

The Worth of a "Sole"

Value Presentation—Young Women in Excellence

Introduction of Theme:

We are young women of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Every step we take we are taking upon ourselves the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ. Wherever we go and with whomever we walk, we are an image or a reflection of Him. It in His image, and not the image of the world, that we pattern our lives. We choose to walk in His footsteps.

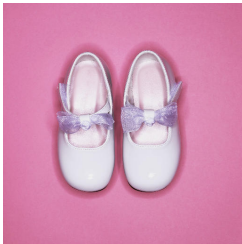
D&C 18:10: "For the worth of souls is great in the sight of God."

As daughters of God, we stand before you to testify that God lives. That he loves each and every soul. That he magnifies our differences with divine talents & gifts. We testify that as we stand for truth and righteousness, we do not stand alone; we stand with God.



1st Faith:

As daughters of our Father in Heaven we have faith that He lives. We know Him. We know that he hears and answers our prayers if we will go to Him. As his followers; his disciples, we are under covenant to bring others to know Him as well. It is our faith that will give us the courage to open our mouths and "converse" with our friends and family about the gospel of Jesus Christ.



are divine.

2nd Divine Nature: Since we were little girls we have been taught by our parents and teachers about who we are and what we stand for. We do not get "tied" up in unimportant things of the world that have no lasting value, because we know who we are and where we are going. We are tidy and modest in our dress and in our manner because we know we



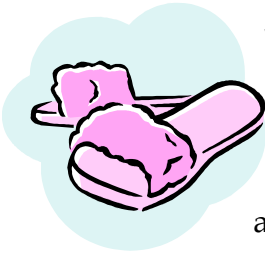
3rd Individual Worth: As young women we each have individual divine gifts and talents that help us to strengthen each other. We know that our worth does not "flip flop" with the attitudes and opinions others have about us. We look to God to see our true potential.



4th Knowledge:

Young women love to learn new things. We get a “kick” out of our personal progress program as we learn how to become women, wives, and mothers of virtue. We work together as a team. We learn from each other, we laugh with each other, and we set high standards for each other. We believe that we are on the

Lord’s team and that he will strengthen our efforts to improve.



5th Choice & Accountability: As members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints we must never let our standards “slip” We believe that we must make choices and be accountable for the consequences of our choices. You will not find us “loafing” around. We keep journals, set goals and track our progress.



6th Good Works:

Being a Young Woman in the Church is “uplifting.” We are filled with a desire to do good and to help and encourage others. We believe in giving service and being a positive source for good in the world and in our homes. Our attitude reflects our commitment to the Lord.



7th Integrity:

Our final value is Integrity. Tonight we commit to “keeping on our toes” with our personal progress. For we want to be women who not only speak what we believe, but live our lives true to Christ’s teachings.

We testify as the Young Women of the _____ Ward that we believe in Christ. We stand with our Prophet, President Gordon B. Hinckley. We uphold the standards in the Strength of Youth Pamphlet. We love our families. We try to do our best and be our best. We forgive and believe we can be forgiven when we err. We want to walk in the footsteps of the Savior. For it was He who said, “Come, and Follow Me.”

Faith



Divine Nature



Individual Worth



Knowledge



Choice & Accountability



Good Works



Integrity

