

Bible Verses for Fathers to Remember

Joshua 24:15 *"But if serving the LORD seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve...But as for me and my household, we will serve the LORD."*

Deuteronomy 6:6-9 *"These commandments that I give you today are to be upon your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. Tie them as symbols on your hands and bind them on your foreheads. Write them on the doorframes of your houses and on your gates."*

Proverbs 14:26 *"He who fears the LORD has a secure fortress, and for his children it will be a refuge."*

Proverbs 22:6 *"Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it."*

June Birthdays

8 Wanda Deaver 12 Celina Perales 23 Agripina Carrillo
9 Debbie Pescador 20 Mike Bruni

June Anniversaries

5 Kurt & Debbie Hoffman 11 Marcos & Celina Perales

(Note: if anyone is "missed" here, let Jim know)

Regular Meeting Times

Sunday.....9:45 a.m.
Sunday.....10:45 a.m.
Sunday.....6:00 p.m.
Wednesday.....7:00 p.m.

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Fathers' Day "Inspiration"

Honor Thy Father

By Alvis B. Christiansen

Somehow a fellow can't express
The feelings he has had
While through the years he's walked and talked
And laughed and played with Dad.
He cannot put in words the love-
The pride that wells within,
The admiration in his heart
Whenever Dad looks at him.
Dad is the hero of his dreams,
The king upon the throne,
The pattern for that ideal life
Which he would make his own.
He knows that Dad well understands
The conflicts in his breast,
And shared the problems he must face,
Though often unexpressed.
How could a fellow go astray
Who with his Dad has stood
Within the secret place of prayer
Before a holy God!
And this my constant prayer shall be,
That until life is done,
My conduct shall honor him,
Who proudly calls me "Son."

Some Interesting and Inspirational Things Ordinary Men Have Said About Fathers...

“Small boys become big men through the influence of big men who care about small boys.” - Author Unknown -

“When a father gives to his son, both laugh; when a son gives to his father, both cry.” - William Shakespeare -

“One father is more than a hundred schoolmasters.”
- George Herbert -

“It is easier for a father to have children than for children to have a real father.” - Pope John XXIII -

“My father didn’t tell me how to live; he lived, and let me watch him do it.” - Clarence Budington Kelland -

“A good father is one of the most unsung, unpraised, unnoticed, and yet one of the most valuable assets in our society.”
- Billy Graham -

“I decided in my life that I would do nothing that did not reflect positively on my father’s life.” - Sidney Poitier –

“A father is neither an anchor to hold us back, nor a sail to take us there but a guiding light whose love shows us the way.”
- Author Unknown -

Walk a little slower

Walk a little slower, Daddy,
Said a little child so small.
I'm following in your footsteps
And I don't want to fall.

Sometimes your steps are very fast,
Sometimes they are hard to see;
So, walk a little slower, Daddy,
For you are leading me.

Someday when I'm all grown up,
You're what I want to be;
Then I will have a little child
Who'll want to follow me.

And I would want to lead just right,
And know that I was true;
So walk a little slower, Daddy,
For I must follow you.

My Father

When I was: 4 years old: My daddy can do anything.
When I was: 5 years old: My daddy knows a whole lot.
When I was: 6 years old: My dad is smarter than your dad.
When I was: 8 years old: My dad doesn't know exactly everything.
When I was: 10 years old: In the olden days,
when my dad grew up,
things were sure different.
When I was: 12 years old: Oh, well, naturally,
Dad doesn't know anything about that.
He is too old to remember his childhood.
When I was: 14 years old: Don't pay any attention to my dad.
He is so old-fashioned.
When I was: 21 years old: Him? My, he's hopelessly out of date.
When I was: 25 years old: Dad knows about it, but then he should,
because he has been around so long.
When I was: 30 years old: Maybe we should ask
Dad what he thinks.
After all, he's had a lot of experience.
When I was: 35 years old: I'm not doing a
single thing until I talk to Dad.
When I was: 40 years old: I wonder how
Dad would have handled it. He was so wise.
When I was: 50 years old: I'd give anything if Dad were here now
so I could talk this over with him. Too bad I didn't appreciate
how smart he was. I could have learned a lot from him
- Ann Landers -