

Generational Legacy, Blessings, Favor

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Proverbs 22 ⁶ <u>Dedicate your children to God</u> and point them in the way that they should go, and the values they've learned from you will be with them for life. TPT

1 Samuel 1 ²⁷ For this boy I prayed, and the LORD has given me my petition which I asked of Him. ²⁸ **So I have also dedicated him to the LORD**; **as long as he lives he is dedicated to the LORD**." And he worshiped the LORD there. NASB

Psalm 127 ³ Children are God's love-gift; they are heaven's generous reward. ⁴ Children born to a young couple will one day rise to protect and provide for their parents. ⁵ Happy will be the couple who has many of them! A household full of children will not bring shame on your name but victory when you face your enemies, for your offspring will have influence and honor to prevail on your behalf! TPT

Isaiah 49 ²⁵ But Yahweh says: "The prey will be freed from the mighty warrior and captives will be rescued from a conqueror! **For I will fight with those who fight with you**, **and** *I myself will save* **your children**. TPT

Isaiah 54 ¹⁰ Even if the mountains were to crumble and the hills disappear, my heart of steadfast, faithful love will never leave you, and my covenant of peace with you will never be shaken," says Yahweh, whose love and compassion will never give up on you. ¹¹ "You unhappy one, storm-tossed and troubled, I am ready to rebuild you with precious stones and embed your foundation with sapphires. ¹³ All your children will be taught by Yahweh, and great will be their peace and prosperity. ¹⁴ You will be established in righteousness. Oppression—be far from them! Fear—be far from them! Yes, terror will not come near you, nor will you be afraid. ¹⁵ If anyone dares to stir up strife against you, it is not from me! Those who challenge you will go down in defeat. ¹⁷ But I promise you, no weapon meant to hurt you will succeed, and you will refute every accusing word spoken against you. This promise is the inheritance of Yahweh's servants, and their vindication is from me," says Yahweh. TPT

Psalm 91 ² I will say of the LORD, "He is my refuge and my fortress; My God, in Him I will trust." ⁹ Because you have made the LORD, who is my refuge, Even the Most High, your dwelling place, ¹⁰ No evil shall befall you, Nor shall any plague come near your dwelling; ¹¹ For He shall give His angels charge over you, To keep you in all your ways. ¹⁴ "Because he has set his love upon Me, therefore I will deliver him; I will set him on high, because he has known My name. ¹⁵ He shall call upon Me, and I will answer him; I will be with him in trouble; I will deliver him and honor him. ¹⁶ With long life I will satisfy him, And show him My salvation." NKJV

Deuteronomy 30 ¹⁹ I call heaven and earth as witnesses today against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; **therefore choose life**, **that both you and your descendants may live**; NKJV

Mark 10 ¹³ The parents kept bringing their little children to Jesus so that he would lay his hands on them and bless them. But the disciples kept rebuking and scolding the people for doing it. ¹⁴ When Jesus saw what was happening, he became indignant with his disciples and said to them, "Let all the little children come to me and never hinder them! Don't you know that God's

kingdom exists for such as these? ¹⁵ Listen to the truth I speak: Whoever does not open their arms to receive God's kingdom like a teachable child will never enter it." ¹⁶ Then he embraced each child, and laying his hands on them, he lovingly blessed each one. TPT

Joshua 24 15 ... As for me and my family, we will serve the Lord! NLT

Malachi 2 ¹⁵ You were united to your wife by the Lord. In God's wise plan, when you married, the two of you became one person in his sight. And what does he want? Godly children from your union... TLB

Genesis 1 ²⁷ So God created human beings in his own image. In the image of God he created them; male and female he created them. ²⁸ Then God blessed them and said, "Be fruitful and multiply. Fill the earth and govern it. Reign over the fish in the sea, the birds in the sky, and all the animals that scurry along the ground." NLT

Ephesians 6 ¹ Children, if you want to be wise, <u>listen to your parents</u> and <u>do what they tell you</u>, and <u>the Lord will help you!</u> ² For the commandment, "<u>Honor your father and your mother</u>," was the first of the Ten Commandments with a <u>promise attached</u>: ³ "You will <u>prosper</u> and <u>live a long</u>, <u>full life IF</u> you honor your parents." ⁴ <u>Fathers</u>, don't exasperate your children, but <u>raise them up</u> with <u>loving discipline</u> and <u>counsel</u> that brings the <u>revelation of our Lord</u>. TPT

Malachi 4 ⁵ "Look, I am sending you the prophet Elijah before the great and dreadful day of the LORD arrives. ⁶ <u>His preaching will turn the hearts of fathers to their children</u>, <u>and the hearts of children to their fathers</u>. Otherwise I will come and strike the land with a curse." NLT

THE <u>ANOINTING OF A FATHER</u> IS TO <u>REVEAL AND REFLECT</u> GOD'S FATHER HEART AND HIS UNCONDITIONAL LOVE

THE WAY A <u>FATHER TALKS TO HIS CHILDREN</u> OFTEN <u>SHAPES THEIR IDENTITY</u> AND <u>BECOMES THE INNER VOICE</u> THEY <u>HEAR FOR THE REST OF THEIR LIVES</u>

GENERATIONAL LEGACY OF FAITH! 2 Timothy 1 ⁵ I think of your <u>strong faith</u> that was <u>passed</u> <u>down through your family line</u>. It began with your grandmother Lois, who <u>passed it on</u> to your dear mother, Eunice. And it's clear that you too are <u>following in the footsteps of their godly example</u>. TPT

Genesis 12 ¹ The Lord had said to Abram, "Leave your native country, your relatives, and your father's family, and go to the land that I will show you. ² I will make you into a great nation. I will <u>bless</u> you and <u>make you famous</u>, and <u>you will be a blessing to others</u>. ³ I will bless those who bless you and curse those who treat you with contempt. All the <u>families</u> on earth will be <u>blessed through</u> you." NLT

GENERATIONAL BLESSING IS THE CONTINUED COVERING OF GOD'S COVENANT
OF FAVOR UPON YOUR FAMILY FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION.
IT IS THE ACCUMULATION OF BLESSINGS BASED UPON THE
FAITH AND OBEDIENCE OF PRIOR GENERATIONS.
IF EMBRACED BY FAITH, EACH GENERATION MAY LAY CLAIM TO IT!