

Wonderful differences: Men and women in the church
1 Timothy 2:8-15

- I. Godly men in the church embrace God's design for them as they humble themselves in prayer (1 Timothy 2:8).
 - A. Prayerful: Godly men are humble men of prayer (2:8a).
 - B. Pure: Godly men pursue holy purity (2:8b).
 - C. Peace-making: Godly men restrain their anger and arguing (2:8c).
- II. Godly women in the church embrace God's design for them and follow the leadership of godly men (1 Timothy 2:9-15).
 - A. Godly women are modest in appearance (2:9-10).
 - They don't draw attention to themselves as they serve others and worship God.
 - B. Godly women do not usurp leadership roles from men (2:11-14).
 - They listen as men teach in church because they recognize God's created design (Genesis 2:18-23; 1 Corinthians 11:3, 8).
 - C. Godly women embrace their spiritual strengths in the home (2:15; Titus 2:3-5).