

The Virtuous Woman

*Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies.
*The heart of her husband doth safely trust in her, so that he shall have no need of spoil.
*She will do him good and not evil all the days of her life.
*She seeketh wool, and flax, and worketh willingly with her hands.
*She is like the merchants' ships; she bringeth her food from afar.
*She riseth also while it is yet night, and giveth meat to her household, and a portion to her maidens.
*She considereth a field, and buyeth it: with the fruit of her hands she planteth a vineyard.
*She girdeth her loins with strength, and strengtheneth her arms.
*She perceiveth that her merchandise is good: her candle goeth not out by night.
*She layeth her hands to the spindle, and her hands hold the distaff.
*She stretcheth out her hand to the poor; yea, she reacheth forth her hands to the needy.
*She is not afraid of the snow for her household: for all her household are clothed with scarlet.
*She maketh herself coverings of tapestry; her clothing is silk and purple.
*Her husband is known in the gates, when he sitteth among the elders of the land.
*She maketh fine linen, and selleth it; and delivereth girdles unto the merchant.
*Strength and honour are her clothing, and she shall rejoice in time to come.
*She openeth her mouth with wisdom; and in her tongue is the law of kindness.
*She looketh well to the ways of her household, and eateth not the bread of idleness.
*Her children arise up, and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth her.
*Many daughters have done virtuously, but thou excellest them all.
*Favour is deceitful, and beauty is vain: but a woman that feareth the LORD, she shall be praised.
*Give her of the fruit of her hands; and let her own works praise her in the gates."

Proverbs 31: 10-31 KJ/AV

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