## How should a husband speak to his wife



A husband full of grace should speak to his woman like this:

I have taken you in my arms, and I love you, and I prefer you to my life itself. For the present life is nothing, and my most ardent dream is to spend it with you in such a way that we may be assured of not being separated in the eternal life reserved for us.... I place your love above all things, and nothing would be more bitter or painful to me than to be of a different mind than you.

Unfortunately, our day by day words prove that we are empty of God's grace.

Based on Saint John Chrysostom

In the photo a koliva made at Vatopedi monastery, Mount Athos

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