

Mother's Day 2015
Practicality and Sensibility

Women can overcome many _____ and _____ situations
as they learn to trust in God

Much _____ awaits a godly woman who marries an
Unbeliever

(I Samuel 25)

Abigail was a _____, honest, _____, godly woman
(v.3)

Her name means "my father's joy"

She is married to a _____ (Nabal) (v.3b-13)

He is an evil, _____, rude, _____, stubborn, ill-
tempered, _____

She has integrity and poise (v.14-19)

The servants come to her instead of Nabal

She saw the problem for what it was and moved immediately
toward a _____

She intercedes for the _____ of her husband and the
_____ of her family (v.20-31)

She has the meek, quiet spirit of a peacemaker

She looked beyond her _____ circumstances and
allowed God to direct her

David honors her "good sense" and for helping to avert him from personal
vengeance (v.32-35)

He bids her _____ and _____

She did not seek to divorce or leave her godless husband (v.36)

She remained a _____ wife and protector of a worth-
less partner

She is soon left without husband or means of support (v.37-38)

David again honors this practical, _____, and sensible woman
(v.39-43)

He proposes to marry her

Later, they have a child together (2 Samuel 3:3)

Abigail's marriage to the "fool" was not of her choosing

Today's women choose their partners