



WISDOM FROM RIGHTEOUS WOMEN: TIPS FOR BUILDING YOUR HOME

Every wise woman buildeth her house: but the foolish plucketh it down with her hands.

Proverbs 14:1 KJV

Proverbs 14:1 KJV tells us that wise women strengthen their homes, but foolish ones tear them down.

As Israelite women, on a path of repentance, we are committed to building up our lord's households. In my interviews with several women, they share valuable insight on how they uplift and support their homes, as opposed to criticizing and tearing them down. Today's society glorifies negativity. As Israelite women we should strive to defy these social norms by fostering a culture of encouragement and empowerment within our families.

The following interviews uncover the significance of positive communication and exhortation when cultivating strong relationships.

Rather than focus on faults, these wise women celebrate the achievements of their loved ones and offer their support. Creating an environment of love and acceptance enables them to lay the foundation for harmonic growth within their homes.

Additionally, they emphasize how important it is to set boundaries and practice self-care in order to maintain their own well-being, this enables them to support their families more effectively.



Sister Natania
House of Officer Zephaniah
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My tip would be, like Nike, “just do it,” you will not regret it. If you want peace, joy, and to see that big, beautiful smile from your lord, do the things that need to be done to build your lord’s home: listen to your lord and go to him for instructions concerning all things. Make sure you are building his house the way that he wants, elevating yourself in ways he sees fit, teaching the children according to his mind, and studying the things he says you need to study. Everything should be approved by your lord to guarantee that he is happy, and his house (his kingdom) is managed as he desires.

*Unto the woman he said, I will greatly multiply thy sorrow and thy conception; in sorrow thou shalt bring forth children; and thy desire shall be to thy husband, and he shall rule over thee. **Genesis 3:16 KJV***

If we really meditate and apply this scripture, building up our lord’s home won’t be an issue.



Sister Lael
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A tip that may encourage sisters with building their lord's home, is to be the peace of the home. As wives, we are the managers of our home. How we govern the home, dictates how it flows. I have learned that as long as I remain calm and handle matters with soft answers of kindness, it can really make a difference. When the children argue, a foolish woman would yell or even curse at the them, but a wise woman would think, they must be idle, let me find something for them to do. Your lord may get angry at times. A foolish woman would match his energy and get angry too; however, a wise woman would be his peace by making him a nice meal, offering to rub his back, bring him his favorite drink, play some nice music, as well as look and smell delightful. A wise woman cultivates her house by nurturing it. Your home should be a safe place of love. Only a foolish woman would create anything less.

And the fruit of righteousness is sown in peace of them that make peace.

James 3:18 KJV

And let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to the which also ye are called in one body; and be ye thankful.

Colossians 3:15 KJV



Follow peace with all men, and holiness, without which no man shall see the Lord:

Hebrews 12:14 KJV

Endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

Ephesians 4:3 KJV

Depart from evil, and do good; seek peace, and pursue it.

Psalms 34:14 KJV



Sister Yashar

House of Officer Othniel

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The one tip I would suggest in building your home is to tame your tongue. This process begins in the mind. When you arise, meditate on this action, take a few moments to dwell on what you choose to say and ask: Is this beneficial to say? The Bible instructs us to 'be silent and loving' while the world says, 'speak your truth'. Constantly having something to say can wreak havoc in the home. That behavior is draining and is a sure way to pluck down your home with your hands! We should incorporate the art of femininity in our actions and language. I call this



“sweet speech”. We learn from the history of our foremother Judith, that there is true power in femininity and the art of speaking kind words. Learning to rule your tongue and speak words of meekness, comfort, kindness and encouragement to your husband and children, is how you can continue to build your home!
Meditate on these scriptures:

Even so the tongue is a little member, and boasteth great things. Behold, how great a matter a little fire kindleth! And the tongue is a fire, a world of iniquity: so is the tongue among our members, that it defileth the whole body, and setteth on fire the course of nature; and it is set on fire of hell.

James 3:5-6 KJV

A silent and loving woman is a gift of the Lord; and there is nothing so much worth as a mind well instructed.

Ecclesiasticus 26:14 KJV

As the climbing up a sandy way is to the feet of the aged, so is a wife full of words to a quiet man.

Ecclesiasticus 25:20 KJV

If there be kindness, meekness, and comfort, in her tongue, then is not her husband like other men.

Ecclesiasticus 36:23 KJV

And weigh thy words in a balance, and make a door and bar for thy mouth.

Ecclesiasticus 28:25 KJV



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A tip I have for building your home is to always look for ways to improve your household (I'm working on this myself). Enhancing your home could go into better ways to teach your children, mastering different ways to be a better help to your lord, or finding new ways to organize your home. Be mindful that whatever is implemented, you are meeting your lord's standards. We have to strive to be likeminded with our lords, following his lead in everything.

Hast thou a wife after thy mind? forsake her not: but give not thyself over to a light woman.

Ecclesiasticus 7:26 KJV