

# Uplifting, Inspiring, and Useful



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Dear Epoch VIP,

I'm so happy you're receiving The Epoch Times in your home. I'm Barbara Danza, a contributing editor. You may have seen my articles in the Life & Tradition section or perhaps your children have discovered the page I edit: For Kids Only.

This is pretty much a dream job for me. Between interviewing knowledgeable and inspiring experts and influencers, diving into research about subjects I'm passionate about, or joyfully putting together a special page for our younger readers to enjoy, I feel so fortunate to play a small part in what The Epoch Times is bringing to the world. That I get to do this while taking care of my own family at home and homeschooling my children is truly a blessing.

Most of my work focuses on family life. Though it seems traditional family values have been under attack for some time in our culture, **I see more families searching for ways to simplify their lives, preserve the magic of childhood, pass on family traditions, provide their children a solid education and ground their family life in the values they hold most dear.**

Families face many issues today—from inadequacies in our educational systems to an increasing array of alternatives, from the frantic overscheduling of our lives to a trend toward simplicity, from the onslaught of disturbing media messages to more focus on what's good and true.

Family life has a tremendous impact on individuals and society as a whole. There are endless topics to explore. Should you have one you'd like me to cover, or if you have feedback you'd like to offer about my work, please send it on. I'd love to hear from you.

My first article in The Epoch Times was published back in its early days in 2005. It has been astonishing to watch our media company grow and see what a deep need it fulfills for our ever expanding audience. I feel lucky to be part of an enterprise that is giving so many people, as they often put it, what they've been searching for.

I hope you enjoy this week's edition of the paper, and that in addition to being well-informed about current events, you find ideas that are uplifting, inspiring, and useful in your own life.

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