

Dear fellow bookworms,

On page 53 of a book entitled *Recovering Biblical Manhood & Womanhood* John Piper said, "If I were to put my finger on one devastating sin today, it would not be the so-called women's movement, but the lack of spiritual leadership by men at home and in the church. Satan has achieved an amazing tactical victory by disseminating the notion that the summons for male leadership is born of pride and fallenness, when in fact pride is precisely what prevents spiritual leadership." From this book presenting and defending the historical, and biblical understanding of men and woman comes this month's selection *50 Crucial Questions* (50 of the most commonly asked questions concerning the roles of men and women and what the Bible actually says).

You'll have at your fingertips short, comprehensive, biblically consistent answers to all those questions you or your friends may ask about this thorny issue.

Some of the questions answered are as follows,

1. Why do we regard the issue of male and female roles as so important?
2. Where in the Bible do we get the idea that only men should be the pastors and elders of the church?
3. What is meant by submission?
4. Where in the Bible do we get the idea that husbands should be the leaders in their homes?
5. Isn't it true that stressing headship and submission gives impetus to the epidemic of wife abuse?
6. Why is it acceptable to sing hymns written by women and recommend books written by women but not to permit them to say the same things audibly?

Till next time,

Your fellow bookworm