



CALVARY CHAPEL

How Would Jesus Handle Head Coverings?

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- Are we willing to step into God's design and order – even if it goes against our culture?

1 Corinthians 11:1 Follow my example, as I follow the example of Christ.

- **HEAR THE CALLING TODAY:**

- God has called every believer to step into their place in His design: serving Him and serving each other.

*1 Corinthians 11:2-3 I praise you for remembering me in **everything** and for holding to the traditions just as I passed them on to you. **3** But I want you to realize that the head of every man is Christ, and the head of the woman is man, and the head of Christ is God.*

*Philippians 2:6-7 Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage; **7** rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness.*

John 6:38 For I have come down from heaven not to do my will but to do the will of him who sent me.

- **FOLLOW THE EXAMPLE:**

- Look to Christ to understand how to serve man and to serve God.

1 Corinthians 8:4 Every man who prays or prophesies with his head covered dishonors his head.

- **SURRENDER IS OUR HEARTSONG:**

- Our obedience to God's plan is the way our heart openly worships God.

*1 Corinthians 8:5-12 But every woman who prays or prophesies with her head uncovered dishonors her head—it is the same as having her head shaved. **6** For if a woman does not cover her head, she might as well have her hair cut off; but if it is a disgrace for a woman to have her hair cut off or her head shaved, then she should cover her head. **7** A man ought not to cover his head, since he is the image and glory of God; but woman is the glory of man. **8** For man did not come from woman, but woman from man; **9** neither was man created for woman, but woman for man. **10** It is for this reason that a woman ought to have authority over her own head, because of the angels. **11** Nevertheless, in the Lord woman is not independent of man, nor is man independent of woman. **12** For as woman came from man, so also man is born of woman. But everything comes from God.*

- **GOD IS THE REASON WE WORSHIP:**

- Our obedience does not give us value.
- Our obedience shows how much Jesus is worth to us.

*1 Corinthians 8:13-16 **Judge for yourselves:** Is it proper for a woman to pray to God with her head uncovered? **14** Does not the very nature of things teach you that if a man has long hair, it is a disgrace to him, **15** but that if a woman has long hair, it is her glory? For long hair is given to her as a covering. **16** If anyone wants to be contentious about this, we have no other practice—nor do the churches of God.*

- **OUR EXPECTED RESPONSE:**

- Lead by serving. Worship through surrender. Flourish in God's plan and design.

Psalms 90:17 Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands upon us; yes, establish the work of our hands!

- Call **321.574.6970** if you have chosen to accept Jesus as your Lord and Savior.

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