means to you.
- Spend time alone.
- Focus on her.
- Laugh together.
- Run an errand for her.
- Make her your top priority!

	the scriptures
	"Therefore to him that knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, him it is sin." (James 4:17)
В.	your spouse
C.	for physical intimacy
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