God Bless This House

Lord, we lift up this house and all the people who live in it. We ask You to pour out Your richest blessings upon this place and make it:

H - Happy & Humble
We pray You would satisfy the inhabitants of this house with Your unfailing love and unending joy. Keep them close as they draw near to You in humility. Fill the rooms of this home with every good & perfect gift. (Psalm 90:14; James 4:8, 1:7; Prov. 24:4)

O - Open to Others
May guests in this house feel warm and welcome. Bless the family members as they extend hospitality, serving others in love. Help them do the necessary work cheerfully & unto the Lord, as if entertaining angels. (1 Peter 4:9-10; Col. 3:23; Heb. 13:2)

U - Understanding & Uplifting
Crown all who live in this home with wisdom & an uncommon depth of understanding. May the speech heard between these walls lift all eyes to You. May Your name be honored & glorified in every thought, word, & deed. (Job 28:28; James 1:5; Prov. 9:10; 1 Cor. 10:31)

S - Safe & Secure
Lord, we know that unless You guard this house, the guards stand watch in vain. So we pray You would fortify its inhabitants against every threat, both from within and without. Build a hedge of protection around them & keep them in Your loving care. (Psalm 127:1, 64:1-5)

E - Encouraging to Everyone
Make this home a refuge of peace. May everybody who spends time here come away feeling refreshed and built up. May their hearts be equipped and encouraged. Renew their strength so that, both collectively & individually, they may run with endurance the race you’ve set before them. (Isaiah 32:18, 40:31; 1 Thess. 5:11; Hebrews 12:1)