



## **STAYING IN YOUR HOME — Things to Consider**

Most people want to stay in their home and continue to enjoy the familiarity it provides. You may be at a pivot point where you're considering "What's next?" This is a wonderful moment to look at your current situation with fresh eyes, and listen for what Mind, Love reveals. This resource is a simple checklist to help you consider whether to stay in your present home.

You may also wish to look at the Help at Home topic, which provides ways to find professionals to help you.

- □ What's the condition of your home?
- □ Will your home need to be <u>repaired or modified</u> for upkeep, safety, care, or comfort?
- Do you have the appropriate finances to maintain your home?
- □ Are you prepared to take care of your home regularly both inside and outside?
- □ Are your personal care needs being properly met in your current home environment? Would an assessment by a <u>Christian Science nurse</u> be helpful?
- Do you have convenient and affordable transportation (public, private, volunteer, or friends)?
- □ Can you easily get to Sunday and Wednesday church services?
- Do you have friends and/or family close by?
- Are you able to get the amount of social interaction you need when living in your own home?
- Are you able to get groceries and prepare meals that have both balance and variety?
- Does your home environment support your study and practice of Christian Science?
- □ Does your home truly work for you?