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P22
(2)
<sub>ちゅう</sub>
(注1)
有用性 = usefulness, utility, state of being beneficial
役に立つ こと = to be useful, being useful
(注2)
りべんせい
利便性 = convenience
であり
便利さ = convenience
(注3)
終の 住処 = the last house (dwelling, residence, den, habitat)
んせい なん まっぱ しゅう いえ 人生を 終える まで 住む 家 = the house where you live until you end your life
終えます g2 = finish, terminate, end, complete
The sentence is written in the plain-style.
住居 = finish, terminate, end, complete /
を <direct-object particle> /
買おうとする = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 買おうとします = be about to buy
volitionally
*買おう = volitional-form of 買います
*[volitional-form] \geq \cup \pm \sigma = \text{be about to do} \sim \text{volitionally} / \sigma
ときは、= when (X) do / did, etc ~
その 資産的な 価値 = its value of one's property (assets), its property (asset) value /
に <recipient particle> /
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重点を 置いて = 重点を 置く。そして、= put a special emphasis on \sim , put the accent on \sim ,

emphasize \sim /

考える = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 考えます g2 = consider, think over / 人 = a person /

→ the person who puts a special emphasis on that property value and consider

が <subject particle> /

多い。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 多いです。= (X) is many. //

When they are going to buy a house, many people put a special emphasis on its property value and consider.

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ទី通の人にとっては、= from the viewpoint of ordinary people, for ordinary people N2 No.11
,
<sub>いっしょう いちど</sub>
一生に 一度 = once in a lifetime /
買い物 = shopping /
と <quotation particle>/
でも = \sim or something N2 No.
いうべきもので = いうべきものだ。そして、 = (X) is the thing which we should call (say) \sim
and ...... N2 No.105 /
多額の \hat{\pm} = a large sum of money, large amount of money /
を <direct-object particle> /
費やさ なくては ならない = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 費やさ なくて なりません =
must spend
*費やします g1 = spend, devote, waste /
ので、= because \sim, /
当然の こと だ。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 当然の こと です。= it is quite natural
that \sim, it is a matter of course that \sim //
It (buying a property) is the thing which we should call a once-in-a-lifetime's shopping or
something and we must spend large amount of money, so it is guite natural.
買った 後で、= after buying,
何らかの事情で = because of some circumstance (situation, condition, reason) or other
*何らか = some .... or other /
売ら なくては ならない = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 売ら なくては なりません = mus
sell /
にノ
なった = <plain-style-past-affirmative> of なります g1 (become)
* \sim 羽目に なります = get stuck with (some job), end up with (something unpleasant) /
とき、= when (X) do / did, etc \sim /
→ when you end up having to sell your property because of some reason or other, /
価値 = value, worth, merit /
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が <subject particle> /

ボルしょう 減少して いた = <plain-style-past-affirmative> of 減少して います = (X) has already decreased /

のでは=if~ 😓

大損害 = great damage (injury, loss, harm) /

を <direct-object particle> /

被る。 = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 被ります g1 = suffer, feel pain, experience loss or harm, endure misfortune; be punished

→ 大損害を 被る。= suffer a great loss //

When you end up having to sell (your property) for some reason whatsoever after buying it, you will suffer a great loss if the value has decreased.

だが、= but,

住居に とって = for a house (dwelling, residence, address), from the viewpoint of a house N2 No.11 /

より 重要な の = more important thing /

は <topic particle>/

その 有用性である。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of その 有用性であります。= (X) is its usefulness. //

But, more important thing for a house is its usefulness.

住み やすさ = to be easy to live 😓

が <subject particle> /

必要な o = the fact that (X) is necessary /

もちろん だ = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of もちろん です = (X) is quire natural, (X) is a matter of course /

が、= but. /

じぶん 自分の ライフスタイル = one's own lifestyle /

に

合った = <plain-style-past-affirmative> of 合います g1 (match, fit, suit, agree with) /

構造 = structure, construction, building /

→ the structure which suits your own lifestyle /

に /

なって いる = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of なって います = become /

 $\geq h$ = among other things, such things as, or something like that /

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生活の しやすい = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 生活が し やすいです = be easy to live
(lit: the life is easy to do)
*Subject particle 'ga' in a modifying sentence can be changed to 'no'. /
環境 = environment /
→ the environment which you can live comfortably /
に <existence particle>/
あって = ある。そして、= there is \sim and ....., (X) have \sim and .... /
利便性 = convenience /
に /
富んで いる = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 富んで います = be rich
* 富む g1 = be rich, become rich
 \angle b =  = among other things, such things as, or something like that /
点 = spot, mark, point, dot /
も、= also
重要な要素である。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 重要な要素であります。= (X) is an
important element (main component) //
The points such as it becomes the structure which suits your lifestyle, and it exists in the
environment which you can live comfortably and it is rich in convenience are also important
elements, not to mention that the comfort of living is necessary.
それら = those, they /
は <topic particle> /
必ずしも = (not) always, (not) necessarily, (not) all, (not) entirely /
世間一般の 価値基準 = standard of value of the general world /
と <accompaniment particle> /
は <topic particle> /
一致しない。= <plain-style-nonpast-negative> of 一致します g3 (agree, concur; coincide,
happen at the same time) //
These things don't exactly agree (correspond) with the standard of value of the general world.
したがって、= therefore, and so, hence, as a result, consequently, in accordance with, thus,
首分たち の 考え 方 = the way of thinking oneself (plural) /
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ਰਿਡਾਂਫ਼ਿਤ = behavior patterns, forms of acting, repeating methods of behaving, manners of
acting /
に /
<sup>したが</sup>
従い=従って=従う。そして、= conform (obey, comply, follow, accompany) and ....
* 従います g1 = conform, obey, comply, follow, accompany /
それ = that, that one, that thing /
にノ
照らし合わせて = 照らし合わせる。そして、= check, compare
* 照らし合わせます g2 = check, compare /
判断する = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 判断します g3 = judge, assess /
かつよう
必要 = necessity /
→ the necessity which you follow the way of your own thinkings and behavior patterns, and
compare it with that and judge /
が <subject particle> /
ある。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of あります。g1 = there is \sim, have \sim //
Therefore, we need to follow the way of thinking of ourselves and behavior patterns, and
compare it with that and judge.
特に= especially, particularly /
終の 住処 と して = as the last home /
ときに = when (X) do / did, etc \sim /
は <topic particle> /
首分たち の 生き 方 = way of life (lifestyle, manner of living) of oneself (plural) /
を <direct-object particle> /
はっきりと = clearly /
。
見極め = 見極めて = 見極める。そして、= see through (make sure of, probe, check, examine;
get to the bottom line, figure everything out, get to the heart of the matter) and .....
* 見極めます g2 = see through, make sure of, probe, check, examine; get to the bottom line,
figure everything out, get to the heart of the matter /
その 視点 = that opinion, that point of view, that visual point /
に <arrival particle> /
立った うえで = after standing up N2 No.77
* 立ちます q1 = stand /
選択し=選択して=選択する。そして、= choose (select) and .... /
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決めて いか なくて は ならない。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 決めて いか なくて は なりません。= must carry on deciding, must continue to decide, must keep deciding *[te-form] いきます = continue to do \sim , carry on doing \sim *[nai-form] くては なりません = must do \sim //

Especially, when we consider it as our last home, we must continue to choose and decide after probing the way of living of ourselves clearly and standing on that viewpoint.

年を 取って くれば = if (X) have been growing older *conditional-form

- * 年を 取ります g1 = glow older

当然の こと = natural thing, /

ながら = 1 while doing \sim 2 but N2 No.144 /

当然の こと ながら = naturally, not surprisingly, it should be appreciated that, understandably, as a matter of course, as is obvious, as will be understood /

でうどう 行動する = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 行動します g3 = act, behave, act in a particular manner /

ຄວາງຂຸດ 能力 = ability, power, capacity, capability, faculty /

は <topic particle>/

衰えて きて = 衰えて くる。そして、= continue to become weak (decay, decline, wither, become worn) and /

- * 衰えます g2 = become weak, decay, decline, wither, become worn

動き回る = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 動き回ります g1 = move around, walk around, wander /

範囲 = extent, scope, sphere, range /

は <topic particle>/

挟まってくる。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 狭まって きます = will have been narrowing (contracting, making narrow, lessening in width)

- * 狭まります g1 = narrow, contract, make narrow, lessen in width

If you grow older, the ability that you act continues to become weak and the range which you move around continues to narrow.

ロップル 自分たち の 余生 = one's own remaining years (plural) / が <subject particle> / どのようなもの = what kind of thing / に/ なる = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of なります g1 = become, get, turn / か <question particle> / について = about \sim , concerning \sim , regarding \sim N2 No.10 / 計画を 立てた = <plain-style-past-affirmative> of 計画を 立てます g1 (make plans, plan, make a scheme, plot, design, contrive) / うえに = \sim and, in addition, \sim / 想像力 = (power of) imagination / を <direct-object particle> / 働かせて = 働かせる。そして、= work (activate, use, put someone to work, make someone work) and *causative-verb * 働かせます g2 = work, activate, use / put someone work, make someone work / ਕਿਸ਼ਦਿ = certainty, sureness, definiteness, certitude, assurance / \mathcal{O} <subject particle used in the modifying sentence instead of \hbar > / 高い = high, expensive / 予測 = prediction, estimation, prognostication / → the prediction whose certainty is high / を <direct-object particle> / 組み立てて みる。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 組み立てて みます = assemble, construct, set up * 組み立てます g2 = assemble, construct, set up * [te-form] β = try to do \sim , do \sim and see how // You make plans about what your own remaining years will be like and, in addition, you work (activate, use) your imagination and try to assemble the prediction whose certainty is high. その 未来図 に 従って = with (following) that program for the future, in accordance with that program for the future N2 No.7 /

住む べき = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 住む べきです = should live N2 No.105 /

場所 = place, location /

 \rightarrow the place where you should live /

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見当 = aim, mark, estimate, guess, approx, direction
を <direct-object particle> /
つけて、=つける。そして、= attach and ....
* つけます g2 = attach
* Xの 見当を つけます = prophesy (foretell, predict) X, make an guess of X, make an estimate
of X /
住居の 大きさ = the size of a house (dwelling, residence, residency, address, resident, housing)
ヤ... など = .... and .... etc (and so on) /
構造 = structure, construction /
など = .... や ...... など = .... and ..... etc (and so on)
を <direct-object particle> /
決めて いく。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 決めて いきます = continue to decide, carry
on deciding, keep deciding /
* [te-form] いきます = continue to do \sim, carry on doing \sim, keep doing \sim //
You make an estimate of the place where you should live and continue to decide the size and
structure of a house in accordance with that program of the future.
もちろん、= of course, /
将来の 経済情勢の 大きな 変化 = a big change of economic climate in the future /
備えて、= 備える。そして、= prepare and .....
* 備えます g2 = furnish, provide for, equip, install, have ready, prepare for, possess, have, be
endowed with, be armed with /
予算 = budget, estimate
を <direct-object particle> /
<sup>ぉぉ</sup>
大きく = drastically
下回る = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 下回ります g1 = less than; be lower than
出費 = expenditure, disbursement, expense, outgo, cost, payment /
→ the expenditure which is much less than a budget
にノ
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抑えて おく こと = to restrain (suppress; control) in advance (beforehand)

- * 抑えます g2 = restrain; suppress; control
- * [te-form] $\hbar \approx 3$ g1 = 1 do \sim beforehand (in advance) 2 do \sim for the future convenience 3 leave \sim as it is
- * Here 'koto' is used to make a noun phrase (to change a verb to a noun). /

も = also / ^{ひつよう} 必要である こと = to be necessary

- * 必要である = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 必要であります = be necessary
- * Here 'koto' is used to make a noun phrase (to change a verb to a noun). は <topic particle> 、

いうまでもない。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of いうまでもありません。= it goes without saying; there is no need to say so, but of course; it is needless to say; it need scarcely be said //

It is needless to say that of course, we prepare for a big change of economic climate in the future and need to control our expenditures so that it becomes much less than our budget beforehand.

やまさき たけや山崎 武也

「シニアこそ 都会に 住もう = If you are an older person (and I want to emphasize this point),

let's live in the city /

田舎暮らしは 不安が いっぱい」= Living in the country side is full of anxieties /

PHP 研究 所による = published by PHP research institute

□52

世間一般の 価値基準 として = as the standard of value of the general world N2 No.1 /

筆者 = author, writer /

が <subject particle> /

ほんぶん

本文で = in the main body of the text /

あげている o = the thing which (X) mention

- * あげます g2 = raise, give an example, elevate, mention /
- → the thing which the author mentions in the main body of the text /

は <topic particle> /

ゅう である =<plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 何ですか。= what is (X)?

What is the thing which the author mentions in the main body of the text as the standard of value of the general world?

1

^{ちょうき} 長期に わたって = over a long time period N2 No.68 / ਵਿਸ਼ਹੀ ਤੋਂ state of またいゅう 居住できる = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 居住できます = can (live, reside, dwell)

* potential-verb of 居住します g3 = live, reside, dwell /

物件である こと = that (X) is property (article, thing, object)

- * 物件である = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 物件であります = (X) is property (article, thing, object)
- * Here 'koto' is used to make a noun phrase (is used to change a verb to a noun) //

(It (= What the author mentions in the main body of the text as the standard of value of the general world) is) that it (where you live) is the property which you can live over a long period.

2 ドネラらいばいきゃく 将来 売却する ときに = when (X) sell (offer for a price, offer for purchase) ~ in the future / も = also / 申うり 有利な = profitable, lucrative, advantageous, paying /

物件である こと = that (X) is property (article, thing, object) /

- * 物件である = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 物件であります = (X) is property (article, thing, object)
- * Here 'koto' is used to make a noun phrase (is used to change a verb to a noun) //

It is that it (where you live) is the property which should be profitable when you sell it in the future.

3 ^{こうにゅうしゃ せいかつようしき} 購入者の生活様式 = purchaser's lifestyle /

に/

合った = <plain-style-past-affirmative> of 合います = fit, suit, agree with, match /物件である こと = that (X) is property (article, thing, object) /

- * 物件である = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 物件であります = (X) is property (article, thing, object)
- * Here 'koto' is used to make a noun phrase (is used to change a verb to a noun) //

It is that it (where you live) is the property which suits a purchaser's lifestyle.

4

購入時 = when (X) buy (purchase)

の <possession particle> /
費用 = cost, expense /
負担 = burden, charge, responsibility /

が = <direct-object particle> for the potential-verb /

はされる = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 抑えられます = can restrain (suppress; control) /

物件である こと = that (X) is property (article, thing, object) /

- * 物件である = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 物件であります = (X) is property (article, thing, object)
- * Here 'koto' is used to make a noun phrase (is used to change a verb to a noun) //

It is that it (where you live) is the property which you can restrain the burden of expense when you purchase it. 😓

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□53
筆者の 考えでは、= according the author's thinking /
年を取ってから = after growing older /
住む家として = as the house where (X) live N2 No.1 /
住居を選ぶときに = when (X) choose the house (dwelling, residence, residency) /
最も = the most /
大切なこと = important thing /
は <topic particle> /
様に
何か。 = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 何ですか。 = what is (X)?
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According to the author's thinking, what is most important thing when you choose your house as the one where you live after growing older?

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1
老後の生き方 = the way of life at the old age /
や = .... and .... etc, ..... and .... and so on
行動範囲 = the range of action
に /
浴っている = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 浴っています = be following now, be running along now, be going after now
* 沿います g1 = follow, go after, run along /
か <question particle> /
を <direct-object particle> /
獣がする。 = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 判断します 3 = judge, assess
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You judge whether it (the house where you live after growing older) follows the way of your life and the range of your action at your old age.

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2
<sup>えうさ</sup>
老後 = old age /
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は <topic particle>/
行動する = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 行動します g3 = act, behave, act in a particular manner /
のラウェく
能力 = ability, power, capacity, capability /

→ the ability which (X) act /
が <subject particle> /
衰える = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 衰えます g2 = decay, become weak, decline, wither, become worn /
ため = because ~; for the purpose of ~; for the sake of ~
いえ こうぞう 家の 構造 = the structure of a house /
を <direct-object particle> /
ゅうせん 優先する。 = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 優先します。 g3 = prefer, bring before (a judge, governor, etc.), give ~ priority //
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You give the structure of a house priority because the ability which you act becomes weak after you grow older.

You choose about the same thing as the the budget which you decided in accordance with the prediction of the future

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4
いつか = someday /
売るとき = when (X) sell /
の <possession particle> /
こと = thing, fact, matter, object
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You consider the thing which will happen when you sell your property someday and place emphasis on your property value.

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□54
住居選びについて、= about the selection of a house, the choice of a house / 筆者 = author, writer /
が <subject particle> /

もっと
最も = the most /
言い たい こと = the thing which (X) want to say, what (X) want to say
* 言いたい = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 言いたいです = want to say

* Here 'koto' means 'thing'. /
は <topic particle> /

なた
何か。 = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 何ですか。 = what is (X)? //
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What is the thing which the author wants to say most about the choice of a house? 😓

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1 人 = person / が <subject particle> / だいかつ ままする = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 生活します g3 = live, support oneself / 上で = when (X) do ~ N2 77B / どんな 住居 = what kind of house (dwelling, residence, residency, address, resident, housing) / に <existence particle> / 様む = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 住みます g1 = live, reside, inhabit, dwell, reside in / か <question particle> / は <topic particle> / とても = very / たいまち
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大切であり、= 大切であって、= 大切である。そして、= (X) is important

- * Both [te-form] and [masu-form] can be used to join sentences, but [masu-form] one is more formal.
- * 大切である = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 大切であります = (X) is important /
- いっぱんてき 一般的な = general, generalized, applied in a general manner /

が t きじゅん 価値基準 = standard of value /

も = also

参考に した ほう が よい 。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 参考に した ほう が よいで

す。 = had better refer to (direct attention to)

* 参考に します q3 = refer to, direct attention to

- * [ta-form] ほう が いいです (よいです) = had better do \sim
- * [nai-form] ほう が いいです (よいです) = had better not do \sim //

What kind of house you live in is important when you support yourself, and you had better refer to the general standard of value as well.

2

他人 = another person, unrelated person, outsider, stranger /

と /

考え方 = way of thinking, method of thinking, thought process, manner of working things out / が <subject particle> /

zɛˈ 異なった = <plain-style-past-affirmative> of 異なります g1 (differ, vary; disagree)

としても、= even if \sim * similar to N2 No.142 /

じぶん 自分の 生活スタイル = one's own lifestyle /

を <direct-object particle>

重視して = 重視する。そして、= make importance and, place emphasis and, take \sim seriously and

* 重視します g3 = make importance, place emphasis, take \sim seriously /

りょうらい じゅうきょ 将来の 住居 = future house

を <direct-object particle> /

決定した ほう が よい。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 決定した ほう が よいです。 =

had better decide

- * 決定します g3 = decide
- * [ta-form] ほう が いいです (よいです) = had better do \sim
- * [nai-form] ほう が いいです (よいです) = had better not do \sim //

Even if the way of your thinking is different from other people, you had better put emphasis on your own lifestyle and decide where you live in the future.

いまうらい けいざいじょうせい へんか 将来の 経済情勢の 変化 = the change of future economic climate

に/

備えて、= 備える。そして、= prepare for ~ and

* 備えます g2 = furnish, provide for, equip, install, have ready, prepare for, possess, have, be endowed with, be armed with /

できるだけ = as much as /

資産価値 = value of one's property (assets), property (asset) value /

 \mathcal{O} <subject particle which is used in the modifying sentence instead of \hbar > /

下がり にく そう な 住居 = the house which it looks like that (X) is difficult to fall, the house which (X) is likely to be hard to fall

- * 下がります g1 = gall, hang down
- * [masu-form] にくいです = be difficult to do \sim , be hard to do \sim
- * [masu-form, stem of i-adjective, stem of na-adjective] そうで \mathfrak{f} = it looks like that \sim , be likely to do \sim , be going to do \sim at any moment /
- ightarrow the house whose value is likely to be hard to fall /

を <direct-object particle> /

選んだ ほう が よい。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 選んだ ほう が よいです。 = had better choose

- *選びます g1 = choose
- * [ta-form] ほう が いいです (よいです) = had better do \sim
- * [nai-form] ほう が いいです (よいです) = had better not do \sim //

You had better for the changes of future economic climate and choose the house whose value is likely to be hard to fall as much as possible.

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年を 取る につれて = as (X) grow older N2 No.8

* 年を 取ります g1 = grow older /

首尾の 好み = liking (preference, taste, choice of a house)

も = also

変わってくる = <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 変わって きます = begin to change, will have been changing

- * 変わります g1 = change, be transformed, vary, be revised, be different, move location
- * [te-form] きます = begin to do \sim , will have been doing \sim /

ため、= because \sim , for the purpose of \sim , for the sake of \sim /

その 時々 = at those times /

考え = thinking, thought, ideas, intention /

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合わせて = 合わせる。そして、= match (join together, unite, combine, connect, add up, mix, overlap, compare, check with) and

* 合わせます g1 = match, join together, unite, combine, connect, add up, mix, overlap, compare, check with /

住居 = house, dwelling, residence, residency, address, resident, housing /

を <direct-object particle>/

選択した ほう が よい。= <plain-style-nonpast-affirmative> of 選択した ほう が よいです。 = had better choose

- * 選択します g1 = choose, select, pick up
- * [ta-form] ほう が いいです (よいです) = had better do \sim
- * [nai-form] ほう が いいです (よいです) = had better not do \sim //

Because tastes in a house begin to change as you grow older, you had better match yourself with your thinking at those times, and had better choose your house.

Because tastes in a house begin to change as you grow older, you had better adapt yourself to suit your thinking at those times, and had better choose your house.

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