



A Woman Made Me Rich

Sermon by Ray Reynolds (5-9-10 - AM)

Text: Proverbs 31:10-31

Introduction: Happy Mother's Day! Did you know that the Bible teaches the woman is the one that makes the man rich? God has blessed us with many great stories in the Bible about godly women. Let's study one of those passages together

Discussion:

I. A Good Woman Makes A Man Rich Because of Her Foundation (vs.10-12)

- A. Her husband trusts her.
- B. Her children look up to her.
- C. Her family is thankful for her.

II. A Good Woman Makes A Man Rich Because of Her Food (vs.14-16)

- A. Her work never ceases.
- B. Her food blesses the house.
- C. Her wisdom and frugality saves the family.

III. A Good Woman Makes A Man Rich Because of Her Fruits (vs.17-22)

- A. Her arms are strong.
- B. Her hands are busy.
- C. Her labor is rewarded.

IV. A Good Woman Makes A Man Rich Because of Her Favor (vs.23-25)

- A. Her reputation edifies her husband.
- B. Her example inspires others.
- C. Her vision encourages others.

V. A Good Woman Makes A Man Rich Because of Her Faith (vs.26-31)

- A. Others can learn from her.
- B. Her family can praise her.
- C. Her Lord will reward her.

Conclusion: We need to praise God for our wives and our mothers. Remember how the angel spoke to Mary, the mother of Jesus. The angel called her the "favored" one of God. The Lord exalts women, so shouldn't we? Women have a special place in this world. Where would we be without our godly mothers? Let's praise our God today for creating women!

WORD OF THE DAY = "Woman"