



Today's Message

When Family Feels Like a Desperate Word

Part 1 of 6

Honoring Mom

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Attributes of the "Proverbs 31 Woman's" life...

1. She _____.

Proverbs 31:10-12 NIV "A wife of noble character who can find? She is worth far more than rubies. Her husband has full confidence in her and lacks nothing of value. She brings him good, not harm, all the days of her life."

Psalms 127:4-5 NIV "Like arrows in the hands of a warrior are sons born in one's youth. Blessed is the man whose quiver is full of them. They will not be put to shame when they contend with their enemies in the gate."

2. She _____.

Proverbs 31:13-16 NIV "She selects wool and flax and works with eager hands. She is like the merchant ships, bringing her food from afar. She gets up while it is still dark; she provides food for her family and portions for her servant girls. She considers a field and buys it; out of her earnings she plants a vineyard."

Proverbs 31:17-19, 27 NIV "She sets about her work vigorously; her arms are strong for her tasks. She sees that her trading is profitable, and her lamp does not go out at night. In her hand she holds the distaff and grasps the spindle with her fingers. She watches over the affairs of her household and does not eat the bread of idleness."

3. She models _____.

Proverbs 31:20 NIV "She opens her arms to the poor and extends her hands to the needy."

4. She earns _____.

Proverbs 31:25 NIV "She is clothed with strength and dignity; she can laugh at the days to come."

5. She speaks _____.

Proverbs 31:26 NIV "She speaks with wisdom, and faithful instruction is on her tongue."

Proverbs 12:18 NIV "Reckless words pierce like a sword, but the tongue of the wise brings healing."

6. She deserves _____.

Proverbs 31:28 NIV "Her children arise and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her."

7. She fears the _____.

Proverbs 31:29-31 NIV "Many women do noble things, but you surpass them all. Charm is deceptive, and beauty is fleeting; but a woman who fears the Lord is to be praised. Give her the reward she has earned, and let her works bring her praise at the city gate."

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