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Although my husband would be able to support my family on his income alone, I would still get a job outside of my home. That way, if my husband got into an accident of some sort, I ~~would be able to~~ support the family. If both my husband and I worked, there would be enough money left over for emergencies and accidents that happen. If my husband was to be unemployed, I would ~~be able to~~ support my family on my income until he finds a new job.

Being a full-time homemaker while my husband works would be nice, but both of us working would ensure that there will be extra money set aside just in case if my family needs it. Staying at home all the time wouldn't be something I would enjoy after a while. After a certain period of time, I would feel the need to work since that's what I've been preparing myself for since high school. It would seem as if I wasted all my time in school, preparing myself for my future job, and in the end, not work at all.

I plan on working even if my husband could support the family. I've chosen my career path and know that I will enjoy going to work every day because I enjoy my job. There will be the issue of daycare or finding someone to babysit my children when both my husband and I are working. Staying at home would ensure that there is someone to take care of the children, but I'm not the type of person that enjoys staying home taking care of the children every day. Staying at home for a long period of time would be an issue since I wouldn't be able to stand not working. It would be nice to get out of the house and work on something with my own two hands.

I also find it unfair for me to stay at home while my husband works and not help support my family. Putting all the responsibility of working on my husband seems a little much to me. I would rather help him by getting a job myself and being able to pitch in on monthly bills. Sharing the responsibility, to me, is a lot better than letting your partner do something alone. I rather work hard and help earn some money, than not work at all.

Nicely explained!