

A MANIFESTO FROM THE JOYFUL LIFE

# *For Such a Time as This*

**WE CHOOSE** to acknowledge the very real and present heartache of these unprecedented times of uncertainty while trusting in the sufficiency and sovereignty of our mighty and loving God.

**WE CHOOSE** to sit alongside our readers in this current tension of acknowledging our great and desperate need, and knowing that through Christ, we have the great and abundant grace enough to meet that need.

**WE CHOOSE** to entrust our business and personal difficulties to Jesus, do all we can to remain faithful to the everyday ministry to which He has called us, and stand firm in hopeful expectation that He will do and allow only what is best—being pliable in His hands, for His purposes.

**WE CHOOSE** to hold fast to our values of **Truth, Beauty, Love, Authenticity,** and **Excellence**, for the sake of our readers' spiritual well-being.

**WE CHOOSE** to triumph **heart** and **home** and look to Christ amid our suffering—even when our ministry doesn't look the same as what we're used to, nor feel as comfortable and familiar as we'd like.

**WE CHOOSE** to persevere in our vision **to be the treasured source of heart and home inspiration for women, leading them in a joy-filled movement toward a life wholeheartedly established in Christ**, even when our present days are filled with much that could easily rob us of that joy.

**WE CHOOSE** to endure in our mission **to inspire women to pursue joy and discover beauty in their daily lives by grounding their hearts in Christ, leading them to live and love well—for the purpose of glorifying God**, for as long as He provides opportunities for us to do so.