

Women & More
A 'call' and 'walk' Experience

Making a House...a Home

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We are called to create and maintain a home that will bless not only our families, but all who God will bring into it—it's biblical. It's not about space but about sanctuary; it's not about décor but about diligence. And it's not about grandeur but grace—an *attitude* of gracious living for a witness to our God!

“I have been profoundly shaped by the home in which I was raised
far more than with just words.

My mother taught me by example much of what I know and value about home.
She exemplified diligence in every way and had many outside interests,
but our home was a priority.

My mother built our home with dignity, purpose and joy.
She understood that her investment into our home and lives had value.
She passed on her positive attitude about the home.”

Terry Willits

Prepare by Soaking in Scripture:

Job 29:4

Psalm 127:1a

Proverbs 14:1

Proverbs 31:17

Hebrews 3:4

Scripture to Memorize:

Proverbs 24:3-4 *“By wisdom a house is built, and through understanding it is established;
through knowledge its rooms are filled with rare and beautiful treasures.”*

MOTHER...

*She could not paint, nor write, nor rhyme,
No footprints on the sands of time,
As some distinguished women do;
Just simple things of life she knew—
Like tucking little folks in bed,
Or soothing someone's aching head.*

*She was no singer, neither blessed
With any special loveliness
To win applause and passing fame;
No headlines ever blazed her name,
But, oh, she was a shining light
To all her loved ones, day and night;*

*Her home, her kingdom, she its queen;
Her reign was faithful, honest, clean,
Impartial, loving, just, to each
And every one she sought to teach.*

*Her name? Of course, there is no other
In all the world so sweet—just Mother!*

—May Allread Baker