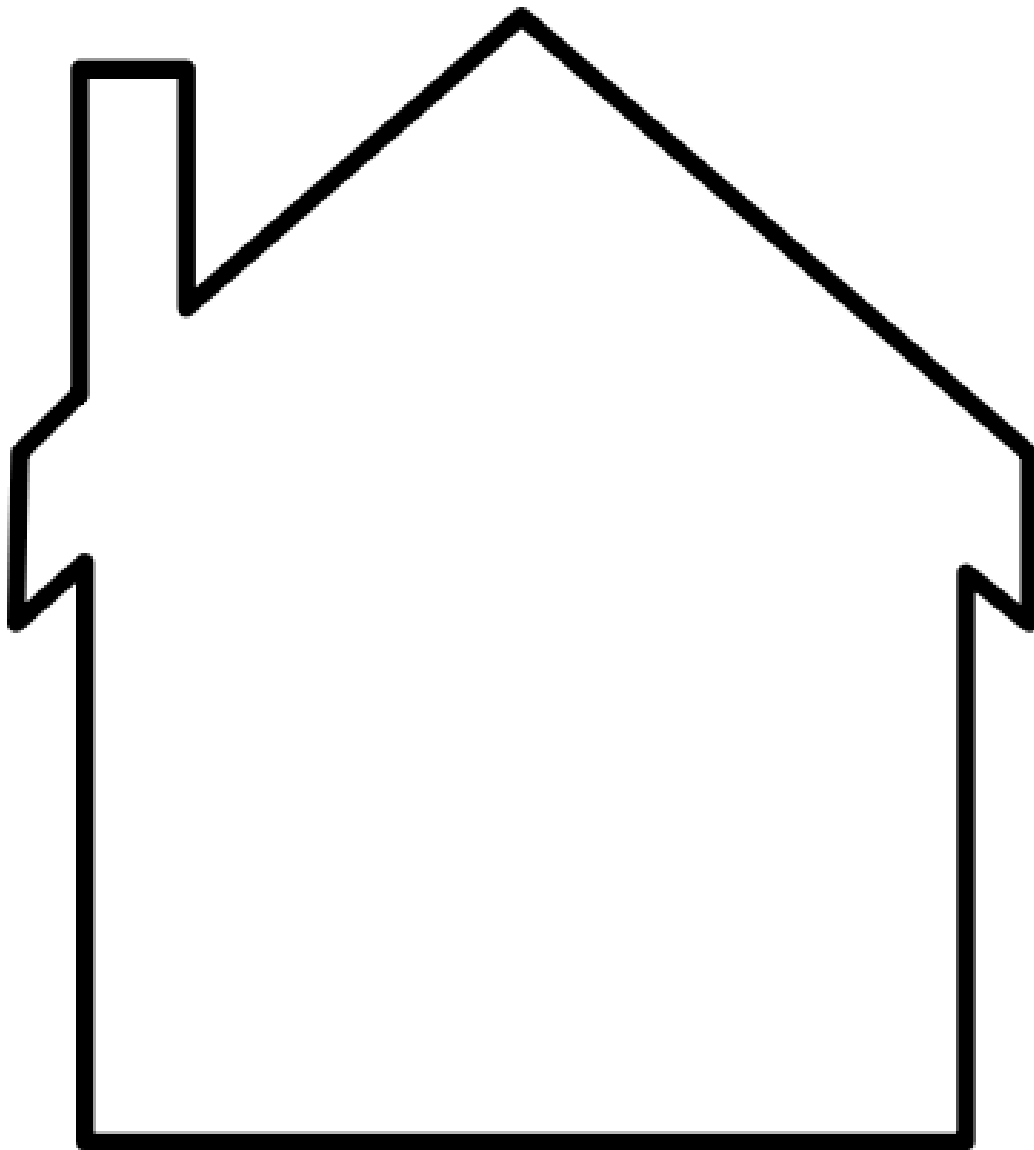




Take 5

What are some words or phrases that you would use to describe your family? Write these down, and then circle the ones that are the strongest indicators of your life as a family.





Take 5

Look up Acts 2:42-47 in your Bible. If you don't have a Bible, the passage is printed below. Read the passage aloud. What words would you use to describe these early Christian households based on what you heard in the reading? Write those words down.

Now, take a minute to compare the list you made on the front page with this list. Do you see similarities? How can your household be like these early Christian households?

#### Acts 2:42-47

The believers studied what the apostles taught. They shared their lives together. They ate and prayed together.

Everyone was amazed at what God was doing. They were amazed when the apostles performed many wonders and signs. All the believers were together. They shared everything they had.

They sold property and other things they owned. They gave to anyone who needed something.

Every day they met together in the temple courtyard. They ate meals together in their homes. Their hearts were glad and sincere. They praised God. They were respected by all the people. Every day the Lord added to their group those who were being saved.