

The Blessing of the Twelfth Woman Outline

^{NRS} 1Pe 4:8 Above all, maintain constant love for one another, for love covers a multitude of sins.⁹ Be hospitable to one another without complaining.¹⁰ Like good stewards of the manifold grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received.¹¹ Whoever speaks must do so as one speaking the very words of God; whoever serves must do so with the strength that God supplies, so that God may be glorified in all things through Jesus Christ. To him belong the glory and the power forever and ever. Amen.

1. Band- Youngblood then Gryzbowski
2. What do we do when someone is hurt?
3. First Peter and soft difference
 - No difference and 'Cake or death'; hard difference and FLDS
 - First Peter and being different but not hating, but living in the midst
 - Hence the pain
4. First Peter's strategy- constant love, hoping it will cover over
 - Sounds nice, but sounds like an excuse
 - Actually very realistic; love doesn't fix, it can only cover over
5. Snow white
6. My brother
7. Pain a part of life. We hurt one another. Sometimes we mean to; mostly we don't. But we do- and our faith doesn't make this go away. The hope is that when someone is hurting, we might add our live to the mess as thin as this seems, in the hope that in time it may cover over at least a little bit a multitude of sins. It's hard out there folks, so be kind this week- be kind to yourselves and be kind to everyone you meet. And above maintain constant love. **Amen.**