



DO YOU HAVE AN “ABBA FATHER” RELATIONSHIP?

With Father’s Day approaching..... what better time to discuss the roles of being a father and a son.

ONLY 3 “ABBA FATHER” REFERENCES IN THE BIBLE

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| Mark 14:36 | ³⁶ And He said, “Abba, Father, all things <i>are</i> possible for You. Take this cup away from Me; nevertheless, not what I will, but what You <i>will</i> .” |
| Galatians 4:4-7 | ⁴ But when the fullness of the time had come, God sent forth His Son, born ^[a] of a woman, born under the law, ⁵ to redeem those who were under the law, that we might receive the adoption as sons. ⁶ And because you are sons, God has sent forth the Spirit of His Son into your hearts, crying out, ^[b] “Abba, Father!” ⁷ Therefore you are no longer a slave but a son, and if a son, then an heir ^[c] of God ^[d] through Christ. |
| Romans 8:14-17 | ¹⁴ For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God. 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, ^[a] Father.” ¹⁶ The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, ¹⁷ and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if indeed we suffer with <i>Him</i> , that we may also be glorified together. |

HOW TO ACHIEVE “SONSHIP” IS THE KEY

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| John 3:3-5 | ³ Jesus answered and said to him, “Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born ^[a] again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.” ⁴ Nicodemus said to Him, “How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother’s womb and be born?” ⁵ Jesus answered, “Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. |
| John 1:12-13 | ¹² But as many as received Him, to them He gave the ^[a] right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name: ¹³ who were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God. |

ARE YOU STILL A PRODIGAL SON?

(Luke 15:11-24)

ASKING GOD FOR SALVATION....A SINNER’S PRAYER

Pray the prayer below, FROM YOUR HEART, and you will be saved.

Heavenly Father, I believe that Jesus Christ is Your Son, and that He died on the cross to save me from my sin. I believe that He rose again to life, and that He invites me to live forever with Him in heaven as part of Your family. Because of what Jesus has done, I ask You to forgive me of my sin and give me eternal life. I invite You to come into my heart and life. I want to trust Jesus as my Savior and follow Him as my Lord. Help me to live in a way that pleases and honors You. Amen.