



**UNDERSTANDING YOUR HUSBAND'S DEEPEST NEEDS**  
**I Promise Part 7**  
**I Corinthians 7:3**

*"The husband must fulfill his duty to his wife, and likewise also the wife to her husband." I Corinthians 7:3 (NASB)*

**THE DEEPEST NEEDS OF YOUR HUSBAND**

**1. My Husband Needs My Affection**

*"The wife does not have authority over her own body, but the husband does; and likewise also the husband does not have authority over his own body, but the wife does. Stop depriving one another, except by agreement for a time, so that you may devote yourselves to prayer, and come together again so that Satan will not tempt you because of your lack of self-control." I Cor. 7:4-5*

**2. My Husband Needs My Companionship**

*"Then the LORD God said, "It is not good for the man to be alone; I will make him a helper suitable for him." Gen. 2:18*

**3. My Husband Needs My Good Appearance**

*"A man wants to feel proud of his wife" - Patrick M. Morley*

Men are visual-oriented: Read Song of Solomon (4:1-5, 6:4-10, 7:1-9)

**4. My Husband Needs My Support/Help**

*"so that they may encourage the young women to love their husbands, to love their children, to be sensible, pure, workers at home, kind, being subject to their own husbands, so that the word of God will not be dishonored." Titus 2:4-5*

Example: Prov. 31:10-31

**5. My Husband Needs My Admiration**

*"Nevertheless, each individual among you also is to love his own wife even as himself, and the wife must see to it that she respects her husband." Ephesians 5:33*

*"Respect" - It comes from the Greek word "phobia." One meaning of this word is "fear." Many of our psychological fears use this same word:*

- Arachnophobia=fear of spiders
- Claustrophobia=fear of closed places
- Acrophobia=fear of high places

However, in this context, it doesn't mean "to fear," but "to respect;" "to reverence;" "to admire."

"Honest admiration is a tremendous motivator for most men"

**"HOMES ARE MADE BY THE WISDOM OF WOMEN" Prov. 14:1 (GN)**