

## LISTENER GUIDE

### A True Woman Learns to Trust

by Karen Lorritts (True Woman '10)

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A wise woman—a true biblical woman—who wants deliverance:

- Trusts in the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.
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#### 1. A Wise Woman Trusts in the Peace of Christ

And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him (Col. 3:15–17).

- She has the peace of Christ.
- She knows that God's Word is \_\_\_\_\_.
- She cultivates \_\_\_\_\_.

#### 2. A Wise Woman Trusts in the Power of the Holy Spirit

- She is \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ by the Holy Spirit (Eph. 5:18).
- She is \_\_\_\_\_—expressing the fruit of the spirit in her life (Gal. 5:22–23).

#### 3. A Wise Woman Trusts in the Presence of God

*Trust in the LORD, AND DO GOOD; DWELL IN THE LAND AND BEFRIEND FAITHFULNESS. Delight yourself in the LORD, AND HE WILL GIVE YOU THE DESIRES OF YOUR HEART. Commit your way to the LORD; TRUST IN HIM, AND HE WILL ACT (Ps. 37:3–5).*

In a crisis, a true woman should:

- Cultivate \_\_\_\_\_.
- Don't \_\_\_\_.
- Stay the \_\_\_\_\_.
- Fight the \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ in Him.
- Commit \_\_\_\_\_ to God.

*Praise to God! You are a great God. Your character is holy. Your truth is absolute. Your strength is unending. Your discipline is fair. You are a great God. The mountain of Your knowledge has no peak, the ocean of Your love has no shore, the fabric of Your fidelity has no tear, the rock of Your Word has no crack. You are a great God. Your patience surprises us. Your beauty stuns us. Your love stirs us. You are a great God. Your provisions are abundant for our needs. Your light is adequate for our path. Your grace is efficient for our sins. You are a great God. We even declare with reluctant words, "Your plan is perfect." You are never early, never late, never tardy, never quick. You sent Your Son in the fullness of time and will return at the consummation of time. Your plan is perfect . . . bewildering, puzzling, troubling, but it's perfect. —Max Lucado*

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