

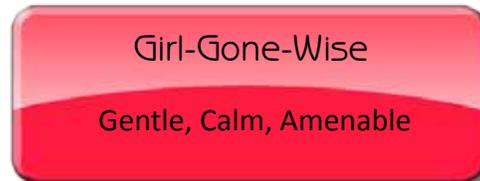
Point of Contrast #4

ATTITUDE

Your Prevailing Disposition



“She is loud and wayward . . .”
Proverbs 7:11



Her heart reflects the imperishable
beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit,
which in God’s sight is very precious.
1 Peter 3:4*

In the “Girls Gone Wise” book, read the fourth point of contrast between the Wild Thing and the Wise Thing (pages 57-70), and then answer the following questions:

1. Imagine the following two models of womanhood:

EXHIBIT A: She’s a tough, sassy, sexy, independent career woman.

EXHIBIT B: She’s a calm, sweet, submissive, nurturing housewife and mom.

On a purely emotional level, which model of womanhood seems more appealing to you?

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| Which seems more glamorous? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Which seems more interesting? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Which seems more exciting? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Which seems more desirable? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Overall, which model of womanhood do you find more compelling, and why?

2. Proverbs describes the Wild Thing as “loud” and “wayward.” Refer to pages 60-61 to complete the following chart:

A “loud” woman is...	A “wayward” woman is...

3. How often do you exhibit a clamorous (“*You better do it my way!*”) or defiant (“*I refuse to do it your way!*”) attitude?

Never Rarely Occasionally Often Habitually

4. How do you feel about the fact that Adam associated manhood with “strength” and womanhood with “softness”? Do you delight in the fact that the Lord created you to be “soft”? Does the thought of “softness” scare you?

5. Read 1 Peter 3:3-6. How does God’s assessment of the womanly traits of gentleness, calmness, and amenability compare with the world’s assessment of the ideal disposition for women?

6. Put a mark on the scale to indicate which type of disposition you have been cultivating:

Clamorous and defiant disposition of a Girl-Gone-Wild

Gentle, calm, amenable disposition of a Girl-Gone-Wise

7. What factors might keep you from becoming increasingly gentle, calm, and amenable? How committed are you to pursuing the disposition of a Girl-Gone-Wise?