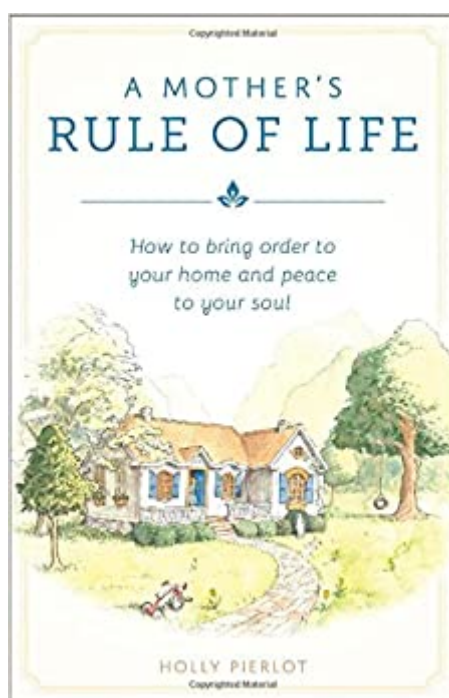


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# A Mother's Rule Of Life: How To Bring Order To Your Home And Peace To Your Soul



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This book changed my life! I thought it was going to be how to get into a good routine when you have kids and find time for prayer--and it did, but it's so much more! It helps you prioritize what is really important and organize your life accordingly. It helped me find time to pray frequently, to take care of myself, to be truly attentive to my family, and to find joy and peace in living my vocation and sanctifying my family's life. I didn't think it was possible to live with this kind of peace. I cannot recommend this book enough.

I have always been an organized person, but have been struggling with "getting it all done." This book helped me put things into perspective and put top priorities first. This is the perfect book for Catholic moms to get their days organized and still have time left for enjoyable activities. It has

already helped me greatly and I just started implementing the ideas!

I found this book to be very realistic, very personal. She has given me, if nothing else, a foundation for how to view my vocation as wife and mother, and most of all, child of God. "Deliberate, Catholic living" is another way to describe what she explains in this book. I highly recommend it, whether you are considering marriage, are newly wed, or have been married for some time.

I related so well to this book. I am a Catholic stay at home mom of 2 under 2, and I have often felt very alone and confused about my vocation. This book has taught me so much and has given me much reassurance.

this book is exactly what I needed, exactly when I needed it. I'm looking forward to implementing my own mother's rule to bring order and peace to my life and home. Holly's writing style is wonderful. she includes her own personal experience to make everything easy to relate to real life. full of practical advice and useful information, this book is sure to be a hit with every Catholic mom! I have a feeling this book is going to change my life for the better.

I would recommend this book to every mom I know. It's inspiring as well as practical and motivating. She doesn't just give you ideas and goals she walks you through creating your own rule.

I wish I would have read this sooner!! As a stay at home mom this is inspiring and I am implementing her ways into my own life. I will be buying this for friends and family!

I gained some insights from this book. I can actually say it changed my life for the better. Since I read this book I have begun praying during sunrise and sunset. I was inspired by the concept of a Rule of Life.

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