

DIGGING DEEPER



These questions are designed for use in our Life Groups, but they also can be used in personal and family devotions.

Series: A Family Portrait
Sermon: My Mom, the Model
Scripture: Proverbs 31

Getting Started

Do you think it is easier or more difficult for a woman to fulfill her role(s) in the family and society than it was for our parents and grandparents? Why?

Bible Study Questions

1. Read Proverbs 31:10-31. Is this a fair standard to establish for a woman?
2. Verse 10 suggests that a woman like the one in these verses is rare. Why is such a woman rare?
3. What do we find in the following verses to suggest that a woman should strive to attend to the needs of her family?
 - v. 13:
 - v. 14:
 - v. 15:
 - v. 16:
 - v. 18:
 - v. 27:
4. Where in this chapter can you find support for the idea that a woman has value outside the home as well as in her role in the home?
5. Although the husband/father is supposed to serve as the spiritual leader of the home, what do we read in verse 26 about the role that a godly wife/mother can play in spiritual things?

Apply It

If you are a woman, go back through the points of Sunday's sermon about what a woman "does", and "is". Where do you sense you are falling short? Pray that God would help you to be strengthened in those areas.

As a man or child, write down some ways that you can give **praise and honor** to the special women in your life.