

WHY ISN'T SHE MARRIED? FATHER TOO STRICT?

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TEXT: 1 Timothy 5:14 I will therefore that the younger women marry, bear children, guide the house, give none occasion to the adversary to speak reproachfully.

1 Corinthians 7:38 So then he that giveth her in marriage doeth well; but he that giveth her not in marriage doeth better.

Isaiah 32:9 Rise up, ye women that are at ease; hear my voice, ye careless daughters; give ear unto my speech.

Judges 18:7 Then the five men departed, and came to Laish, and saw the people that were therein, how they dwelt careless, after the manner of the Zidonians, quiet and secure; and there was no magistrate in the land, that might put them to shame in any thing...

Mark 3:27 No man can enter into a strong man's house, and spoil his goods, except he will first bind the strong man; and then he will spoil his house.

Romans 14:16 Let not then your good be evil spoken of:

1 Kings 3:19 And this woman's child died in the night; because she overlaid it.

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1 Corinthians 10:23 All things are lawful for me, but all things are not expedient...

"...This passage clearly shows how St. Paul has not been contrasting right and wrong: but comparative degrees of what is expedient." (Ellicott)

"Doeth better. Obviously not morally, because, if one course be morally better than another, we are bound to take it; but 'better' with reference to expediency in 'the urgent necessity' which rested on the Christian world in that day." (Pulpit Commentary)

1 Corinthians 7:2 Nevertheless, to avoid fornication, let every man have his own wife, and let every woman have her own husband.

1 Corinthians 7:25 Now concerning virgins I have no commandment of the Lord: yet I give my judgment, as one that hath obtained mercy of the Lord to be faithful. 26 I suppose therefore that this is good for the present distress, I say, that it is good for a man so to be.

1 Corinthians 7:28 But and if thou marry, thou hast not sinned; and if a virgin marry, she hath not sinned. Nevertheless such shall have trouble in the flesh...

Luke 21:23 But woe unto them that are with child, and to them that give suck, in those days! for there shall be great <u>distress</u> in the land, and wrath upon this people.

Luke 12:25 And there shall be signs in the sun, and in the moon, and in the stars; and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity; the sea and the waves roaring;

Acts 11:28 And there stood up one of them named Agabus, and signified by the Spirit that there should be great dearth throughout all the world: which came to pass in the days of Claudius Caesar.

Reign of Claudius Caesar (41-54 A.D.)

"...for the present distress...The famine in the time of Claudius, Acts 11:28. It was very long and severe, especially in Greece."
(Bengel)

Song of Solomon 8:7 Many waters cannot quench love, neither can the floods drown it...

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