CREATION Health®

DEVOTIONAL FOR WOMEN

With contributions from Jean Thomason, Lisa Harper, Stephanie Lind, and many others. Heart Touching Stories For Living Life To The Fullest

Make God Your Cornerstone in the fast pace of life

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Let's face it. Life is busy. Every day brings new demands, whether you are a single woman, mom, wife, working professional, grandmother, or some combination of the above. It's often hard to find time to bring a little encouragement into your day. If that description sounds familiar, the *CREATION Health Devotional for Women* was written with you in mind! Featuring 56 devotionals from 45 authors, this beautifully written and illustrated devotional is the perfect gift for helping you find balance, peace, and joy in a swiftly moving world.

In the *CREATION Health Devotional for Women* you'll find writers who struggle with the same difficulties and disappointments you do. In these pages they offer their best insights, inspiration, encouragement, perspectives, and Biblical guidance for every stage of life.

The *CREATION Health Devotional for Women* is the perfect way to start or end your day. Why not find a quiet moment before your day begins, or take time to slow down as your day draws to a close, and focus on stories and messages that illuminate the power of health, healing, and hope.

In John 10:10 Jesus said, "I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly." As you dive into the *CREATION Health Devotional for Women* you'll quickly see these writers are committed to living life to the fullest just as Jesus promised. So share the journey and ask yourself, "What would it take for me to live life to the fullest?"

IN THIS DEVOTIONAL YOU WILL:

- Understand how to make trust in God the cornerstone of your spiritual walk no matter what uncertainty lies ahead.
- Witness how God can use the smallest things to give you the message of hope you need today.
- Find out how comforting God's voice can be once we take the time to slow down, and listen.
- Come to recognize that God is present, even in the mundane things we might consider insignificant and ordinary.
- Discover the power of CREATION Health to change the way you think about being whole in mind, body, and spirit.
- Learn how to find the light of hope even in dark places.

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"I have found 'mothering' to be the place where I learn the most about God's 'Fathering."

- Jean Thomason



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"Is this how my heavenly Father feels when he sees me fully experiencing life? Does he put his arms around my shoulder and say, "Yes! That's it! Go ahead, have fun. Take it all in! I made this for you; do you like it?"

- Terri Cruze

