

The Important

Role of Women in the Bible



Anna Prophetess of God

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- Luke 2:36-38 NASB

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8 On the next day we left and came to Caesarea, and entering the house of Philip the evangelist, who was one of the seven, we stayed with him. 9 Now this man had four virgin daughters who were prophetesses.

- Acts 21:8-9 NASB

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3 Older women likewise are to be reverent in their behavior, not malicious gossips nor enslaved to much wine, teaching what is good, 4 so that they may encourage the young women to love their husbands, to love their children, 5 to be sensible, pure, workers at home, kind, being subject to their own husbands, so that the word of God will not be dishonored.

- Titus 2:3-5 NASB

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- Luke 2:37 NASB

ANNA - PROPHETESS OF GOD: She Never Left the Temple

I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord."

- Psalm 122:1 NASB

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31 Do not worry then, saying, 'What will we eat?' or 'What will we drink?' or 'What will we wear for clothing?' 32 For the Gentiles eagerly seek all these things; for your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. 33 But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.

- Matthew 6:31-33 NASB

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- Luke 2:37 NASB

17 pray without ceasing, 18 give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

- 1 Thessalonians 5:17-18 NASB

18 With all prayer and petition pray at all times in the Spirit, and with this in view, be on the alert with all perseverance and petition for all the saints, 19 and pray on my behalf, that utterance may be given to me in the opening of my mouth, to make known with boldness the mystery of the gospel, 20 for which I am an ambassador in chains; that in proclaiming it I may speak boldly, as I ought to speak.

- Ephesians 6:18-20 NASB

38 At that very moment she came up and began giving thanks to God, and continued to speak of Him to all those who were looking for the redemption of Jerusalem.

- Luke 2:38 NASB

For if I preach the gospel, I have nothing to boast of, for I am under compulsion; for woe is me if I do not preach the gospel.

- 1 Corinthians 9:16 NASB



Blessed is a man who perseveres under trial; for once he has been approved, he will receive the crown of life which the Lord has promised to those who love Him.

- James 1:12