# 箴言

才德的婦人

# 家

- □對我們來說,我們的『家、Home』,是一個什麼樣的地方?
  - ◇家是個『房子』…?
    - ○是個『生活起居作息』的地方…?
    - ○是個『家人聚集』的地方…?
    - ○是個做不完『家務、家事』的地方…?
  - ◇家是『愛之窩』…?
    - 是所有家人可以『彼此接納』、『彼此珍惜』、 『彼此供應』的地方…?
    - ○是所有家人可以『安歇滋養』、『一起成長』、 『享受真愛』的地方…?

# 家

- □對於一個人,我們的『家』是非常的重要, 但是誰來建造維持我們的『家』呢?
  - ◆在每一個人的生命中,神都託付許多不同的工作、服事給我們,其中一個很重要的角色是 『Home Maker』就是建造維持一個家的人…
    - 智慧婦人、建立家室,愚妄婦人、親手拆毀…。
       A wise woman builds her home, but a foolish woman tears it down with her own hands.
       (箴言:十四1, NLT)
  - ◇並不是只有婦女才是『Home Maker』,其實 每一個家人都有『Home Maker』的責任。 要記得在神眼中,我們每一個人的『崗位』可 能不一樣,但是『地位』是一樣的…。

#### 『才』與『德』

- □在神眼中,什麽樣的人,才是真正有價值的 『Home Maker』?
  - ◆是一個『德一屬靈的品格』、 與『才一能力的裝備』,都具備的人…。
    - 才德的婦人誰能得著呢?他的價值遠勝過珍珠。
       Who can find a virtuous and capable wife?
       She is more precious than rubies.

(箴言:三十一10, NLT)

#### 『才』與『德』

- □在神眼中,什麽樣的人,才是真正有價值的 『Home Maker』? (績)
  - ◇『才』與『德』都是需要裝備、培養的…。
    - 於是他按心中的純正、牧養他們,用手中的巧妙、引導他們…。

He cared for them with a true heart and led them with skillful hands.

(詩篇:七十八72, NLT)

我所禱告的,就是要你們的愛心,在知識和各樣 見識上、多而又多…。

This is my prayer for you: that your love will grow more and more; that you will have knowledge and understanding with your love.

(腓立比書:一9, NCV)

- □什麽樣的家人,是其他家人混難忍受的?
  - ◆ 争執抱怨、Quarrelsome、Complaining …。
    - 寧可住在房頂的角上、不在寬闊的房屋、與爭吵的婦人同住…。
      - It's better to live alone in the corner of an attic than with a quarrelsome wife in a lovely home. (箴言:二十一9, NLT)
    - 寧可住在曠野、不與爭吵使氣的婦人同住…。 It's better to live alone in the desert than with a quarrelsome, complaining wife.

(箴言:二十一19, NLT)

- □倚靠神恩典的『Home Maker』,有什麼特別的地方?
  - ◇ 值得信賴、Trustworthy …。
  - ◇帶來益處、Beneficial ···。
    - ●他一生使丈夫有益無損…。 She brings him good, not harm, all the days of her life. (箴言:三十一12, NLT)

- □倚靠神恩典的『Home Maker』,有什麼特別的地方?(續)
  - ◇積極創意、Creative …。
    - 他尋找羊羢和麻、甘心用手作工…。
       She finds wool and flax and busily spins it.
       (箴言:三十一13, NLT)
  - ♦供應資源、Resourceful ··· 。
    - 他好像商船從遠方運糧來…。
       She is like a merchant's ship, bringing her food from afar. (箴言:三十一14, NLT)

- □倚靠神恩典的『Home Maker』,有什麼特別的地方?(續)
  - ◇ 體貼周全、Considerate …。
    - 未到黎明他就起來、把食物分給家中的人,將當作的工分派婢女…。
       She gets up before dawn to prepare breakfast for her household and plan the day's work for her servant girls. (箴言:三十一15, NLT)
  - ◆用心經營、Diligent ···。
    - 他想得田地就買來,用手所得之利栽種葡萄園…
       She goes to inspect a field and buys it; with her earnings she plants a vineyard.

(箴言:三十一16, NLT)

- □倚靠神恩典的『Home Maker』,有什麼特別的地方?(續)
  - ◇ 充满活力、Energetic ···。
    - 他以能力束腰、使膀臂有力…。
       She is energetic and strong, a hard worker.
       (箴言:三十一17, NLT)
  - ◇經濟效益、Economical ···。
    - 他覺得所經營的有利、他的燈終夜不滅…。 She makes sure her dealings are profitable; her lamp burns late into the night.

(箴言:三十一18, NLT)

- □倚靠神恩典的『Home Maker』,有什麼特別的地方?(續)
  - ◇有效率的、Efficient ···。
    - 他手拿撚線竿、手把紡線車…。
       Her hands are busy spinning thread, her fingers twisting fiber. (箴言:三十一19, NLT)
  - ◇慈善大方、Generous ···。
    - 他張手賙濟困苦人、伸手幫補窮乏人…。 She extends a helping hand to the poor and opens her arms to the needy. (箴言:三十一20, NLT)

- □倚靠神恩典的『Home Maker』,有什麼特別的地方?(續)
  - ◇ 前瞻預備、Well-Prepared ···。
    - 他不因下雪為家裡的人擔心、因為全家都穿著朱 紅衣服…。

She has no fear of winter for her household, for everyone has warm clothes.

(箴言:三十一21, NLT)

- ♦優雅品味、Artistic…。
  - 他為自己製作繡花毯子,他的衣服、是細麻和紫色布作的…。

She makes her own bedspreads. She dresses in fine linen and purple gowns. (箴言:三十一22, NLT)

- □倚靠神恩典的『Home Maker』,有什麽特 别的地方?(續)
  - ◇輔助幫助、Supportive ···。
    - 他丈夫在城門口與本地的長老同坐、為眾人所認識…。

Her husband is well known at the city gates, where he sits with the other civic leaders.

(箴言:三十一23, NLT)

- ◇增添價值、Value-Add…。
  - O She makes belted linen garments and sashes to sell to the merchants. (箴言:三十一24, NLT)

- □倚靠神恩典的『Home Maker』,有什麼特別的地方?(續)
  - ◇ 自尊樂觀、Dignity …。
    - 能力和威儀、是他的衣服,他想到日後的景況就喜笑…。

She is clothed with strength and dignity, and she laughs without fear of the future.

(箴言:三十一25, NLT)

- ◇ 恩慈親切、Gracious ···。
  - 他開口就發智慧,他舌上有仁慈的法則…。 When she speaks, her words are wise, and she gives instructions with kindness.

(箴言:三十一26, NLT)

- □倚靠神恩典的『Home Maker』,有什麼特別的地方?(續)
  - ◇細心殷勤、Prudence ···。
    - 他觀察家務、並不喫閒飯…。
      She carefully watches everything in her household and suffers nothing from laziness.

(箴言:三十一27, NLT)

- ◇家人感激、Appreciated …。
  - 他的兒女起來稱他有福,他的丈夫也稱讚他說: 『才德的女子很多、惟獨你超過一切…。』 Her children stand and bless her. Her husband praises her: "There are many virtuous and capable women in the world, but you surpass them all" (箴言:三十一28-29, NLT)

- □倚靠神恩典的『Home Maker』,有什麼特別的地方?(續)
  - ◇虔誠敬畏、God-Fearing ···。
    - > 豔麗是虚假的、美容是虚浮的,惟敬畏耶和華的婦女、必得稱讚…。

Charm is deceptive, and beauty does not last; but a woman who fears the Lord will be greatly praised. (箴言:三十一30, NLT)

- ◇為神喜悅、Eternal-Valued…。
  - 願他享受操作所得的,願他的工作、在城門口榮 耀他…。

Reward her for all she has done. Let her deeds publicly declare her praise.

(箴言:三十一31. NLT)

#### 我們的回應

- □從今天的分享,我們可以有什麽樣的回應?
  - ◇我們是否願意親近、尋求、倚靠神,與家人共 同學習做個討神喜悅的『Home Maker』…?

#### 我們的回應

#### □ 背誦經文:

◆房屋錢財、是祖宗所遺留的,惟有賢慧的妻、 是耶和華所賜的…。

Fathers can give their sons an inheritance of houses and wealth, but only the Lord can give an understanding wife. (箴言:十九14, NLT)