

Apples of Gold

The **primary purpose** of Apples of Gold is for older women to nurture younger women in the Word of God, and to encourage them to obey that Word.

Proverbs 25:11 says, “**A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in a setting of silver.**” Words appropriately spoken and advice aptly given can encourage, help, instruct.

In Titus 2, older women are admonished not only to live a godly life, but to teach and train younger women. These two passages form the basis for the program. The seven weekly sessions seek to encourage the hearts of women - helping them draw closer to Christ in their relationships with family and friends, and to serve others with a joyful spirit.

The **secondary purpose** of Apples of Gold is the practical application of these principles and includes:

- Cooking skills
- Relational skills
- Homemaking skills
- Sharing hospitality with others

Mature women mentoring younger women!

The six lesson topics are:

- **Kindness**
- **Loving your Husband**
- **Loving your Children**
- **Submission**
- **Purity**
- **Hospitality**

Seven week class begins:

January 18, 2007
(Thursday evenings)

6:15 P.M. – 8:45 P.M.

*** Class size is limited to 12
No childcare provided

To Register:

Mail **check**
(made payable to Brookside CRC Apples of Gold)
and completed **registration form** to:

Janet Krosschell
1823 Plymouth Terrace SE
Grand Rapids, MI 49506

(or place in Janet's church mailbox)

** Prior to the first class you will receive an introductory letter and further information.

Interested to learn more about the Apples of Gold program, visit the website:
www.applesofgold.org

For more information please contact:

Janet Krosschell 452-6204
or
Jo Meyer 285-6069

Apples of Gold Participant Covenant

1. I will be a faithful participant in the Apples of Gold classes, not missing more than one lesson.
2. I will pray for the ministry of Apples of Gold, including each mentor and each woman in my class.
3. I will prepare each lesson in advance, asking the Lord to give me wisdom and insight, and a heart open to obey what He shows me in the lesson and class.
4. I desire to serve the Lord and my family through the lessons learned at Apples of Gold.

Signature _____

Date _____



Apples of Gold
Listening, Loving, Learning, Living

Brookside Christian Reformed Church
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Grand Rapids, MI 49508

Each of the seven mentoring
classes include:

- demonstrations and tips on cooking
- lessons and interactive time on topics related to marriage and family living
- a delicious, nutritious, conversation-filled meal.

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Proverbs 25:11

Each Session will include:

- Greeting time
- Cooking Demonstrations
- Bible Study
- Meal and “Table Talk”
- Goodbyes

After the seven weekly sessions the program concludes with a special evening with spouses.

Cost: \$ 30

(includes book and recipe notebook)

How to join:

Participants Covenant

- Faithful attendance, missing no more than one lesson
- Pray for each mentor and class member
- Prepare each lesson before class, having an open heart to obey and apply each lesson
- Desire to serve the Lord and family through the lessons learned

If you are interested in attending the class, please complete ***both sides*** of the ***attached registration form***. **Note: You cannot register on line.**

Apples of Gold Registration Session beginning January 18, 2007 (Thursdays 6:15 PM - 8:45 PM)

Name _____ Email _____

Address _____ City _____ MI Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work (if applies) _____ Cell (if applies) _____

Food allergies (if any) _____

What foods would you especially like to know how to prepare? _____

_____ I have included a check for \$30 (made payable to Brookside CRC Apples of Gold)

_____ I have signed the Participants Covenant on the back side of this form

Place completed form in Janet Krosschell's church mailbox or mail to her (1823 Plymouth Terrace SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49506)