



Women Made Whole

WELCOME to a new addition to the Tri-God site. In this section, we will be speaking directly to women. In *Matthew 9:22* we find: “*But Jesus turned him about, and when he saw her, he said, **Daughter, be of good comfort; thy faith hath made thee whole. And the woman was made whole from that hour.***” I hope to address what it means to be a godly woman, how to deal with the stress of motherhood, and hopefully many other areas that we, as women, deal with everyday; and how God’s word offers instruction and comfort in our everyday life.

A MOTHER’S GIFT

As mothers we have many responsibilities to our family...especially to our children. As mothers, we share a special bond with our children that is unique and cannot be replaced. Don’t get me wrong, fathers have their place and we know scripture states that the man is the spiritual head of the household, but right now I am talking to mothers. We mothers have a responsibility to bring-up our children knowing God’s love and His Word. This is especially true when the father fails to take his appropriate place in this area. The Bible says in Proverbs 22:6 “*Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.*”

As I look at the next generation growing up, I see that a lot of mothers and fathers have failed in the area of teaching their children God’s ways. As mothers we want the best for our children; to be a good athlete, to be educated, to have nice things, etc. But the best thing we can give our children is the knowledge of Jesus Christ, His teachings, and what eternity holds. Life is fragile and it can be gone in a matter of seconds. We are only here on earth for a short time...but eternity last forever. What greater gift can you give your

child than the knowledge of what Christ has done for us and what awaits us at the end of this life?

It is not enough to teach our children “about” God. There are many religions that believe in some form of god. However, there is only One True God and only One Way to eternal life in Him. In John 14:6 we read: “*Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.*” Jesus is very straightforward in this scripture. Just believing in the existence of a god or a “higher power” will not get you into Heaven. Our children need to know this for themselves and to be able to share with others the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Teach your children the ways of Christ. They will prosper and know how to survive when times are hard by placing their trust in Him. Jesus Christ is there for each of us who call upon his name; for health, protection, and whatever may come our way. Still, all these earthly things pale in comparison to eternal life. According to Matthew 16:26, “*For what is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?*”

So mothers, do the best thing for your children. Teach them of Jesus Christ and what he has done for us. Above all, pray everyday for your children. Remember, James 5:16 “*Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed. The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.*”

Love in Christ,
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Please feel free to email me if you need any encouragement, have a prayer request, questions, or if you have a suggestion for next month’s topic as we continue our walk with God together.