Growing Together: A Family Bible Memory Journey on Children



Engage your family in memorizing Scripture about children, growing faith and unity through daily reflections and prayers.





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Introduction

Welcome to this 7-day Bible study plan centered around the theme of children and the special blessing they are in God's eyes. *Memorizing Scripture as a family* is a powerful spiritual habit that builds unity, embeds God's Word deeply in our hearts, and nurtures faith in both young and old.

Children hold a unique place in Scripture; they are both a heritage from the Lord and examples of humble faith. Throughout this study, you will discover key verses that highlight their value, God's promises for them, and the responsibility we have as families to guide and nurture them in the Lord's ways.

Each day, your family will focus on a primary Scripture verse to memorize together—a simple, clear truth about children. You will also explore supporting verses to bring richer understanding, accompanied by devotional reflections to apply these truths in your family life. Thought–provoking questions will help you engage your hearts and minds, while journaling prompts encourage personal connection.

By committing these verses to memory as a family, you will plant God's Word deeply in every member's heart, create lasting spiritual foundations, and experience God's blessings as you grow closer to Him and one another. Ideally, set aside a special family time each day — perhaps after a meal or before bedtime — to read, memorize, discuss, and pray together. Enjoy this meaningful journey as you treasure God's gift of children!









Day 1: 📀 Children: A Precious Gift









Day 1: 🐽 Children: A Precious Gift

Your Verse

Psalm 127:3 - Children are a heritage from the Lord, offspring a reward from him.

Supporting Scriptures

- Proverbs 17:6 Children's children are a crown to the aged, and parents are the pride of their children.
- Matthew 19:14 Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me... for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."







Day 1: 🐽 Children: A Precious Gift

Devotional: Children Are Divine Blessings to Treasure

Today, we focus on the foundational truth that children are not merely a blessing but a treasured gift from God. Psalm 127:3 reminds us that children are a heritage given by the Lord, a reward that carries divine significance. When we see our children through God's eyes, our hearts swell with gratitude and purpose.

Memorizing this verse helps your family remember that children are central to God's plan and care. They are not accidents or burdens but blessings entrusted to our stewardship. Jesus' invitation in Matthew 19:14 shows His special love for children, encouraging us to welcome them with open hearts.

As a family, pray and give thanks for each child, affirming their value and potential according to God's design. Let this truth shape how you relate, nurture, and encourage one another.







Day 1: 💮 Children: A Precious Gift

Reflect and Apply

1.	How does understanding children as God's heritage change the way we treat them?
2.	What can your family do to reflect Jesus' welcoming heart toward children?
3.	How can this verse inspire you to nurture faith in all ages?







Day 1: 💮 Children: A Precious Gift

Journaling Prompts

1.	Write down what makes your children or childhood special to you.
2.	List ways your family currently shows gratitude for children.
3.	Describe one prayer you want to lift up for the children in your life.







Day 1: 🐽 Children: A Precious Gift

Prayer for Today

Lord, thank You for the blessing of children. We praise You for Your precious gift of offspring, entrusted to us as a heritage. Help us to love and cherish the children You've given us as You do. Teach us to be faithful guardians and joyful nurturers of their faith and growth. May our hearts reflect Jesus' welcome and our home be a place where children feel God's love deeply. In Jesus' name, Amen. 🎇 🕠 🛴

















Your Verse

Proverbs 22:6 - Start children off on the way they should go, and even when they are old they will not turn from it.

Supporting Scriptures

- Deuteronomy 6:6-7 Impress these commandments on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road.
- Ephesians 6:4 Fathers, do not exasperate your children; instead, bring them up in the training and instruction of the Lord.







Devotional: Guiding Children in God's Way

God calls us not only to cherish children but to diligently teach and guide them in His ways. Proverbs 22:6 promises that when children are trained from early on in the path of righteousness, their lives are rooted firmly in God's truth.

This verse is empowering for families eager to imprint lasting faith and character in their children. It reminds us that teaching God's Word is an intentional, daily process, not just during formal times but embedded throughout family life—as echoed in Deuteronomy's instruction to talk about God constantly.

Ephesians 6 counters harshness with kindness, calling parents to nurture through loving instruction rather than frustration. As you memorize today's primary verse, commit as a family to practical ways you can help children learn God's truth, modeling patience and grace.







Reflect and Apply

1.	What practical habits can your family adopt to 'start children off' on God's path?
2.	How does parental attitude affect a child's spiritual growth?
	In what ways can your family make biblical teaching a natural daily conversation?







Journaling Prompts

1.	Write down a spiritual habit you want to develop in your family.
	Recall a childhood memory of learning about God—what made it impactful?
3.	List steps your parents took or you can take to instruct children patiently.







Prayer for Today

Father, guide us in teaching Your ways to the children in our care. Help us to be patient, loving, and consistent, nurturing their faith daily. May Your Word be the foundation on which they build their lives, and may our example encourage them to walk in Your truth. Give us wisdom and grace to lead well. In Jesus' name, Amen. \blacksquare

















Your Verse

1 Corinthians 13:4 – Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud.

Supporting Scriptures

- Colossians 3:21 Fathers, do not embitter your children, or they will become discouraged.
- John 15:12 My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you.







Devotional: Love: The Heart of Family Life

Love is the foundation of all relationships, especially within families. As Paul teaches in 1 Corinthians 13:4, love expresses itself through patience, kindness, and humility. These qualities build a safe environment where children can thrive spiritually and emotionally.

Memorizing this descriptive verse helps your family aspire to love that reflects God's heart. Colossians warns against actions that discourage children, reminding parents to care for their children's hearts. Jesus' command to love as He loved us sets the highest standard.

Today, challenge your family to examine how love is shown in your home. Are there ways to grow more patient or kind? Let this verse inspire you to root your family life deeply in God's love.







Reflect and Apply

1.	How does practicing patience and kindness change family dynamics?
	Are there attitudes or actions that might be discouraging to children in your family?
3.	How can your family imitate Jesus' love daily?







Journaling Prompts

1.	Describe a time when someone's love profoundly impacted your life.
2.	List ways your family can show love more intentionally.
3.	Write down one 'love action' you commit to doing this week.







Prayer for Today

Lord, teach us to love like You love. Help our family embody patience, kindness, humility, and grace. Soften our hearts toward one another and guard us from pride or envy. May our home be a haven of Your perfect love, encouraging and uplifting every child and adult alike. In Jesus' name, Amen.



















Day 4: A Praying for Our Children

Your Verse

Jeremiah 29:11 - For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.

Supporting Scriptures

- Philippians 4:6 Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.
- 1 Thessalonians 5:17 Pray continually.







Day 4: A Praying for Our Children

Devotional: Trusting God's Plans through Prayer

Prayer is one of the most powerful ways we can support and protect our children. Jeremiah 29:11 assures us that God has good plans—for hope and a future—for those He loves, including each child.

Memorizing this verse helps us trust God's sovereign care for our family's future. Paul encourages us in Philippians 4:6 to bring every worry and hope to God in prayer with thanksgiving, while 1 Thessalonians reminds us to pray without ceasing.

As your family commits to memorizing these truths, make a daily habit of lifting your children before God, securing their futures in His hands. Prayer aligns our hearts with His will and invites His power into family life.







Day 4: 🙏 Praying for Our Children

Reflect and Apply

	How does knowing God has a good plan change your view of your children's future?
	What challenges or hopes do you need to bring to God in prayer for your children?
3.	How can your family incorporate more prayer into daily routines?







Day 4: 🙏 Praying for Our Children

Journaling Prompts

1.	Write down specific prayers for each child in your family.
2.	Record a time you saw God's plan unfold in your child's life.
3.	List ways your family can pray together regularly.







Day 4: 🙏 Praying for Our Children

Prayer for Today

Father, thank You for Your perfect plans for our children's lives. Help us to trust You fully and bring all our hopes and concerns to You in prayer. Teach us to pray continually and with grateful hearts. May Your guidance lead our family forward with hope and peace, knowing You hold their futures securely in Your hands. In Jesus' name, Amen. \bigwedge









Day 5: Protecting Little Hearts









Day 5: • Protecting Little Hearts

Your Verse

Psalm 91:11 - For he will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways;

Supporting Scriptures

- Proverbs 3:24 When you lie down, you will not be afraid; when you lie down, your sleep will be sweet.
- Isaiah 54:13 All your children will be taught by the Lord, and great will be their peace.







Day 5: **(**) Protecting Little Hearts

Devotional: God's Promise to Guard Children

God's protection over our children is both promised and powerful. Psalm 91:11 comforts us with the truth that God commands His angels to guard and watch over those He loves.

This assurance encourages families to trust God's safeguarding, especially over the vulnerable hearts of children. Proverbs 3:24 reminds us of the peace that comes from God's protection, allowing restful sleep without fear. Isaiah 54:13 promises that children who are taught by the Lord will experience peace.

Memorizing Psalm 91:11 reminds us daily of God's vigilant care. Let it motivate your family to live boldly with faith, knowing God's angels watch over your children's steps.







Day 5: **(**) Protecting Little Hearts

Reflect and Apply

1.	What fears about your child's safety can you give to God today?
2.	How does knowing God's angels guard your family bring you peace?
3.	In what ways can you help your children feel safe in God's care?







Day 5: **(**) Protecting Little Hearts

Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about a time you felt God's protection over your child or family.
2.	List scriptures that bring comfort in times of fear.
3.	Describe practical steps to create a spiritually safe environment at home.







Day 5: • Protecting Little Hearts

Prayer for Today

Lord, thank You for sending Your angels to watch over our children. Calm our fears and help us rest in Your faithful protection. May our children feel secure and loved under Your care. Teach us to trust You more deeply and live with courage in Your peace. Surround our family with Your presence and guard every step. In Jesus' name, Amen. () ()

















Day 6: Winturing Growth in Faith

Your Verse

Colossians 2:6-7 - So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught.

Supporting Scriptures

- 2 Timothy 3:15 From infancy you have known the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus.
- Matthew 18:3 ...Unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.







Day 6: Winturing Growth in Faith

Devotional: Rooted in Christ for Lifelong Faith

Spiritual growth in children requires intentional nurturing and steadfast roots in Christ. Paul encourages believers in Colossians to live rooted and built up in Jesus, strengthened in their faith traditions.

Families play a vital role in fostering such faith maturity, beginning even from infancy as Timothy experienced through Scripture. Matthew reminds us that childlike faith—trust, humility, and dependence—is key to entering God's kingdom.

By memorizing and meditating on today's verses, your family can commit to cultivating a deep, ongoing connection with Christ, encouraging faith that grows strong and lasting.







Day 6: 🍞 Nurturing Growth in Faith

Reflect and Apply

1.	How can your family encourage growing faith in both children and adults?
2.	What does 'childlike faith' look like in your home?
3.	How might memorizing Scripture help root your family in Christ?







Day 6: 🍞 Nurturing Growth in Faith

Journaling Prompts

1.	Write about the role Scripture has played in your faith journey.
2.	List ways to nurture dependence on Christ in your children.
3.	Describe a spiritual goal your family can work towards together.







Day 6: 7 Nurturing Growth in Faith

Prayer for Today

Jesus, help our family to be deeply rooted in You. Strengthen our faith and help us grow together, learning from Your Word daily. Teach us to embrace childlike trust and humility, living fully for You. May our hearts and homes reflect Your grace, wisdom, and love forever. In Your holy name, Amen.









Day 7: 🥕 Celebrating God's Gift of Children









Day 7: 🏂 Celebrating God's Gift of Children

Your Verse

Matthew 18:10 – See that you do not despise one of these little ones. For I tell you that their angels in heaven always see the face of my Father in heaven.

Supporting Scriptures

- Psalm 139:14 I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful.
- Ephesians 2:10 For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works.







Day 7: 🏂 Celebrating God's Gift of Children

Devotional: Celebrating Each Child's Divine Value

On this final day, we celebrate the immeasurable value God places on children. Jesus warns us not to despise children, highlighting that their angels always see God's face, underscoring their preciousness in heaven's eyes.

Psalm 139:14 praises God's wonderful creation of each individual, and Ephesians affirms our identity as His handiwork, created with purpose and love. As a family, reflecting on these truths honors God's artistry in each child and calls us to celebrate their unique value.

Enjoy this day remembering who your children are in God's eyes — loved, cherished, and crafted for good works. Rejoice together and renew your commitment to walk in His purpose.







Day 7: 🥕 Celebrating God's Gift of Children

Reflect and Apply

1.	What specific ways does God show His care for children?
2.	How can your family actively celebrate the uniqueness of each child?
	In what ways does knowing you and your children are God's handiwork inspire you?
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Day 7: 🥕 Celebrating God's Gift of Children

Journaling Prompts

1.	Write a celebration prayer or poem for the children in your family.
2.	List unique gifts or qualities God has given each child.
3.	Record hopes and dreams for how God might use each child.







Day 7: 🏂 Celebrating God's Gift of Children

Prayer for Today

Father, we celebrate Your amazing gift of children. Thank You for creating each one uniquely and lovingly. Help us never to despise or overlook the preciousness You place on their lives. May we honor them as Your handiwork and support their journey toward the good works You have planned. Bless our family with gratitude and joy as we cherish Your blessings. In Jesus' name, Amen.







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