

Gender Complementarity

Below is a comparison of typical **masculine** and **feminine** qualities and characteristics. It shows the harmony and balance we bring to one another in imaging God as sexual persons.

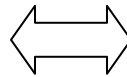
PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL THESE TRAITS ARE GOOD !!!

(Of course, all males have some of the feminine traits, and vice-versa, but these are the dominant traits for each.)



MALE

relates physically
sense of order
justice / authority
strength
action / movement
life-changing
risk-taking
hope
builder / provider
protect / defend
managerial
task-oriented
ends-focus
solving
analytical / searching
dividing / categorizing
doer
initiate / do
attention / focus
dutiful / mission



FEMALE

relates emotionally
sense of beauty
mercy / compassion
tenderness
rest / peace
life-giving
stability
faith
grower / nurturer
trust / surrender
relational
people-oriented
means-focus
empathizing
intuitive / knowing
joining / integrating
planner
receive / be
attentive / awareness
supportive / submission

