

# YOU HUSBANDS

Ephesians 5:25



# SERVANT LEADERSHIP

- The term “servant leadership” is one of increasing popularity among soft complementarians.
- The term is most often illustrated using John 13:5-20.
- Many use this to diminish the authority of the husband but it actually establishes it (Prov. 20:28; Eph. 5:25).
- This servant demanded obedience (Lk. 6:46).
- What are you willing to sacrifice for your family (Job 1:5)?



# APOLOGIZE LESS BUT BETTER

- We need to be people who are swift to confess sins (1 Jn. 1:9; Jas. 5:16; Prov. 28:13).
- We need to be more serious about this so that we can be more confident in rejecting false accusations (Job 31).
- Unresolved sin often leads to a loss of confidence in our authority (2 Sam. 12ff).



# TRUST HER MANAGEMENT

- Authority can be and should be delegated (Gen. 1:28).
- When we delegate authority, it should be with trust (Prov. 31:11).
- That delegation should mean you stop worrying about that thing (Acts 6:2).
- This can mean a great deal of authority is delegated (Prov. 31:12-31).
- You should respect the authority of the one you have given it to (Acts 15).

