HOME FIELD ADVANTAGE

BECOMING A WORLD CLASS HUSBAND

1 Peter 3:7 Jeff Schreve

You husbands likewise, live with your wives in an understanding way, as with a weaker vessel, since she is a woman; and grant her honor as a fellow heir of the grace of life, so that your prayers may not be hindered. 1 Peter 3:7

How can you become a world class husband?

1. Take time to <u>understand</u> your wife. Likewise, you husbands, dwell with them according to knowledge ... 1 Peter 3:7 KJV

A. She is <u>REALLY different</u> from you.

B. Understanding your wife takes effort.

2. Make sure to love and care for your wife.

A. Her <u>greatest need</u> is to be loved. Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself up for her. Ephesians 5:25

B. She blossoms when she **feels** <u>valued</u> and <u>precious</u>. *He who loves his own wife loves himself; for no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as Christ also does the church... Ephesians* 5:28-29

3. Make sure to <u>lead</u> your wife.

A. God has called the husband to be the <u>head coach</u>. For the husband is the head of the wife, as Christ also is the head of the church, He Himself being the savior of the body. Ephesians 5:23

B. God has called the husband to be the <u>spiritual leader</u>. ...so that your prayers may not be hindered. 1 Peter 3:7

Do you want to be a great husband?

<u>Depend on</u> the Lord and <u>do</u> what He says... and He will work miracles!