appointed angels and stern guards, who never disobey Allah's command and always do as they are commanded". It's clear from this verse that the most important duty of a husband is to It's clear from this verse that the most important duty save himself and his family

Allah SWT has also revealed in Surah An Nisa Verse 34 very clearly that: "Men are in charge of women by [right of] what Allah has given one over the other and what they spend [for maintenance] from their wealth. So in the righteous women are devoutly obedient, guarding in [the husband's] absence what Allah would have them guard".

Indeed, a husband is the leader in the family, and, thus, has the responsibility to the overall family affairs. Prophet Muhammad (Peace be Upon Him), as heard by Abdullah ibnu Umar r.a., has said: "Every and each of every one you are a leader, and a leader will be accountable for whatever he leads. A leader of a nation will be asked to be responsible upon his people. A husband is the leader of his family, and will be asked to be responsible upon his family".

In a marriage relationship, while a husband is responsible for the overall family affairs, a wife has the responsibility to obey what her husband advises. Thus, for instance, if a wife prioritises other affairs over obedience to her husband, then she may need to revisit her Islamic teaching and seek more knowledge on marriage relationships. The same also goes to a husband that avoiding his responsibility to the family, then that is not the reflection of our Islamic teaching.

I would like to emphasize that both husband and wife need to learn their positions in the family well and act according to the positions as prescribed by Al-Quran and Sunnah. If they act under those prescriptions, Insha Allah, the family will reach blessing and happiness in the dunya and the hereafter. Aamiin YRA.

That's all I would like to say, may Allah SWT always guides all to His right and straight path, hadhanallahu wa iyyakum ajma'in, Wassalamu'alaikum Wr. Wb.

barakallahu fikuma forboth Ikha and Alis

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