

# WHAT DO HATS AND RAZORS HAVE TO DO WITH WORSHIP?

## I Corinthians 11:2-16

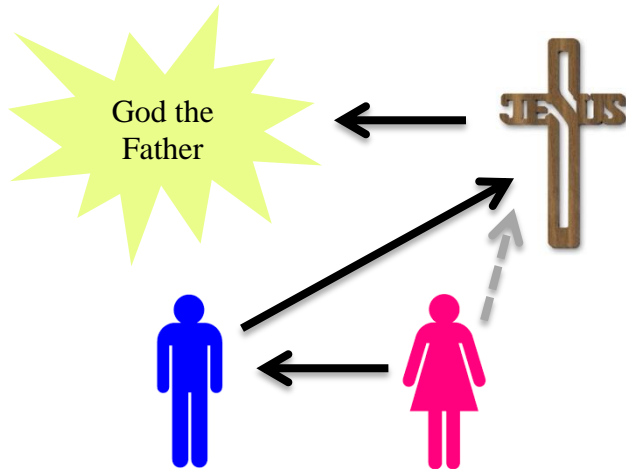
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Culture vs. Timeless Principles:

Understanding the culture and the text:

1. God has setup \_\_\_\_\_ roles over all (2-3)  
(1 Cor 15:28; John 14:28, 10:30)

What does “head” mean?



2. The Corinthians were to wear or not wear \_\_\_\_\_ as appropriate to honor headship (4-10)

Prays and Prophecies:

What is a head-covering?

- A. Men were to honor Christ as their head by **not** wearing head-coverings to worship (4)

- B. Wives were to honor their husbands **by** wearing head-coverings to worship (5-6)
- C. Act in a way that honors and brings glory to authority over you (7-10)

3. But remember, men and women are \_\_\_\_\_ before God and need each other (11-12)

Our Constitution: We believe that there is a created order between man and woman. The man was created first, and then woman from the man (Gen. 2:18-23). The woman was created as a “helper” for the man (Gen. 2:18; 1 Cor. 11:3 ff.; 1 Tim. 2:14). The biblical order concerns functions and roles, not superiority and inferiority. We believe that there is an absolute equality of man and woman before God (Gen. 1:26-28; Gal. 3:28).

4. Consider what is proper (13-16)

**Applying this without wearing head-coverings!**

- The created distinction between men and women should be \_\_\_\_\_ in the church
- We must fight against any attempts to put down men or women as \_\_\_\_\_ or less of a child of God. We are equal co-heirs before God!
- Men, reflect Christ’s \_\_\_\_\_ to your wife and family in how you lead and how you worship
- Women, take your calling to be under the headship of your husband seriously and \_\_\_\_\_.
- Our attitude towards \_\_\_\_\_ affects our worship and the worship of others in the body
- Strive to honor each \_\_\_\_\_ in worship—Avoid distracting from God!
- Women can and did \_\_\_\_\_ in the worship service in appropriate ways (5)
- \_\_\_\_\_ things that convey sexual misconduct, looseness, or marital promiscuity. Watch what you wear, say, do.

Equipping – Memorization:

*John 4:23 But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him.*