

# SESSION 6

## Raising Strong Daughters | Years 15-19



Reference the Proverbs 31 worksheet at the end of this study.

### THE BIG PICTURE

#### Season of:

- \_\_\_\_\_ what's been sowed.
- \_\_\_\_\_ from the account of identity and training.
- \_\_\_\_\_. Scales are starting to move from authority to influence.

Create a culture in \_\_\_\_\_ with your wife where you two give each other \_\_\_\_\_

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### THE LIST

#### Pursuit

- Be in pursuit all the time. Most pursuit is \_\_\_\_\_.
- Learn from and \_\_\_\_\_ to her. (Know about her friends).

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#### Affection

- Figure out how she \_\_\_\_\_. (Five love languages are helpful).
- Tell her all the time, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

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**Dating**

- Think about \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ dating.

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**Sexuality**

- Make decisions about \_\_\_\_\_ before the \_\_\_\_\_.
- Do not teach that sex is \_\_\_\_\_.

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**Autonomy**

- There are \_\_\_\_\_ ways in which we need to \_\_\_\_\_ autonomy.

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**Predators**

- Most young women are not \_\_\_\_\_ for how intense male energy can be.

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**Technology**

- Most of the technology for young women is about \_\_\_\_\_.

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**Friends**

- \_\_\_\_\_ her for the fact that most of these friendships won't last.

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**Self-Awareness**

- She needs to know who she is by the time she leaves.
  - » She needs to know her strengths and weaknesses \_\_\_\_\_ .
- Teach her that she is not \_\_\_\_\_ .

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**GOSPEL VS. REGRET**

- The gospel \_\_\_\_\_ us to keep \_\_\_\_\_ !
- We are a \_\_\_\_\_ of what Jesus is doing in this world by the way we live with our children—by the way we lead our sons and daughters.

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## QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION

1. How do you and your wife complement each other in parenting? How have you leveraged that?

2. What have you found to be the most difficult issues for you and your wife to come to agreement on?

3. How have you changed in how you relate to your daughter(s) as they have gotten older?

4. What is something that was discussed in the teaching today that you have done well?

5. What are two areas discussed today that you need work on?

# A WIFE OF NOBLE CHARACTER

## Proverbs 31

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<sup>10</sup>Who can find a virtuous and capable wife? She is more precious than rubies.

<sup>11</sup>Her husband can trust her, and she will greatly enrich his life. <sup>12</sup>She brings him good, not harm, all the days of her life.

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<sup>13</sup>She finds wool and flax and busily spins it. <sup>14</sup>She is like a merchant's ship, bringing her food from afar. <sup>15</sup>She gets up before dawn to prepare breakfast for her household and plan the day's work for her servant girls. <sup>16</sup>She goes to inspect a field and buys it; with her earnings she plants a vineyard. <sup>17</sup>She is energetic and strong, a hard worker. <sup>18</sup>She makes sure her dealings are profitable; her lamp burns late into the night. <sup>19</sup>Her hands are busy spinning thread, her fingers twisting fiber.

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<sup>20</sup>She extends a helping hand to the poor and opens her arms to the needy.

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<sup>21</sup>She has no fear of winter for her household, for everyone has warm clothes.

<sup>22</sup>She makes her own bedspreads. She dresses in fine linen and purple gowns.

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<sup>23</sup>Her husband is well known at the city gates, where he sits with the other civic leaders.

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<sup>24</sup>She makes belted linen garments and sashes to sell to the merchants.

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<sup>25</sup>She is clothed with strength and dignity, and she laughs without fear of the future.

<sup>26</sup>When she speaks, her words are wise, and she gives instructions with kindness. <sup>27</sup>She carefully watches everything in her household and suffers nothing from laziness.

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<sup>28</sup>Her children stand and bless her. Her husband praises her: <sup>29</sup>"There are many virtuous and capable women in the world, but you surpass them all!" <sup>30</sup>Charm is deceptive, and beauty does not last; but a woman who fears the Lord will be greatly praised. <sup>31</sup>Reward her for all she has done. Let her deeds publicly declare her praise.

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