

Dividing the Work

The Wednesday at Ben and Emily's kitchen table ended with one question hanging in the room, and nobody answered it. This page is that question, answered in writing, by each person for themselves.

Two columns do the real work here. NOBODY YET is where every job goes that no one claimed. TOTAL is what the family has actually committed, added up. Fill both in before anyone leaves the table.

Commitment	Person 1	Person 2	Person 3	NOBODY YET	TOTAL
Name					
Hours each week					
Money toward paid help, monthly					
Jobs I am taking					
Jobs I cannot take					
What this costs me					
When I need to revisit this					

Hours the week actually needs:

If the total is smaller than that number, the difference is not going away. Somebody is absorbing it, or it is not getting done.