

### **There is no place like home!**

There is indeed no place like home. There may be some squabbles and quarrels within the four walls of the house, and the paint may be chipping from the walls but yet it is the only place on the planet that can soothe and comfort us when we feel lonely and dejected. Thus, “home is where the heart is”, subtly projects this inexplicable attachment we all feel for our homes.

There is a reason why the word home cannot be substituted with house, though they are very well synonyms. A house is but an abstract entity that may have furniture and the four walls that form an individual's abode. But, a home is where we are in the soothing company of our loved ones, and thus no matter how plush the environs we are in; ultimately we wish to get back home. We may have travelled to exotic locations, lived in breathtaking resorts with the most extravagant furniture and opulent setting, yet beyond a point we all wish to be home. Our homes need not necessarily be luxurious, yet for its members there is seldom a place that can be compared to it. A home is undeniably a meditating castle, where we are free to be ourselves and indulge in childishness. It is where our actions need not be governed by our higher senses and we are at peace with ourselves. Perhaps the sentimental value of a ‘home’ can be directly connected to the emotional experiences attached to them. It is where a mother watches a child take his first steps, where a man assumes his responsibilities related to fatherhood, the house that has witnessed celebration and fight, despite everything given the strength to savour, cherish and delight in its humble abode.

There are unlimited words to describe ‘home’. No one can live without a home because the topic line itself says, “home is where the heart is” which means the way people cannot live without a heart is same like no one can live without a home. It's a wonder of our life. No one can create a glorious place or anything more beautiful in this whole world ever. After all, there is no place like our home sweet home.

Thus a traveler rightly said, “Dry bread at home is better than roast meat abroad”. After all, home is where the heart is.

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