

THE POWER OF FATHERHOOD

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"Honor your father and mother - which is the first commandment with a promise - that it may go well with you and that you may enjoy a long life on the earth."
Ephesians 6:2-3 (NIV)

THE POWER OF HONOR

- Acceptance

"If you curse your parents, your life will end like a lamp that goes out in the dark."
Proverbs 20:20 (TEV)

- Gratitude

"In everything give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you."
1 Thessalonians 5:18 (NKJV)

"My father and mother may abandon me, but the Lord will take care of me."
Psalms 27:10 (TEV)

THE POWER OF BLESSING

- Meaningful Affection

"He took the children in His arms, put His hands on them and blessed them."
Mark 10:16 (NIV)

- Powerful Words Of Encouragement

"And a small rudder makes a huge ship turn wherever the pilot chooses to go, even though the winds are strong. In the same way, the tongue is a small thing that makes grand speeches. But a tiny spark can set a great forest on fire."
James 3:4-5 (NLT)

- Spiritual Leadership

"Fathers do not exasperate your children; instead, bring them up in the training and instruction of the Lord."
Ephesians 6:4 (NIV)

“But the Holy Spirit produces this kind of fruit in our lives: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control...”
Galatians 5:22-23a (NLT)