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Women are equal to men in personhood, in value, in intelligence, in ability, in potential, and in salvation... but they are different in ROLE.

## **Wondering about Womanhood**

Manhood	Womanhood
HUMBLE HOLY STRENGTH	INNER BEAUTY OUTER BEAUTY SECRET BEAUTY
	Proverbs 31:25; 1 Peter 3:3-4
CHURCH-WIDE DOCTRINAL TEACHING	EAGER QUIET LEARNING
2 Timothy 3:16; 4:2; 1 Timothy 3:2; 4:16	1 Timothy 2:2; 1 Peter 3:4
CHURCH-WIDE LEADERSHIP	FAITHFUL FOLLOWING
ADAM FIRST TO LEAD	EVE SECOND TO HELP
Genesis 2:4-25	

Context:

The End of Eden — ROLES GONE WRONG

2 Corinthians 11:3

The Hope of Heaven — ROLES GONE RIGHT

1 Timothy 4:16

The Why Behind the Wonder

- 1. Roles make the WORLD WORK.
- 2. GOD'S family reflects YOUR family.
- 3. Your family reveals CHRIST and the CHURCH.

## **HEARING AND DOING**

Each week this section will provide next steps for going deeper with the sermon material, as well as preparing for discussion in your Life Group. Don't worry if you can't find all the answers!

1.	Read 1 Timothy 2:8-15. To get ready for next week's sermon, read 1 Timothy 3:1-7 as part of your personal worship each morning.
2.	Your son or daughter asks you the following questions. How would you answer them?
	A. "What does it mean to be a man and not a woman?"
	B. "What does it mean to be a woman and not a man?"
3.	Which caricature of manhood is more commonly portrayed in our culture—hostile domination or lazy indifference? Why do you think that is?
4.	Read Genesis 1:26–27 and Romans 2:14–15. In light of these verses, do you think that men and women should have a deep-rooted sense of true masculinity and femininity based on how God created them and the "natural law"? Why?