

# GRACE NOTES

Sunday, July 30, 2017

Series: THIS IS US

Message: Love and Respect

## Ephesians 5:21-33

<sup>21</sup> *Submit to one another out of reverence for Christ.*

<sup>22</sup> *Wives, submit yourselves to your own husbands as you do to the Lord.*

<sup>23</sup> *For the husband is the head of the wife as Christ is the head of the church, his body, of which he is the Savior. <sup>24</sup> Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit to their husbands in everything.*

<sup>25</sup> *Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her <sup>26</sup> to make her holy, cleansing her by the washing with water through the word, <sup>27</sup> and to present her to himself as a radiant church, without stain or wrinkle or any other blemish, but holy and blameless. <sup>28</sup> In this same way, husbands ought to love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself. <sup>29</sup> After all, no one ever hated their own body, but they feed and care for their body, just as Christ does the church—<sup>30</sup> for we are members of his body. <sup>31</sup> “For this reason a man will leave his father and mother and be united to his wife, and the two will become one flesh.” <sup>32</sup> This is a profound mystery—but I am talking about Christ and the church. <sup>33</sup> However, each one of you also must love his wife as he loves himself, and the wife must respect her husband.*

## Mutual Submission Is the Biblical Underpinning

### Husbands, Love Your Wives

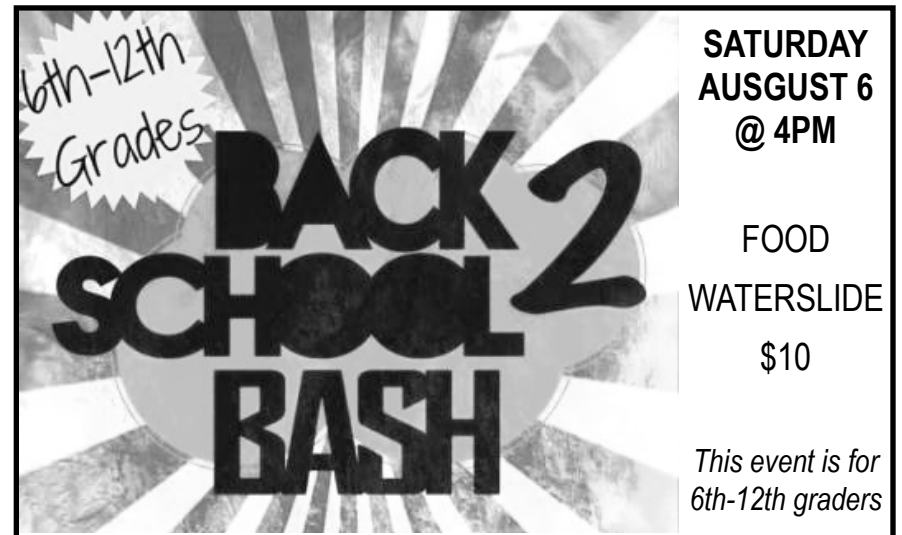
It is a sacrificial love.

It is a sanctifying love.

It is a serving love.

It is a superior love.

### Wives, Respect Your Husbands



A poster for a 'Back 2 School Bash' event. The background features a sunburst pattern. The text '6th-12th Grades' is written in a handwritten style in the top left. The main title 'BACK 2 SCHOOL BASH' is in large, bold, black letters. To the right, the event details are listed: 'SATURDAY AUGUST 6 @ 4PM', 'FOOD WATERSLIDE \$10', and 'This event is for 6th-12th graders'.

6th-12th Grades

**BACK 2 SCHOOL BASH**

**SATURDAY AUGUST 6 @ 4PM**

FOOD WATERSLIDE \$10

*This event is for 6th-12th graders*

featuring Comedian Paul May