

HER NEEDS

EPHESIANS 5:18-33

Any husband can make himself irresistible to his wife by learning to meet her **emotional needs**.

(1) AFFECTION

Affection is the cement of a relationship. When a man shows his affection, he sends the following words:

- * I will take care of you and protect you, you are important to me, I don't want anything to happen to you.
- * I am concerned about the problems you have, and I am with you.

You tell her that you love her with words, flowers, gifts, hugs and kisses many times a day. Create an environment of affection that clearly and repeatedly expresses your love to her.

(2) COMMUNICATION

Set aside time to talk with her about the Word of God; events in your life; even your children; their feelings or their plans. The conversation must not be judgemental, but informative and constructive. You must never be too busy to talk.

(3) HONESTY AND OPENNESS

Tell her everything, whether it is positive or negative; feelings, events of your past, your plans for the future. Never leave her with false impressions. You must be truthful about your thoughts, your feelings and behaviour.

(4) FINANCIAL SUPPORT

A man must assume the responsibility of his house, feed, clothe the family, be a leader, provider and guide.

(5) FAMILY COMMITMENT

Spend time with his children, having an open communication with them. A man must know that his care of the children is critically important to his wife.

(6) FORGIVENESS

Your wife is going to fail you, offend and misunderstand you. She is going to disappoint you by her actions and words. Learn to instantly and constantly forgive her. The main ingredient to maintain and keep your marriage together is forgiveness.

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How can you have faith in your wife if you don't love her? That's in Phileo. Now, how about Agapao to God? How can it be if you don't love God? If you said you love your wife and never tell her about it, and never set down and make love to her, expressed it to her, kiss her, hug her, and tell her she's the best cook in the country, all the things that you know, and how pretty she is, and how much you love her; if you don't do that she'll never know it. That's the way. If you do love her, you express it.

That's the way we do to God. When we love Him, we tell Him about it. We set down and we adore Him, and worship Him, and... See, love drives us to that.

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