

**Proverbs 31 – Virtuous Woman**

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“Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies.” (Proverbs 31:10 KJV)

Today is my amazing wife's birthday. It just so happens, as I have been reading and blogging each day the chapter of Proverbs corresponding to the day of the month, that today I read what the inspired writer says about the virtuous woman and her value. Upon reading this, my thoughts immediately went to the virtuous woman who is sharing her life with me, and I with her, whom I value more than I have the words to describe!

Proverbs 31:10-31 describes the ideal Christian woman. Most ladies will not be able to live up to the ideal standard set here, but many are not far off and continue to grow into that ideal! My bride included. God here sets forth a picture of the mature Christian woman who is committed primarily to Him, but also is fully committed to her husband and children. The spectrum of her commitment begins with God carries on through with her commitment to husband, children, household, the needy and finally, to herself. She is industrious in the home, in business, and in benevolence. She genuinely cares about the needs of others more than her own needs. She is never a detriment to the reputation of her God, her husband, her children, or her community. In fact, she truly is an asset to anything she involves herself with. If she works outside of the home, she is a praiseworthy employee. When she returns home, still she garners praise for the way she upholds the home. When she involves herself in community service, she truly shines. And through her light, all can see Christ living in her.

The ideal Christian woman is blessed spiritually by her God, blessed by her children for the example and guidance she provided them and by her husband for her virtue. He continues to bless her for the inner beauty he sees in her, a beauty that age will not lessen, a beauty that sickness will not diminish, a beauty that grows more precious with age, a beauty he cherishes increasingly as the years of their shared life go by.

Read: Proverbs 31:10-31; Titus 2:1-4

**Things you should know about!**

We would like to send donations to the Disaster Relief Fund quarterly. If you want to contribute, mark it as “DRF” or give the money to Jason.

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

- Addy Bang 10/21
- Peyton Cruze 10/31
- Chris McGiffin 11/5
- Dianna Bang 10/27
- Sharon DeSarro 11/1
- Linda Whittington 11/14

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Next month's potluck will be on November 13th.  
This will be our annual Chili Cook off.

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**Thank you to all who joined us for our fall outing Friday evening.  
We enjoyed a fun evening together.  
Thank you Jerry and Carrie for welcoming us!**

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**Serving AM & PM today and next Sunday:**

Sunday Rotation	October 16, 22 AM	October 16, 22 PM	October 23, 22 AM
Announcements	Tom Muter	Tim Bang	Owen Whittington
Song Leading	Owen Whittington	Jason Bang	Jason Bang
Opening Prayer/Greeter/Usher	Tim Bang	Tom Muter	Duane Kemp
Lord's Supper Comments	Duane Kemp	Owen Whittington	Tim Bang
Scripture Reading	Chris McGiffin	Brennan Arrell	Jerry Thompson
Sermon	John McGiffin	John McGiffin	John McGiffin
Closing Prayer/Usher	Jerry Thompson	Duane Kemp	Tom Muter

**Bible Verse of the Week**

“Now, therefore,” says the LORD, “Turn to Me with all your heart, With fasting, with weeping, and with mourning.” Joel 2:12  
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**Lord's Supper Reflection**

*He Came to Save the Lost*  
 “for the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost.” Luke 19:10

**Offering Meditation**

*The Grace of Giving - There are times when we need help and times that we can give help. The collection helps those in need in addition to evangelism outreach and maintaining church property.*  
 “but by an equality, that now at this time your abundance *may supply* their lack, that their abundance also may *supply* your lack—that there may be equality.” 2 Corinthians 8:14

**Remember in Prayer:**

- \*Our Country & leaders
- \*Phyllis Caldwell - encouragement
- \*Rena Morgan - Shut in, health
- \*Ernst & Helen Sherrill (Bro/Sis in Christ from TN) - shut ins with ongoing health issues
- \*Larry Bey - asked for prayers for his Parkinson's
- \*Tom Cruze (Phyllis Caldwell's nephew) - dealing with health issues and having tests done for liver problems
- \*Debbie Brayfield (Alena Brown's aunt) - is home recovering from surgery/being in Rehab facility
- \*Eric, a gentleman from the fair booth that is doing a Bible study.
- \*Diane Perry (Michelle Gasper's grandma) - is recovering from hip surgery
- \*Carrie Fannin (Michelle Gasper's mom) - prayer for her mental health

- \*Missy Seiber (Tammy Sieber's sister-in-law) - is having surgery to remove cysts on her spine
- \*Tami Hamilton (co-worker of Lois Ferris) - will be having surgery for breast cancer
- \*Family and friends of Tim Flannery grieving his passing
- \*Tyler Gray - health
- \*Debbie Vincent (member at Tipp City Church) - is recovering knee surgery.
- \*Sarah (Caroline Stine's niece) - having surgery because of a brain tumor

**How can we be praying for YOU?**

Please call John or email him at [jmcgiffin.yayo@gmail.com](mailto:jmcgiffin.yayo@gmail.com) with any prayer requests or announcements you may have for the congregation.  
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**Attendance and Contribution Record**

<b>Sunday, October 9</b>		<b>Wednesday, October 12</b>	
Bible Classes	34	Bible Classes	26
AM Attendance	39		
PM Attendance	26	Contribution	\$923.08

# Welcome to the Greenville Church of Christ



## October 16, 2022

**Worship Times:**

- Sunday Morning Bible class: 9:30am
- Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30am
- Sunday Evening Worship: 6:00pm
- Wednesday Evening Bible Study: 7:00pm

**Minister, John McGiffin**

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We are blessed that you have chosen to worship with us today!  
 If you are visiting, we would love to have you back with us again. Please take a moment to fill out a visitor's card and let us get to know you.