Biblical Manhood and Womanhood Course Outline

Week 1: Intro and Biblical Theology of Gender
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Week 11: Gender Confusion
Week 12: Answering Common Questions
Week 13: Sex, Marriage, & Same-Sex Attraction

Manhood and Womanhood in the Church, Part 1

I. Introduction

- Genesis 1:26-28
- Galatians 3:26-28
- Genesis 2

II. Gender in the Church: General Principles

- Scripture not just allows, but expects men and women to participate in the vast majority of the church’s ministry and practices. (1 Cor 12:4-11)
- Men and women are called to serve the church in all capacities, except for leading and teaching the church, which God’s Word assigns to men.
- However you serve, you do so as a man or a woman.

III. Various Ways Men and Women Build Up the Body of Christ

For further study:
1. Andreas & Margaret Köstenberger, God’s Design for Man and Woman

Questions and comments are welcome!
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1. Participating in the Public Gatherings (Eph 3:10)

2. Reading, Praying, & Prophesying (1 Cor 11:4-5)

3. Exercising Governance with the Congregation (Matt 18, 1 Cor 5)

4. Serving as Deacons and Deaconesses (1 Tim 3:11)

5. Women: Teaching and Leading Other Women (Titus 2:3-5)

6. Ministering to Children (2 Tim 3:14, 1:5)

7. Countless Others (Discipling, Hospitality, Evangelism, Missions, Ministry to Sick and Elderly…)

IV. The Masculine Nature of Elder Leadership

A. 1 Timothy 3:1-7: Qualifications of elders

B. The elder’s “job description;”

1. To provide for the church through biblical teaching (Titus 1:9, 1 Tim 4:13)

2. To protect the church from falsehood (2 Tim 4:2-3, Titus 1:9)

3. To lead the church by a godly example (1 Pet 5:3, Heb 13:7)

4. To bear responsibility before God for the church’s well-being (James 3:1, Heb 13:17)