



The Miriam Examination

Our foremother Miriam made the grave mistake of equating herself with her brother.

Numbers 12:1-2 (King James Version 1611) **1** And Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married: for he had married an Ethiopian woman. **2** And they said, Hath the LORD indeed spoken only by Moses? hath he not spoken also by us? And the LORD heard it.

Numbers 12:14 (King James Version 1611)

14 And the LORD said unto Moses, If her father had but spit in her face, should she not be ashamed, seven days? let her be shut out from the camp, seven days, and after that let her be received in again.

As women, our struggle is understanding our place. Let's examine how we can use the scriptures to get back in order.

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1. How do you maintain your role as a woman to avoid making yourself equal to the man?

America (Babylon the Great) has taught women that we are equal to men. To combat this false narrative, I meditate on our heavenly Father's purpose for having created the woman in the beginning.

Genesis 2:18-23 (King James Version 1611)

18 And the LORD God said, it is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him an help meet for him. **19** And out of the ground the LORD God formed every beast of the field, and every fowl of the air; and brought them unto Adam to see what he would call them: and whatsoever Adam called every living creature, that was the name thereof. **20** And Adam gave names to all cattle, and to the fowl of the air, and to every beast of the field; but for Adam there was not found an help meet for him. **21** And the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam, and he slept: and he took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh instead thereof; **22** And the rib, which the LORD God had taken from man, made he a woman, and brought her unto the man. **23** And Adam said, This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man.



2. What scriptures help to keep you in order reminding you that you are underneath the man?

In the bible, our heavenly Father details specific rules that his true followers must remember to observe. 1 Corinthians 11:3 clearly outlines the godly order showing us that the woman is beneath the man in the hierarchy.

1 Corinthians 11:1-3 (King James Version 1611)

1 Be ye followers of me, even as I also am of Christ. **2** Now I praise you, brethren, that ye remember me in all things, and keep the ordinances, as I delivered them to you.

3 But I would have you know, that the head of every man is Christ; and the head of the woman is the man; and the head of Christ is God.

1 Timothy 2:11-14 (King James Version 1611)

11 Let the woman learn in silence with all subjection. **12** But I suffer not a woman to teach, nor to usurp authority over the man, but to be in silence. **13** For Adam was first formed, then Eve.

14 And Adam was not deceived, but the woman being deceived was in the transgression.

1 Timothy 2:12 commands the woman to maintain the order, not attempting to obtain authority over the man in any manner. Verse 13 states that Adam (man) was created first and Eve (woman) was created second.

3. What advice would you give a sister who struggles with this spirit?

I would encourage my sister to genuinely seek to learn what her righteous role entails. Understand that the order God ordained is sufficient and perfect, but we can't experience its benefits when we (women) do not know our role, step out of our role, or try to fulfill our role and our lord's. Lastly, I would suggest that my sister humble down to her position and allow her hedge of protection to lead and cover her.

Ecclesiasticus/Sirach 36:22-25 (King James Version 1611)

22 The beauty of a woman cheereth the countenance, and a man loveth nothing better.

23 If there be kindness, meekness, and comfort, in her tongue, then is not her husband like other men. **24** He that getteth a wife beginneth a possession, a help like unto himself, and a pillar of rest. **25** Where no hedge is, there the possession is spoiled: and he that hath no wife will wander up and down mourning.

Our foremother Miriam was great with building the sisters' spirit up after we came from Egypt. However, her downfall was her pride and thinking she was equal to the men. As we grow in the spirit, let's continue to focus on our place as women.



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1. How do you maintain your role as a woman to avoid making yourself equal to the man?

I stay in check by applying what my lord teaches me, through meditating on the scriptures, and constantly reminding myself that I can't get the kingdom without my lord. He is my head. Our lords; the prophets, are very much needed. Without them this truth wouldn't go out and we would be in captivity forever. They are getting us closer to the kingdom everyday they go out and teach our people.

2. What scriptures help to keep you in order reminding you that you are underneath the man?

The scriptures that keep me in check are [Genesis 3:16](#) and [1 Corinthians 11:8-9](#).

3. What advice would you give a sister who struggles with this spirit?

I would advise the sister to fast, pray, and read what happened to Miriam in Numbers 12 if they are dealing with that spirit. Meditate on scriptures to help her overcome that spirit.

Sister Linda, IUIC Mobile

1. How do you maintain your role as a woman to avoid making yourself equal to the man?

Read, study the scriptures, and do what they say.

2. What scriptures help to keep you in order reminding you that you are underneath the man?

The [Scriptures](#) that help me are:

[1 Timothy 2:13](#)

[1 Corinthians 11:7-9](#)

[Genesis 3:16](#)

[1 Corinthian 11: 3](#)

3. What advice would you give a sister who struggles with this spirit?

Learn to be silent, according to [1 Timothy 2:12](#).