

**I will \_\_\_\_\_ an atmosphere of \_\_\_\_\_ in my family where each person is valued, affirmed, and held accountable.**

*Always be humble and gentle. Be patient with each other, making allowance for each other's faults because of your love.<sup>3</sup> Make every effort to keep yourselves united in the Spirit, binding yourselves together with peace.  
Ephesians 4:2-3 (NLT)*

*Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud.<sup>5</sup> It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.<sup>6</sup> Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth.<sup>7</sup> It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.<sup>8</sup> Love never fails...  
I Corinthians 13:4-8a (NIV)*

*Repeat them again and again to your children. Talk about them when you are at home and when you are on the road, when you are going to bed and when you are getting up.<sup>8</sup> Tie them to your hands and wear them on your forehead as reminders.<sup>9</sup> Write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.*

**I will \_\_\_\_\_ an honest environment in my family where \_\_\_\_\_ flows naturally in a secure atmosphere.**

*Instead, we will speak the truth in love, growing in every way more and more like Christ... Ephesians 4:15a (NLT)*

*I will be careful to live a blameless life—when will you come to help me?  
I will lead a life of integrity in my own home. Psalm 103:2 (NLT)*

**I will \_\_\_\_\_ well defined \_\_\_\_\_ for my family that are consistently and lovingly enforced.**

*Discipline your children while there is hope.  
Otherwise you will ruin their lives. Proverbs 19:18 (NLT)*

*No discipline is enjoyable while it is happening—it's painful!  
But afterward there will be a peaceful harvest of right living for those who are trained in this way. Hebrews 12:11 (NLT)*

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*I have no greater joy than to hear that my children are walking in the truth. 3 John 2 (NIV)*



**Series Recap:**

[April 19 - Family Roots:](#)

Whatever \_\_\_\_\_ were made in the past, \_\_\_\_\_ can overcome in the future.

[April 26 - The Incredible Father:](#)

Parent have great \_\_\_\_\_ over their children, but they do not have ultimate \_\_\_\_\_.

[May 03 - The Message In The Mess:](#)

Some of the most meaningful messages in our lives are formed in the “messes” of life. We must learn to interpret the mess correctly. In the messes of life God shows up, commitments are made, values revealed, and our hopes pursued.

“Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. <sup>25</sup> The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock. <sup>26</sup> But everyone who hears these words of mine and does not put them into practice is like a foolish man who built his house on sand. <sup>27</sup> The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell with a great crash.”  
Matthew 7:24-27 (NIV)

## Dream Home:

*Unless the LORD builds a house, the work of the builders is wasted.  
Unless the LORD protects a city, guarding it with sentries will do no good.  
Psalm 127:1 (NLT)*

*If the foundations are destroyed,  
What can the righteous do?” Psalm 11:3 (NAS)*



**Prepare for the \_\_\_\_\_ that  
come against every home.**

*The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house...Matthew 7:25a, also 7:27a (NIV)*

*The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy;  
I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly. John 10:10 (NAS)*

*Stay alert! Watch out for your great enemy, the devil. He prowls around like a roaring lion, looking for someone to devour. I Peter 5:8 (NLT)*

*A final word: Be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. <sup>11</sup> Put on all of God’s armor so that you will be able to stand firm against all strategies of the devil. <sup>12</sup> For we are not fighting against flesh-and-blood enemies, but against evil rulers and authorities of the unseen world, against mighty powers in this dark world, and against evil spirits in the heavenly places.  
Ephesians 6:10-12 (NLT)*



**Realize that the \_\_\_\_\_ of my  
life will be \_\_\_\_\_ in the storm.**

**Security and Safety are promised if I build  
upon the foundation of the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.**  
*...yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock.  
Matthew 7:25b (NIV)*

**Disaster and Distress are assured if I build  
upon the foundation of \_\_\_\_\_.**  
*...and it fell with a great crash. Matthew 7: 27b (NIV)*

**Why would anyone build on the sand?**

It’s \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, & \_\_\_\_\_.

## Taking It Home:

**Through skillful *and* godly Wisdom is a house (a life,  
a home, a family) built, and by understanding it is established  
[on a sound and good foundation]. Proverbs 24:3 (AMP)**

**I will \_\_\_\_\_ the foundation of my  
family on the Word of God, and in faith  
believe that a \_\_\_\_\_ will  
be passed on to future generations.**

*Whoever fears the LORD has a secure fortress,  
and for their children it will be a refuge. Proverbs 14:26 (NIV)*

*and you and your children and grandchildren must fear the LORD your God as long as you live. If you obey all his decrees and commands, you will enjoy a long life. Deuteronomy 6:2 (NLT)*

*But as for me and my family, we will serve the LORD.  
Joshua 24:15b (NLT)*