

# **Building- How?**

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## I. Introduction.

- A. Text: Psalm 127.
- B. God is a builder and the husband and wife are laborers according to God's plan.
- C. The home should be built in a certain way.
- D. Text: 1 Peter 2.
- E. The home is the place by which we send out.
- F. God wants to build up your home for his praises.

## II. Abstention from fleshly lusts.

## III. Submitting yourselves to authorities for the Lord's sake.

## IV. Honor all men.

## V. Respect the roles of husband and wife.

- A. Wisdom is the application of knowledge. (Proverbs 14:1)
- B. Husbands are to dwell with their wives according to wisdom.
- C. Wives are to submit to their husbands.
- D. The home is built up by allowing God to change you.
- E. The hallmark of being filled with the Spirit is submission and control. (Ephesians 5)
- F. The fullness of the Spirit is demonstrated by a husband loving his wife. Any woman would be glad to submit to this.
- G. The wise man and woman take these truths and apply them.

**Application questions:**

1. Why is it important to build a home according to God's plan?

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2. What are the major marks of a home that lives according to God's plan?

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3. How would you explain the different roles of the husband and wife to a culture that is becoming increasingly hostile to those ideas? Explain.

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