

Traits/qualities of a Godly Woman: By Erica Jermanus

What is the difference between a godly and an ungodly woman according to the Bible? How can you become a godly woman? How can you apply these traits to your life?

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Introduction

In this ebook, I talk about the traits and qualities of a Proverbs 31 woman. I talk about how you can apply these qualities to your life. Also, I share other traits and qualities that women can apply from the Bible. In addition, I talk about the traits and qualities of an ungodly woman. Lastly, I talk about how you can become the woman that God has called and created you to be.

Chapter 1: Traits and qualities of a Proverbs 31 woman

Here are the traits and qualities of a Proverbs 31 woman. Her husband trusts in and knows that she will not let him down. She is faithful, obedient, and submissive to her husband. She will bring him good and not harm. She will not cheat on her husband with another man. She is loyal to him, and that is why he can trust her. He can trust her to take care of the house and children as well. Proverbs 31:11-12 says, “Who can find a virtuous and capable wife? She is more precious than rubies. Her husband can trust her, and she will greatly enrich his life. She brings him good, not harm, all the days of her life.”

She loves working with her hands, building and creating. She makes linen garments with her hands. She works with wool and flax. She makes clothes, drapery, and bed sheets for her family and home. She sells her handmade items and uses the money to buy food for her family. She travels far to get food for her and her family. She gets up early in the morning to make breakfast for her family, and she is a planner. She plans for the days and weeks ahead. She plans out her work for the day as well as for her servants.

Proverbs 31:14-15 says, “She finds wool and flax and busily spins it. She is like a merchant’s ship, bringing her food from afar. She gets up before dawn to prepare breakfast for her household and plan the day’s work for her servant girls.” “She goes to inspect a field and buys it; with her earnings she plants a vineyard. She is energetic and strong, a hard worker. She makes sure her dealings are profitable; her lamp burns late into the night.”

She is a businesswoman. She buys and sells land and property and plants vineyards and gardens. She sells the produce from the gardens to help with bills and utilities. She uses the food from her garden to feed her family. She is energetic, strong, and hard-working. She is filled with vigor. She is strong physically and spiritually. She exercises her body physically, and she is strong spiritually because she has endured much pain as a child laborer as well as going through other trials and tribulations. She is a profitable servant. She works hard to earn a living and help provide for her and her family. She earns a living by using her own skills and abilities to create and produce wealth. She works with yarn, whether that be knitting, crocheting, or sewing.

She loves to cook and clean. She takes care of the house and builds up the house instead of tearing it down. She is never idle or slothful with her hands. She is always finding something to do that is productive. She is tending to the needs of others and her husband and children. She makes sure they are well taken care of and have all of their needs met. She has God in her life and knows that God is a provider for her and her household.

She trusts in the Lord and his provision and protection over her and her family's lives. She is always busy doing something with her hands, whether that is tending to her business, ministry, or children. She cares for the poor and underprivileged. She loves helping the poor and needy and extends her hands to them. She has a compassionate heart and a generous spirit. She loves to give of her time, treasures, talents, and resources. "Her hands are busy spinning thread, her fingers twisting fiber. She extends a helping hand to the poor and opens her arms to the needy. She has no fear of winter for her household, for everyone has warm clothes."

She doesn't mind the wintertime or weather because she loves to make warm winter clothing for her household. All of her children are dressed warmly for winter because she is busy threading and making warm clothes and blankets for her household. She also makes her own bedspreads so that her household can stay warm at night. She also dresses herself in purple linen and gowns. She is modest in her appearance. She covers up her body by wearing a gown. She cares about the type of fabric that is used in clothing. The type of clothing is fine linen, and it is purple, which means that it is wealthy. They are not cheap fabrics. She invests in more expensive fabrics in fabric and color.

She is clothed with strength and dignity. She respects herself, and others respect and honor her as the woman and wife that she is. She does not look to men for validation. She looks to God Almighty for his acceptance and approval. She is not afraid to laugh because she does not fear the future. She knows the future is in God's hands and that he is in ultimate control. She trusts confidently in God.

She is wise with her words. She does not speak idle words or gossip and slander. She speaks well of others. She uses her words to build up and not tear down. She uses her words for encouragement and edification. She instructs others with kindness. She speaks the truth in love. She watches over her household and makes sure her house is safe and protected. She fears the Lord and is not afraid of him but reverences and respects him. She wants to be right with the Lord and be found with a pure heart. She praises God with her life and her actions, not just her words. Her actions set an example for others.

Chapter 2: Other biblical qualities found in a godly woman

Other biblical qualities of a godly woman include love and submission to her husband and a love for her children. Also, many wives are stay-at-home moms. They stay at home and take care of their children while their husbands go out and work a job to provide for their homes and families. Titus 2:4-5 says, "that they admonish the young women to love their husbands, to love their children, *to be* discreet, chaste, homemakers,

good, obedient to their own husbands, that the word of God may not be blasphemed.”

Other traits of a godly woman include meekness, gentleness, and a quiet spirit. She is not to exert authority over a man. She is to keep quiet in the church and be submissive to not only her husband, but also her pastor or elders. Also, a godly woman fears God and respects and honors him. She is not afraid of God but submits her will to him and walks in obedience to his commandments. A godly woman also has a pure heart towards God and others. She does not want to sin against God or hurt or break his heart. She will stumble from time to time, but she will not continue to make a practice of sin without genuine repentance.

1 Peter 3:3-4 says, “Whose adorning let it not be that outward adorning of plaiting the hair, and of wearing of gold, or of putting on of apparel; But let it be the hidden man of the heart, in that which is not corruptible, even the ornament of a meek and quiet spirit, which is in the sight of God of great price.”

A godly woman also not only has a modest heart but dresses modestly outwardly. She does not want to

flaunt her body for others to see. She does not want to get attention from men. She wants to get God's attention and approval rather than man's. She dresses in respectable apparel. She wants to save her body for her husband. So she will keep her purity vows and save sex for marriage. She will not settle for a counterfeit man. She will be willing to wait on God for the right man at the right time if she is single and not married. She knows her worth and will not settle for the wrong person outside of God's will for her.

Other traits of a godly woman are servitude or servanthood. A godly woman loves to serve others, including her husband and her children. She will willingly lay down her life for her husband and her children or her family. She is willing to provide for their needs and protect them from harm and evil. She is a praying woman. She is always praying for her husband and children and others too. She is generous with her money and her time and talents. She is willing to give out of the cheerfulness of her heart. She loves to serve in different ways and not just by being a mother or a wife. But she is willing to serve outside of that role as well. She is willing to serve in her church or community,

but motherhood and marriage are her first and number one ministries.

Chapter 3: What is an example of an ungodly woman according to the Bible?

An ungodly woman is not modest in her heart and appearance. An ungodly woman does not have a pure and repentant heart. An ungodly woman continues in willful sin and disobedience and does not confess her sins to God and repent. An ungodly woman sleeps around with men and does not wait until marriage for sex. She gives in to drunkenness and promiscuity. She does not have a sober mind. She does not stay home, but she goes out late to the bars and clubs to get drunk, high, and fornicate. She wants to use men for their bodies and to get them to have sex with her.

She does not wait on God for the right man that he has for her to be with in his right time. She settles for a counterfeit man. She is outside of God's will because of relationships or jobs. She is not following the will of God in her life. She may not even be following Jesus Christ. She is not living out her purpose and fulfilling

her calling. She wants to take authority over a man, and she does not submit to authority or to her husband.

She doesn't love her husband or her children. She is lazy and sleeps around all day doing nothing productive with her day and time. She wastes time, energy, and talents. She does not exercise her body or her spirit. She does not grow in her relationship with Christ. She is not obedient to serve him and his will for her life.

Chapter 4: How can you become the woman that God is calling you to be? How can you apply these traits and qualities to your life?

You can become the woman that God has called and created you to be by obeying Jesus Christ and his will, plan, and purpose for your life. You can be submissive to God and follow his commandments. You can also be submissive to your husband and your elders. You can obey God by hearing his voice and getting into the Bible and reading it. When you read God's word, you can know what his will is for your life and what he is calling you to do. That is when you can be obedient to him in the little things, and then the little things turn out to be the big things.

When you sit in his presence, you can write down what God is calling you to do. You can listen to his still, small voice speak to you and write down what he tells you. Write down your vision and goals on paper or on a notepad on your device. That way you can obey God by following his will for your life.