



Theology Threads | Season 2: Episode 11 Notes | Do Head Coverings in Church Still Matter?

Summary

Welcome back to Theology Threads! This week, Dr. Brian Jenkins and Pastor Miles Langrock have a plethora of hair puns to unpack the topic of head coverings for women in the Corinthian church, and what we can learn from them today. They also discuss how economic class divide effected communion in the Corinthian Church. Make sure to check out our previous episodes in season 2 to follow along in the letter of 1st Corinthians, and how it mirrors the Church today. You can email us with questions at hello@theothreads.com

Reflection Questions

This passage about head coverings and hair has been taught in many ways in Christian circles. How have you heard it taught differently from how Dr. Brian teaches it in this episode? Has it been difficult for you to understand?

How do you feel the broader Church does today at differentiating itself from other religions and secular culture in its services?

Do you feel that your church is good at welcoming anyone regardless of their socio-economic status?

If you could share one point from this episode with someone, what would it be and who would you share it with?

For further learning connected to this episode, check out these resources.

Read this article on head coverings

<https://www.cbeinternational.org/resource/wild-hair-and-gender-equality-1-corinthians-112-16/>

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