ORGANIZATION is about STUFF and TIME.

5 Key Questions:
1) What is working (and why?)
2) What’s NOT working?
3) What items are most essential to you?
4) Why do you want to get organized?
5) What’s causing problems?
   Technical errors (can be fixed)
   External realities (need compensation)
   Psychological obstacles

De-clutter (including paperwork! I hear the groans already....)

Homeschool storage

Learning centers

Routines and lists to help your household run on "autopilot"

Cooking

Laundry
Pray about what God wants you to work on for your family. Ask your husband for guidance – what’s important to him?

Our goal is to ________________________________________.

This is a spiritual work because the end result is to bring __________________ to our homes and to _____________________________________________.

Find a balance - Look for ways to bring order to your home, but don’t allow organization to _____________________________________________________.

A FEW ORGANIZATION RESOURCES

- David Allen, Getting Things Done
- Don Aslett, Is There Life After Housework?
- Emilie Barnes, Survival for Busy Women
- Creative Home Organizer
- 15-Minute Home and Family Organizer
- More Hours in My Day
- Carol Barnier, If I’m Diapering a Watermelon, Then Where’d I Leave the Baby?
- Vicki Bentley, My Homeschool Planner
- The Everyday Family Chore System
- Everyday Cooking
- Maria Cilley, Sink Reflections
- A Life That Says Welcome
- Sandra Felton, Messies Manual / Messies 2 / Messie No More
- Donna Goldberg, The Organized Student
- Maria Gracia, Finally Organized, Finally Free
- Barbara Hemphill, Taming the Paper Tiger
- Judith Kolberg, Conquering Chronic Disorganization
- Kolberg & Nadeau, ADD-Friendly Ways to Organize Your Life
- Georgene Lockwood, Idiot’s Guide to Organizing Your Life
- Gordon MacDonald, Ordering Your Private World
- Bonnie McCullough, Bonnie’s Household Organizer
- Julie Morgenstern, 401 Ways to Get Your Kids to Work at Home
- Julie & Jessi Morgenstern, Time Management from the Inside Out
- Anne Ortlund, Disciplines of the Beautiful Woman
- Rachel Ramey, Maidservant – Home Management Notebook
- The Homemaker’s Helper – planner sheets
- Marcia Ramsland, Simplify Your Life
- Marilyn Rockett, Homeschooling at the Speed of Life
- Denise Schofield, Confessions of a Happily Organized Housewife
- Confessions of a Happily Organized Family
- Escape from the Kitchen
- Donna Smallin, Organizing Plain & Simple
- Marnie Swedberg, Marnie’s Kitchen Shortcuts
- Richard Swenson, Margin
- Mary Jo Tate, Flourish: Balance for Homeschool Moms
- Jackie Wellwood, Busy Mom’s Guide to Simple Living
- Glynnis Whitwer, I Used to Be So Organized

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