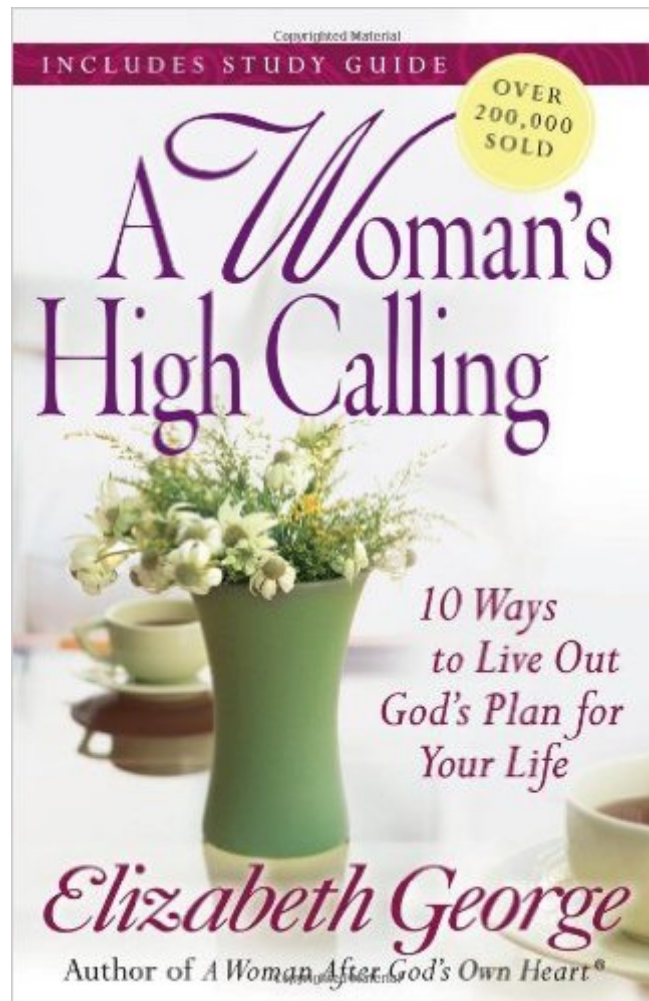


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A Woman's High Calling: 10 Ways To Live Out God's Plan For Your Life



Synopsis

Now updated with an exciting, practical study guide and a new cover • one of bestselling author Elizabeth George's popular titles, with over 200,000 copies sold. "Every woman would love to replace a life of survival with a life of meaningful accomplishment," says Elizabeth. In *A Woman's High Calling*, she helps readers to eliminate the clutter and chaos of everyday life and focus on the few things God considers truly essential. And they're spelled out in Titus 2:3-5, where God shines the spotlight on...wisdompuritywholesome speechpersonal disciplinelove of husbandgoodness of heartlove of childrenChristlike conductministry to other womenlove of homeThere's no higher calling for women than making God's priorities their own. Readers will be eager to simplify their lives, adopt God's essentials, and pass them on by mentoring other women. With the now-included study guide, they'll realize immediate results.

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Customer Reviews

This book is based on what Elizabeth George calls "10 essentials for Godly living" taken from the list of things the older women are to teach the younger women in Titus 2. She reminds us that Titus 2 tells us we are to be doing things - if we are older women, we are to be practicing these things and teaching them to younger women. If we are younger women, we are to be learning and practicing these things. She points out that we will always be in both categories. There will always be older women to learn from, and there will always be younger women we can help and teach. Two chapters are devoted to each "essential." The first is about the what and why, and also the who and

where. What is this goodness, for example, that we are called to? Why are we called to this? To whom should we show goodness? The second chapter is the application of the first - the how. Mrs. George is full of suggestions and lists and Scripture verses to help implement each "essential." The book is really an older woman's effort to teach younger women the things listed in Titus 2, which is exactly what is commanded in the passage!

I could not have been less impressed with this book. There was nothing new or fresh in this book but what I have heard hundreds of times before. She repeats herself over and over again, sometimes using different words to express the same idea, sometimes using the same words again and again. She takes verses out of context repeatedly, overuses and misuses adjectives, and most of the book is fluffy filler language. I didn't like how she referred to Proverbs 11:22 as a "joke". If it's a joke, I don't get it, because it's something I've always taken seriously and not considered to be funny. I was not impressed with the way that she explained the key words out of Titus 2. For example, the Bible says we are to be "discreet", the Greek word "sophron". One of the many definitions for this Greek word was "wise" - so her entire two chapters were based on the word "wise" and had little to do with the original Greek word. Furthermore, she expounds on this word by describing how we should be balanced, set priorities, and make a plan and to do list for our days and weeks. What?! This has nothing to do with being discreet and little to do with what I've always known biblical wisdom to be about. She also made the word "pure" exclusively about sexual purity. Then she blames Jacob's daughter Dinah for being raped, because she left home and went sightseeing, therefore we should always stay at home. I'm sorry but I just have a problem with that and don't think her explanations are biblical at all. Her bullet points in each chapter often seem random and not based on any biblical passages, but are merely her own ideas (such as that we should make to do lists!). To make matters worse, her old fashioned way of talking and overuse of the phrase "dear reader" just got on my nerves after awhile. Unless you are 65 years old and new to the faith, I can't imagine you finding this book useful or enjoyable.

I have an older girlfriend who invested an incredible three years of her life mentoring me. She was a firm believer in passing the legacy of faith onto the next generation of women. In her book "A Woman's High Calling" Elizabeth George covers the topic of mentoring women. The book is beautifully written in Elizabeth's one on one style of conversation. She guides the reader through the "10 Essentials for Godly Living." There is a study guide which you can purchase separately to use for individual or group study. This is an excellent resource for those women who feel led to mentor

the next generation of women.

This is a book by Elizabeth George that every woman should obtain a copy and spend much time in reading it from cover to cover. It speaks so much about issues that are directly related to areas of our lives that God has called us to move away from in order to utilize our full potential of raising the bar on important values necessary to attain our God-made high calling. If women can attain this, the Spirit of God and His favor would move deep down and out so that Christ's eternal light would ever radiate from within and without of our presence into the presence and lives of others. After all, why should we be partakers of destroying lives with our maladaptive behaviors instead of taking on the full garb of Christ and his character so that we can become true life-givers to others who are falling apart, are lost and can't find their way, or who have no hope? This book redirects us to the things we need to identify and change in our lives so that we can become better women of a high-calling God. This book is highly recommended to our women at our church. Thank you, Elizabeth, for putting it all together for us :-)

We're using this study for a new women's bible study at our church. Elizabeth George has such practical wisdom from God's word for women! Her use of personal insight and unique experiences enhances the study in God's word and helps to make every lesson clear. Highly suggest this for any woman, any age seeking to pursue God's calling in being the person He created her to be.

Excellent book. Wonderful phrase-by-phrase study of Titus 2:3-5. Highly recommend for Christian women of any age who desire to be the Proverbs 31 example. Elisabeth George is wise writer with a timeless style. Purchased this for my Kindle so I could reference for future studies.

This book is an eye opener for the woman seeking to put Christ first in her life. Elizabeth George definitely makes you delve into your innermost thoughts and struggles and feelings to get to the heart of the matter. This is a great book to use for a women's Bible study.

This book is great! Its is exactly what I was looking for. For all of those who believe being a wife and mother should come with a spiritual training manual, this book is for you![...]Ideas and inspiration from my home to yours!

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