



June 15

# Fathers

## TODAY'S TREASURES



Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord.

~ EPHESIANS 6:4 (ESV)

The one who loves their children is careful to discipline them.

~ PROVERBS 13:24b (NIV)

And these words which I command you today shall be in your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up. ~ DEUTERONOMY 6:6-7 (NKJV)

Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. "Honor your father and mother"—which is the first commandment with a promise—so that it may go well with you and that you may enjoy long life on the earth."

~ EPHESIANS 6:1-3 (NIV)

The father of a righteous child has great joy; a man who fathers a wise son rejoices in him. ~ PROVERBS 23:24 (NIV)

As a father shows compassion to his children, so the LORD shows compassion to those who fear him. ~ PSALM 103:13 (ESV)

I will be a Father to you, and you will be my sons and daughters, says the Lord Almighty. ~ 2 CORINTHIANS 6:18 (ESV)

## MORE TREASURES

1 Thessalonians 2:11-12; Proverbs 3:11-12; Colossians 3:21

## PRAYER

*Father, on the special day in America known as Father's Day, we show great honor to fathers, either our own, one who has adopted us, or one whom we have adopted as our "Father" or "Daddy"! We want to honor You as our Heavenly Father, our "Abba Father". Thank You for adopting those of us who belong to You as Your children. You chose us even before You created the world!*

*We are ever grateful for Your grace and mercy!*

*In Jesus' Name, Amen!*