

Father God

*No one has seen **God** at any time. The only begotten Son, who is in the bosom of the **Father**, He has declared Him. John 1:18*

While Scripture is clear that the full glory of the Father cannot be experienced by humans, it is equally clear that we can experience Him in a lesser form. Humans experienced Him because Jesus, the Son, declared Him by coming in the form of a human. We too can see the Father in the same way Jesus did while He was on earth-- through the Spirit. The term "father" tells us that we are to be like Him. Jesus calls Him "My Father" and also "Your Father". As we experience Immanuel in our prayer sessions, we get to know Our Father and become more and more like Him.

Studies included in this article are: God the Father; Our Father; His Father; My Father; Your Father; Jesus As Father; Adopted Sons; Sons and Daughters; Sons of God; Children of God; Beloved Son; My Son (Jesus); My Son (Earthy Wisdom From Fathers); Earthly Fathers; Like Father, Like Son (Jesus, Christians, Pharisees)

For more information on this topic, please see: "Father Son Together Visible At the Same Time"; Appendix 8 "Objections To Seeing God" in my book, Immanuel: A Practicum;

God the Father

John 1:18 No one has seen **God** at any time. The only begotten Son, who is in the bosom of the **Father**, He has declared Him.

John 6:27 Do not labor for the food which perishes, but for the food which endures to everlasting life, which the Son of Man will give you, because **God the Father** has set His seal on Him.

1 Corinthians 8:6 Yet for us *there is* one **God, the Father**, of whom *are* all things, and we for Him; and one Lord Jesus Christ, through whom *are* all things, and through whom we *live*.

1 Corinthians 15:24 Then *comes* the end, when He delivers the kingdom to **God the Father**, when He puts an end to all rule and all authority and power.

Galatians 1:1 Paul, an apostle (not from men nor through man, but through Jesus Christ and **God the Father** who raised Him from the dead),

Galatians 1:3 Grace to you and peace from **God the Father** and our Lord Jesus Christ,

Ephesians 5:20 Giving thanks always for all things to **God the Father** in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ,

Ephesians 6:23 Peace to the brethren, and love with faith, from **God the Father** and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Philippians 2:11 and *that* every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ *is* Lord, to the glory of **God the Father**.

Colossians 3:17 And whatever you do in word or deed, *do* all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to [God the Father](#) through Him.

1 Thessalonians 1:1 Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in [God the Father](#) and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

2 Timothy 1:2 To Timothy, a beloved son: Grace, mercy, *and* peace from [God the Father](#) and Christ Jesus our Lord.

Titus 1:4 To Titus, a true son in *our* common faith: Grace, mercy, *and* peace from [God the Father](#) and the Lord Jesus Christ our Savior.

1 Peter 1:2 Elect according to the foreknowledge of [God the Father](#), in sanctification of the Spirit, for obedience and sprinkling of the blood of Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace be multiplied.

2 Peter 1:17 For He received from [God the Father](#) honor and glory when such a voice came to Him from the Excellent Glory: "This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased."

2 John 1:3 Grace, mercy, *and* peace will be with you from [God the Father](#) and from the Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of the Father, in truth and love.

Jude 1:1 Jude, a bondservant of Jesus Christ, and brother of James, To those who are called, sanctified by [God the Father](#), and preserved in Jesus Christ:

Our Father

Isaiah 63:16 Doubtless You *are* [our Father](#), Though Abraham was ignorant of us, And Israel does not acknowledge us. You, O LORD, *are* [our Father](#); Our Redeemer from Everlasting *is* Your name.

Isaiah 64:8 But now, O LORD, You *are* [our Father](#); We *are* the clay, and You our potter; And all we *are* the work of Your hand.

Matthew 6:9 In this manner, therefore, pray: [Our Father](#) in heaven, Hallowed be Your name.

Mark 11:10 Blessed *is* the kingdom of [our father](#) David That comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!"

Luke 1:73 The oath which He swore to [our father](#) Abraham:

Luke 3:8 Therefore bear fruits worthy of repentance, and do not begin to say to yourselves, 'We have Abraham as [our father](#).' For I say to you that God is able to raise up children to Abraham from these stones.

Luke 11:2 So He said to them, "When you pray, say: [Our Father](#) in heaven, Hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come. Your will be done On earth as *it is* in heaven.

1 Corinthians 1:3 Grace to you and peace from God [our Father](#) and the Lord Jesus Christ.

2 Corinthians 1:2 Grace to you and peace from God [our Father](#) and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Ephesians 1:2 Grace to you and peace from God [our Father](#) and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Philippians 1:2 Grace to you and peace from God [our Father](#) and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Colossians 1:2 To the saints and faithful brethren in Christ *who are* in Colosse: Grace to you and peace from God [our Father](#) and the Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Thessalonians 1:1 Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace from God [our Father](#) and the Lord Jesus Christ.

2 Thessalonians 1:1 Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God [our Father](#) and the Lord Jesus Christ:

2 Thessalonians 1:2 Grace to you and peace from God [our Father](#) and the Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Timothy 1:2 To Timothy, a true son in the faith: Grace, mercy, *and* peace from God [our Father](#) and Jesus Christ our Lord.

Philemon 1:3 Grace to you and peace from God [our Father](#) and the Lord Jesus Christ.

His Father

Matthew 16:27 "For the Son of Man will come in the glory of [His Father](#) with His angels, and then He will reward each according to his works.

Mark 8:38 "For whoever is ashamed of Me and My words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of him the Son of Man also will be ashamed when He comes in the glory of [His Father](#) with the holy angels."

John 5:18 Therefore the Jews sought all the more to kill Him, because He not only broke the Sabbath, but also said that [God](#) was His [Father](#), making Himself equal with [God](#).

Revelation 14:1 Then I looked, and behold, a Lamb standing on Mount Zion, and with Him one hundred *and* forty-four thousand, having [His Father](#)'s name written on their foreheads.

My Father

Psalms 89:26 He shall cry to Me, 'You *are* [my Father](#), My God, and the rock of my salvation.'

Matthew 7:21 Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of [My Father](#) in heaven.

Matthew 10:32 Therefore whoever confesses Me before men, him I will also confess before [My Father](#) who is in heaven.

Matthew 10:33 But whoever denies Me before men, him I will also deny before [My Father](#) who is in heaven.

Matthew 11:27 All things have been delivered to Me by [My Father](#), and no one knows the Son except the Father. Nor does anyone know the Father except the Son, and *the one* to whom the Son wills to reveal *Him*.

Matthew 12:50 For whoever does the will of [My Father](#) in heaven is My brother and sister and mother."

Matthew 16:17 Jesus answered and said to him, "Blessed are you, Simon Bar-Jonah, for flesh and blood has not revealed *this* to you, but [My Father](#) who is in heaven.

Matthew 18:10 Take heed that you do not despise one of these little ones, for I say to you that in heaven their angels always see the face of [My Father](#) who is in heaven.

Matthew 18:19 "Again I say to you that if two of you agree on earth concerning anything that they ask, it will be done for them by [My Father](#) in heaven.

Matthew 20:23 So He said to them, "You will indeed drink My cup, and be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with; but to sit on My right hand and on My left is not Mine to give, but *it is for those* for whom it is prepared by [My Father](#)."

Matthew 24:36 "But of that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, but [My Father](#) only.

Matthew 25:34 "Then the King will say to those on His right hand, 'Come, you blessed of [My Father](#), inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world:

Matthew 26:29 "But I say to you, I will not drink of this fruit of the vine from now on until that day when I drink it new with you in [My Father](#)'s kingdom."

Matthew 26:39 He went a little farther and fell on His face, and prayed, saying, "O [My Father](#), if it is possible, let this cup pass from Me; nevertheless, not as I will, but as You *will*."

Matthew 26:42 Again, a second time, He went away and prayed, saying, "O [My Father](#), if this cup cannot pass away from Me unless I drink it, Your will be done."

Matthew 26:53 "Or do you think that I cannot now pray to [My Father](#), and He will provide Me with more than twelve legions of angels?

Luke 2:49 And He said to them, "Why did you seek Me? Did you not know that I must be about [My Father](#)'s business?"

Luke 9:59 Then He said to another, "Follow Me." But he said, "Lord, let me first go and bury [my father](#)."

Luke 10:22 "All things have been delivered to Me by [My Father](#), and no one knows who the Son is except the Father, and who the Father is except the Son, and *the one* to whom the Son wills to reveal *Him*."

Luke 22:29 "And I bestow upon you a kingdom, just as [My Father](#) bestowed *one* upon Me,

Luke 24:49 "Behold, I send the Promise of [My Father](#) upon you; but tarry in the city of Jerusalem until you are endued with power from on high."

John 2:16 And He said to those who sold doves, "Take these things away! Do not make [My Father](#)'s house a house of merchandise!"

John 5:17 But Jesus answered them, "[My Father](#) has been working until now, and I have been working."

John 5:43 "I have come in [My Father](#)'s name, and you do not receive Me; if another comes in his own name, him you will receive.

John 6:32 Then Jesus said to them, "Most assuredly, I say to you, Moses did not give you the bread from heaven, but [My Father](#) gives you the true bread from heaven.

John 6:65 And He said, "Therefore I have said to you that no one can come to Me unless it has been granted to him by [My Father](#)."

John 8:19 Then they said to Him, "Where is Your Father?" Jesus answered, "You know neither Me nor [My Father](#). If you had known Me, you would have known [My Father](#) also."

John 8:28 Then Jesus said to them, "When you lift up the Son of Man, then you will know that I am *He*, and *that* I do nothing of Myself; but as [My Father](#) taught Me, I speak these things.

John 8:38 "I speak what I have seen with [My Father](#), and you do what you have seen with your father."

John 8:49 Jesus answered, "I do not have a demon; but I honor [My Father](#), and you dishonor Me.

John 8:54 Jesus answered, "If I honor Myself, My honor is nothing. It is [My Father](#) who honors Me, of whom you say that He is your God.

John 10:17 "Therefore [My Father](#) loves Me, because I lay down My life that I may take it again.

John 10:18 "No one takes it from Me, but I lay it down of Myself. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it again. This command I have received from [My Father](#)."

John 10:25 Jesus answered them, "I told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in [My Father's](#) name, they bear witness of Me.

John 10:29 "[My Father](#), who has given *them* to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch *them* out of [My Father's](#) hand.

John 10:30 "I and [My Father](#) are one."

John 10:32 Jesus answered them, "Many good works I have shown you from [My Father](#). For which of those works do you stone Me?"

John 10:37 "If I do not do the works of [My Father](#), do not believe Me;

John 12:26 "If anyone serves Me, let him follow Me; and where I am, there My servant will be also. If anyone serves Me, him [My Father](#) will honor.

John 14:2 "In [My Father's](#) house are many mansions; if *it were* not *so*, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.

John 14:7 "If you had known Me, you would have known [My Father](#) also; and from now on you know Him and have seen Him."

John 14:12 "Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and greater *works* than these he will do, because I go to [My Father](#).

John 14:20 "At that day you will know that I *am* in [My Father](#), and you in Me, and I in you.

John 14:21 "He who has My commandments and keeps them, it is he who loves Me. And he who loves Me will be loved by [My Father](#), and I will love him and manifest Myself to him."

John 14:23 Jesus answered and said to him, "If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word; and [My Father](#) will love him, and We will come to him and make Our home with him.

John 14:28 "You have heard Me say to you, 'I am going away and coming *back* to you.' If you loved Me, you would rejoice because I said, 'I am going to the Father,' for [My Father](#) is greater than I.

John 15:1 "I am the true vine, and [My Father](#) is the vinedresser.

John 15:8 "By this [My Father](#) is glorified, that you bear much fruit; so you will be My disciples.

John 15:10 "If you keep My commandments, you will abide in My love, just as I have kept [My Father's](#) commandments and abide in His love.

John 15:15 "No longer do I call you servants, for a servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all things that I heard from [My Father](#) I have made known to you.

John 15:23 "He who hates Me hates [My Father](#) also.

John 15:24 "If I had not done among them the works which no one else did, they would have no sin; but now they have seen and also hated both Me and [My Father](#).

John 16:10 Of righteousness, because I go to [My Father](#) and you see Me no more.

John 18:11 So Jesus said to Peter, "Put your sword into the sheath. Shall I not drink the cup which [My Father](#) has given Me?"

John 20:17 Jesus said to her, "Do not cling to Me, for I have not yet ascended to [My Father](#); but go to My brethren and say to them, 'I am ascending to [My Father](#) and your Father, and to My God and your God.'"

Revelation 2:27 'He shall rule them with a rod of iron; They shall be dashed to pieces like the potter's vessels' — as I also have received from [My Father](#);

Revelation 3:5 "He who overcomes shall be clothed in white garments, and I will not blot out his name from the Book of Life; but I will confess his name before [My Father](#) and before His angels.

Revelation 3:21 "To him who overcomes I will grant to sit with Me on My throne, as I also overcame and sat down with [My Father](#) on His throne.

Your Father

Deuteronomy 32:6 Do you thus deal with the LORD, O foolish and unwise people? *Is* He not [your Father](#), *who* bought you? Has He not made you and established you?

Matthew 5:16 Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify [your Father](#) in heaven.

Matthew 5:45 That you may be sons of [your Father](#) in heaven; for He makes His sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the just and on the unjust.

Matthew 5:48 Therefore you shall be perfect, just as [your Father](#) in heaven is perfect.

Matthew 6:1 Take heed that you do not do your charitable deeds before men, to be seen by them. Otherwise you have no reward from [your Father](#) in heaven.

Matthew 6:4 That your charitable deed may be in secret; and [your Father](#) who sees in secret will Himself reward you openly.

Matthew 6:6 But you, when you pray, go into your room, and when you have shut your door, pray to [your Father](#) who *is* in the secret *place*; and [your Father](#) who sees in secret will reward you openly.

Matthew 6:8 Therefore do not be like them. For [your Father](#) knows the things you have need of before you ask Him

Matthew 6:15 But if you do not forgive men their trespasses, neither will [your Father](#) forgive your trespasses.

Matthew 6:18 So that you do not appear to men to be fasting, but to [your Father](#) who *is* in the secret *place*; and [your Father](#) who sees in secret will reward you openly.

Matthew 7:11 If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will [your Father](#) who is in heaven give good things to those who ask Him!

Matthew 10:20 For it is not you who speak, but the Spirit of [your Father](#) who speaks in you.

Matthew 10:29 Are not two sparrows sold for a copper coin? And not one of them falls to the ground apart from [your Father's](#) will.

Matthew 18:14 Even so it is not the will of [your Father](#) who is in heaven that one of these little ones should perish.

Matthew 23:9 Do not call anyone on earth [your father](#); for One is [your Father](#), He who is in heaven.

Mark 11:25 And whenever you stand praying, if you have anything against anyone, forgive him, that [your Father](#) in heaven may also forgive you your trespasses.

Mark 11:26 But if you do not forgive, neither will [your Father](#) in heaven forgive your trespasses.

Luke 2:48 So when they saw Him, they were amazed; and His mother said to Him, "Son, why have You done this to us? Look, [Your father](#) and I have sought You anxiously.

Luke 6:36 Therefore be merciful, just as [your Father](#) also is merciful.

Luke 12:30 For all these things the nations of the world seek after, and [your Father](#) knows that you need these things.

Luke 12:32 Do not fear, little flock, for it is [your Father's](#) good pleasure to give you the kingdom.

John 8:19 Then they said to Him, "Where is [Your Father](#)?" Jesus answered, "You know neither Me nor My Father. If you had known Me, you would have known My Father also."

John 20:17 Jesus said to her, "Do not cling to Me, for I have not yet ascended to My Father; but go to My brethren and say to them, 'I am ascending to My Father and your Father, and to My God and your God.'"

Jesus As Father

Isaiah 9:6 For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Revelation 21:7 He who overcomes shall inherit all things, and I will be his God and he shall be My son.

God As Father

Hebrews 12:5 And you have forgotten the exhortation which speaks to you as to sons: "My son, do not despise the chastening of the LORD, Nor be discouraged when you are rebuked by Him;

Hebrews 12:7 If you endure chastening, God deals with you as with sons; for what son is there whom a father does not chasten?

Hebrews 12:8 But if you are without chastening, of which all have become partakers, then you are illegitimate and not sons.

Hebrews 12:11 Now no chastening seems to be joyful for the present, but painful; nevertheless, afterward it yields the peaceable fruit of righteousness to those who have been trained by it.

Adopted Sons

Romans 8:15 For you did not receive the spirit of bondage again to fear, but you received the Spirit of adoption by whom we cry out, "Abba, Father."

Romans 8:23 Not only *that*, but we also who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan within ourselves, eagerly waiting for the adoption, the redemption of our body.

Romans 9:4 who are Israelites, to whom *pertain* the adoption, the glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the service *of God*, and the promises;

Galatians 4:5-6 To redeem those who were under the law, that we might receive the adoption as sons. And because you are sons, God has sent forth the Spirit of His Son into your hearts, crying out, "Abba, Father!"

Ephesians 1:5 Having predestined us to adoption as sons by Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will.

Sons and Daughters

2 Corinthians 6:18 "I will be a Father to you, And you shall be My sons and daughters, Says the LORD Almighty."

Sons of God

Genesis 6:2 that the sons of God saw the daughters of men, that they *were* beautiful; and they took wives for themselves of all whom they chose.

Genesis 6:4 There were giants on the earth in those days, and also afterward, when the sons of God came in to the daughters of men and they bore *children* to them. Those *were* the mighty men who *were* of old, men of renown.

Job 1:6 Now there was a day when the sons of God came to present themselves before the LORD, and Satan also came among them.

Job 2:1 Again there was a day when the sons of God came to present themselves before the LORD, and Satan came also among them to present himself before the LORD.

Job 38:7 When the morning stars sang together, And all the sons of God shouted for joy?

Matthew 5:9 Blessed *are* the peacemakers, For they shall be called sons of God.

Luke 20:36 "nor can they die anymore, for they are equal to the angels and are sons of God, being sons of the resurrection.

Romans 8:14 For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God.

Romans 8:19 For the earnest expectation of the creation eagerly waits for the revealing of the sons of God.

Galatians 3:26 For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus.

Children of God

John 1:12 But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name:

John 11:52 and not for that nation only, but also that He would gather together in one the children of God who were scattered abroad.

Romans 8:16 The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God,

Romans 8:21 because the creation itself also will be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God.

Romans 9:8 That is, those who *are* the children of the flesh, these *are* not the children of God; but the children of the promise are counted as the seed.

Philippians 2:15 that you may become blameless and harmless, children of God without fault in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation, among whom you shine as lights in the world,

1 John 3:1 Behold what manner of love the Father has bestowed on us, that we should be called children of God! Therefore the world does not know us, because it did not know Him.

1 John 3:2 Beloved, now we are children of God; and it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when He is revealed, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as He is.

1 John 3:10 In this the children of God and the children of the devil are manifest: Whoever does not practice righteousness is not of God, nor *is* he who does not love his brother.

1 John 5:2 By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and keep His commandments.

Beloved Son

Matthew 3:17 And suddenly a voice *came* from heaven, saying, "This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased."

Matthew 17:5 While he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them; and suddenly a voice came out of the cloud, saying, "This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased. Hear Him!"

Mark 1:11 Then a voice came from heaven, "You are My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased."

Mark 9:7 And a cloud came and overshadowed them; and a voice came out of the cloud, saying, "This is My beloved Son. Hear Him!"

Luke 3:22 And the Holy Spirit descended in bodily form like a dove upon Him, and a voice came from heaven which said, "You are My beloved Son; in You I am well pleased."

Luke 9:35 And a voice came out of the cloud, saying, "This is My beloved Son. Hear Him!"

Luke 20:13 "Then the owner of the vineyard said, 'What shall I do? I will send my beloved son. Probably they will respect *him* when they see him.'

2 Timothy 1:2 To Timothy, a beloved son: Grace, mercy, *and* peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

2 Peter 1:17 For He received from God the Father honor and glory when such a voice came to Him from the Excellent Glory: "This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased."

My Son (Jesus)

Psalms 2:7 I will declare the decree: The LORD has said to Me, 'You *are* My Son, Today I have begotten You.

Ezekiel 21:10 Sharpened to make a dreadful slaughter, Polished to flash like lightning! Should we then make mirth? It despises the scepter of My Son, *As it does* all wood.

Hosea 11:1 When Israel *was* a child, I loved him, And out of Egypt I called My son.

Matthew 2:15 and was there until the death of Herod, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the Lord through the prophet, saying, "Out of Egypt I called My Son."

Acts 13:33 God has fulfilled this for us their children, in that He has raised up Jesus. As it is also written in the second Psalm: 'You are My Son, Today I have begotten You.'

2 Timothy 2:1 You therefore, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus.

Philemon 1:10 I appeal to you for my son Onesimus, whom I have begotten *while* in my chains,

Hebrews 1:5 For to which of the angels did He ever say: "You are My Son, Today I have begotten You"?
And again: "I will be to Him a Father, And He shall be to Me a Son"?

Hebrews 5:5 So also Christ did not glorify Himself to become High Priest, but *it was* He who said to Him: "You are My Son, Today I have begotten You."

Hebrews 12:5 And you have forgotten the exhortation which speaks to you as to sons: "My son, do not despise the chastening of the LORD, Nor be discouraged when you are rebuked by Him;

1 Peter 5:13 She who is in Babylon, elect together with *you*, greets you; and *so does* Mark my son.

My Son (Earthy Wisdom From Fathers)

Proverbs 1:8 My son, hear the instruction of your father, And do not forsake the law of your mother;

Proverbs 1:10 My son, if sinners entice you, Do not consent.

Proverbs 1:15 My son, do not walk in the way with them, Keep your foot from their path;

Proverbs 2:1 My son, if you receive my words, And treasure my commands within you,

Proverbs 3:1 My son, do not forget my law, But let your heart keep my commands;

Proverbs 3:11 My son, do not despise the chastening of the LORD, Nor detest His correction;

Proverbs 3:21 My son, let them not depart from your eyes—Keep sound wisdom and discretion;

Proverbs 4:10 Hear, my son, and receive my sayings, And the years of your life will be many.

Proverbs 4:20 My son, give attention to my words; Incline your ear to my sayings.

Proverbs 5:1 My son, pay attention to my wisdom; Lend your ear to my understanding,

Proverbs 5:20 For why should you, my son, be enraptured by an immoral woman, And be embraced in the arms of a seductress?

Proverbs 6:1 My son, if you become surety for your friend, *If* you have shaken hands in pledge for a stranger,

Proverbs 6:3 So do this, [my son](#), and deliver yourself; For you have come into the hand of your friend: Go and humble yourself; Plead with your friend.

Proverbs 6:20 [My son](#), keep your father's command, And do not forsake the law of your mother.

Proverbs 7:1 [My son](#), keep my words, And treasure my commands within you.

Proverbs 19:27 Cease listening to instruction, [my son](#), And you will stray from the words of knowledge.

Proverbs 23:15 [My son](#), if your heart is wise, My heart will rejoice—indeed, I myself;

Proverbs 23:19 Hear, [my son](#), and be wise; And guide your heart in the way.

Proverbs 23:26 [My son](#), give me your heart, And let your eyes observe my ways.

Proverbs 24:13 [My son](#), eat honey because *it is* good, And the honeycomb *which is* sweet to your taste;

Proverbs 24:21 [My son](#), fear the LORD and the king; Do not associate with those given to change;

Proverbs 27:11 [My son](#), be wise, and make my heart glad, That I may answer him who reproaches me.

Proverbs 31:2 What, [my son](#)? And what, son of my womb? And what, son of my vows?

Ecclesiastes 12:12 And further, [my son](#), be admonished by these. Of making many books *there is* no end, and much study *is* wearisome to the flesh.

Earthly Fathers

Genesis 2:24 Therefore a man shall leave his [father and mother](#) and be joined to his wife, and they shall become one flesh.

Exodus 20:12 [Honor your](#) father and your mother, that your days may be long upon the land which the LORD your God is giving you.

Deuteronomy 5:16 '[Honor your](#) father and your mother, as the LORD your God has commanded you, that your days may be long, and that it may be well with you in the land which the LORD your God is giving you.

1 Samuel 2:29 'Why do you kick at My sacrifice and My offering which I have commanded *in My* dwelling place, and [honor your](#) sons more than Me, to make yourselves fat with the best of all the offerings of Israel My people?'

Psalms 27:10 When [my father](#) and my mother forsake me, Then the LORD will take care of me.

Proverbs 1:8 My son, hear the instruction of [your father](#), And do not forsake the law of your mother;

Proverbs 6:20 My son, keep [your father](#)'s command, And do not forsake the law of your mother.

Proverbs 13:24 He who spares his rod hates his son, But he who loves him [disciplines](#) him promptly.

Proverbs 23:22 Listen to [your father](#) who begot you, And do not despise your mother when she is old.

Proverbs 23:25 Let [your father](#) and your mother be glad, And let her who bore you rejoice.

Proverbs 27:10 Do not forsake your own friend or [your father](#)'s friend, Nor go to your brother's house in the day of your calamity; Better *is* a neighbor nearby than a brother far away.

Isaiah 49:23 Kings shall be your foster [fathers](#), And their queens your nursing mothers; They shall bow down to you with *their* faces to the earth, And lick up the dust of your feet. Then you will know that I *am* the LORD, For they shall not be ashamed who wait for Me.

Malachi 4:6 And he will turn The hearts of the [fathers](#) to the children, And the hearts of the children to their [fathers](#), Lest I come and strike the earth with a curse.

Matthew 7:11 If you then, [being evil](#), know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father who is in heaven give good things to those who ask Him!

Matthew 15:4 For God commanded, saying, 'Honor [your father](#) and your mother'; and, 'He who curses father or mother, let him be put to death.'

Matthew 19:19 'Honor [your father](#) and *your* mother,' and, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.'

Mark 7:10 For Moses said, 'Honor [your father](#) and your mother'; and, 'He who curses father or mother, let him be put to death.'

Mark 10:19 You know the commandments: 'Do not commit adultery,' 'Do not murder,' 'Do not steal,' 'Do not bear false witness,' 'Do not defraud,' 'Honor [your father](#) and your mother.'

Luke 1:17 He will also go before Him in the spirit and power of Elijah, 'to turn the hearts of the [fathers](#) to the children,' and the disobedient to the wisdom of the just, to make ready a people prepared for the Lord.

Luke 11:13 If you then, [being evil](#), know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will *your* heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!

Luke 18:20 You know the commandments: 'Do not commit adultery,' 'Do not murder,' 'Do not steal,' 'Do not bear false witness,' 'Honor [your father](#) and your mother.'

John 8:38 I speak what I have seen with My Father, and you do what you have seen with [your father](#).

John 8:41-42 You do the deeds of [your father](#)." Then they said to Him, "We were not born of fornication; we have one Father—God. Jesus said to them, "If God were [your Father](#), you would love Me, for I proceeded forth and came from God; nor have I come of Myself, but He sent Me.

John 8:44 "You are of [your father](#) the devil, and the desires of [your father](#) you want to do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and does not stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaks a lie, he speaks from his own *resources*, for he is a liar and the father of it.

Ephesians 6:2 "Honor [your father](#) and mother," which is the first commandment with promise:

Ephesians 6:4 And you, [fathers](#), do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord.

Colossians 3:21 Fathers, do not provoke your children, lest they become discouraged.

1 Timothy 1:9-10 Knowing this: that the law is not made for a righteous person, but for the lawless and insubordinate, for the ungodly and for sinners, for the unholy and profane, for murderers of fathers and murderers of mothers, for manslayers, for fornicators, for sodomites, for kidnappers, for liars, for perjurers, and if there is any other thing that is contrary to sound doctrine.

Hebrews 12:9 Furthermore, we have had human fathers who corrected *us*, and we paid *them* respect. Shall we not much more readily be in subjection to the Father of spirits and live?

Like Father, Like Son

Jesus

John 8:19 Then they said to Him, "Where is Your Father?" Jesus answered, "You know neither Me nor My Father. If you had known Me, you would have known My Father also."

John 5:19 Then Jesus answered and said to them, "Most assuredly, I say to you, the Son can do nothing of Himself, but what He sees the Father do; for whatever He does, the Son also does in like manner."

John 5:30 I can of Myself do nothing. As I hear, I judge; and My judgment is righteous, because I do not seek My own will but the will of the Father who sent Me.

John 6:38 "For I have come down from heaven, not to do My own will, but the will of Him who sent Me.

John 14:24 He who does not love Me does not keep My words; and the word which you hear is not Mine but the Father's who sent Me.

John 14:8-9 Philip said to Him, "Lord, show us the Father, and it is sufficient for us." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you so long, and yet you have not known Me, Philip? He who has seen Me has seen the Father; so how can you say, 'Show us the Father'?"

Hebrews 10:7 Then I said, 'Behold, I have come—In the volume of the book it is written of Me—To do Your will, O God.'

Hebrews 10:9 then He said, "Behold, I have come to do Your will, O God." He takes away the first that He may establish the second.

Christians

Matthew 5:16 Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

Matthew 5:44-45 But I say to you, love your enemies, bless those who curse you, do good to those who hate you, and pray for those who spitefully use you and persecute you, that you may be sons of your Father in heaven; for He makes His sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the just and on the unjust.

Matthew 5:48 Therefore you shall be perfect, just as your Father in heaven is perfect.

Pharisees

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