Galatians 6:1 6-30-19

1. Last week I completed a study of Gal 6:1 by way of the *Doctrine of Agape*. When time expired, I was in the process of exegeting the second of five categories of love: *love toward Right Man or Right Woman*.

- 2. Before continuing, I want to give you opportunity to use 1Jo 1:9 as may be necessary.
- 3. I want to review some of that learned last week and then begin new material on page four.
- 4. Now let's see what we can learn from Gal 6:1.
- 5. Let's begin with an expanded translation of Gal 6:1.

#### **Expanded Translation**

Gal 6:1 Brethren, if however, a man be overtaken (by sin) in a certain false step, and for you who are spiritual ones, be restoring such an one in a spirit of meekness, taking heed to yourself, less you also be tempted.

6. As noted last week it was my opinion the best way to teach Gal 6:1 is to review the *the five categories of Agape Love*.

# **Doctrine of Agape**

- 1. **Agape** appears more than 100 times in the New Testament where it is translated in the KJV as "love, charitably, charity" and feasts of charity."
- 1.1 In the vast majority of cases **Agape** is translated "love." The verb form of **Agape** is **Agapao** which appears some 30 times in the Scripture and is translated variously in the KJV as "loved, love, or hast loved."
- 2. Love comes in at least five categories.
- 2.1 Category I is a love toward God.
- 2.2 Category II is a love toward Right Man or Right Woman.

- 2.3 Category III is a love toward Friends.
- 2.4 Category IV is a love toward all believers with a relaxed mental attitude even if you have no positive feelings toward them.
- 2.5 Category V is a familial love between parent and child.
- 3. Now let's see what we can learn from a study of Category II love.

# Response in the Woman's Soul

- 1. The woman from her own volition surrenders her freedom to the right man. This is soul and body response.
- 2. The right man should be "smarter" than the right woman.
- 1Ti 2:11 Let the woman learn in silence with all subjection.
- 1Ti 2:12 But I suffer not a woman to teach, nor to usurp authority over the man, but to be in silence.
- 1Ti 2:13 For Adam was first formed, then Eve.
- 1Ti 2:14 And Adam was not deceived, but the woman being deceived was in the transgression.
- 3. To become one with a man a woman surrenders much of her privacy.
- 4. In response the woman is supposed to receive **Agape** from the man but ... life is sometimes a struggle.
- 5. A woman's reaction must be submission even to a bad situation.
- 6. The man and the woman must learn all about the souls of one another since marriage is soul submission first and then body submission.
- 7. A woman's soul is just like the man's. It has a nous, heart, stream of consciousness with the eight compartments, etc.
- 8. Every woman has an infatuation with self and a great deal of vanity. She is very self-conscious and a gentleman will always allow for this as this is a natural characteristic of a woman.

- 9. When a woman falls in love she changes and tries to please her "bozo."
- 10. She has volition and woe to the man who does not understand this.
- 11. A woman becomes enthusiastic about her man and tries in her own way to please him. The man must cater to this enthusiasm and not squelch it.
- 12. Man is usually a fool in this regard.
- 13. A woman also has an Old Sin Nature and it is here that a man must use skill to protect her; he must be artful to let her make choices but guide the weaker vessel.



The Male as the Initiator

- 1. Man must love the woman based on who and what he is.
- 2. The male must never be a reactor.
- 3. The male must love her like his own body.
- 4. The male must always be a low-key performer and never aggressive physically toward his Right Woman.

### Category II Love Commanded

## 1. For the Right Man

Eph 5:25 Husbands, love (**Agapao**) your wives, even as Christ also loved (**Agapao**) the church, and gave himself for it;

#### 2. For the Right Woman

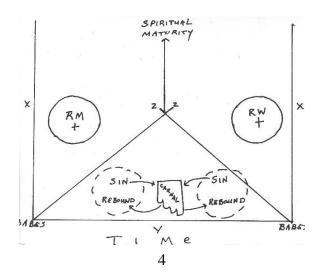
Tit 2:3 The more mature women likewise, that they be in behavior as becometh holiness, not false accusers, not given to much wine, teachers of good things;

Tit 2:4 That they may teach the young women to be sober, to love their husbands, to love their children,

- 2.1 Both of the words for love in Tit 2:4 come from **Phileo**.
- 3. There is for everyone (except for the unique gift of celibacy) a husband or a wife.
- 4. The souls of the Right Man and Right Woman were created as one in eternity past before the creation of planet earth.

Gen 1:27 So God created (**Bara**) man in his own image, in the image of God created (**Bara**) he him; male and female created he them.

5. They are to come together in time as a compliment one to the other.



6. After the restoration of Planet Earth God first made a body for the soul of the man..

Gen 2:7 And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.

7. Later God built (**Banah**) a body for the soul of the woman.

Gen 2:21 And the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam, and he slept: and he took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh instead thereof; Gen 2:22 And the rib, which the LORD God had taken from man, made he a woman, and brought her unto the man.

Gen 2:23 And Adam said, This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man. Gen 2:24 Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh.

Mat 19:5 And said, For this cause shall a man leave father and mother, and shall cleave to his wife: and they twain shall be one flesh?

Mat 19:6 Wherefore they are no more twain, but one flesh. What therefore God hath joined together, let not man put asunder.

7.1 Jesus taught of a unisex format in heaven.

Mat 22:28 Therefore in the resurrection whose wife shall she be of the seven? for they all had her.

Mat 22:29 Jesus answered and said unto them, Ye do err, not knowing the scriptures, nor the power of God.

Mat 22:30 For in the resurrection they neither marry, nor are given in marriage, but are as the angels of God in heaven.

8. That the man and the woman are to be at oneness with one another is made clear in both the Old and the New Testament.

Pro 5:18 Let thy fountain be blessed: and rejoice with the wife of thy youth. Pro 5:19 Let her be as the loving hind and pleasant roe; let her breasts satisfy thee at all times; and be thou ravished always with her love.

- 9. It was God who ordained the relationship in the Garden of Eden when He made woman out of man in order that she might be an essential completing associate for him.
- 10. Christ said "What God hath joined let not man put asunder."
- 11. The Holy Spirit inspired many Scriptures about the relationship of Category II Love and how it is to function.
- 11.1 The Mechanics for the Wife

Eph 5:22 Wives, submit yourselves unto your own husbands, as unto the Lord.

Eph 5:23 For the husband is the head of the wife, even as Christ is the head of the church: and he is the savior of the body.

- 11.2 The Mechanics for the Husband
- 1Pe 3:7 Likewise, ye husbands, dwell with them according to knowledge (**Gnosis**), giving honor unto the wife, as unto the weaker vessel, and as being heirs together of the grace of life; that your prayers be not hindered.
- 11.3 The Mechanics for the both of them
- 1Pe 3:8 Finally, be ye all of one mind, having compassion one of another, love as brethren, be *tender hearted*, be courteous:
- 12. The concept of soul rapport before sex is poetically communicated in the Song of Solomon.
- 13. The concept of Right Man and Right Woman, as a concept, beginning at birth is also communicated poetically.

#### **End Lesson**

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