Shabbat: Candles: One Person per Home Lights

Shabbat candles should be lit only by one person per home. Priority order: wife; then husband; then children. Girls should not be encouraged to light *Shabbat* candles except when no parent can.

NOTE Single people should light *Shabbat* candles in their homes if they will eat there.

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