

Declarations for our children

Job 22: 28 KJV

Thou shalt also decree a thing, and it shall be established unto thee: and the light shall shine upon thy ways.

Therefore, in accordance with God's word, we make these declarations/prayers over our children.

For salvation:

John 3:16- 17 NIV

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.

Acts 2:38 - 39 NIV

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Jeremiah 31: 16-17

This is what the Lord says: "Restrain your voice from weeping and your eyes from tears, for your work will be rewarded," declares the Lord. "They will return from the land of the enemy. So there is hope for your descendants," declares the Lord. "Your children will return to their own land.

We pray that our children will experience the great love of God and believe in The Lord Jesus Christ as their Saviour. That because of God's promises, they will have a firm assurance of their salvation.

The promise of The Holy Spirit

Acts 2:4 NIV

All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

Acts 2:17 CSB

And it will be in the last days, says God, that I will pour out my Spirit on all people; then your sons and your daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, and your old men will dream dreams.

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Ephesians 1:17-21

I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better. I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, and his incomparably great power for us who believe. That power is the same as the mighty strength he exerted when he raised Christ from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly realms, far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every name that is invoked, not only in the present age but also in the one to come.

Our children will be filled with the Holy Spirit who will empower them to live lives of faith, lives that are pleasing to God as they know Him better.

Our children will prophesy and see visions. That they will walk in accordance with the dreams and revelations that God gives them and use these to encourage themselves and those around them.

Our children will be awake and alert to the things of God and His Kingdom.

The deep knowledge of God will help them to pray bold prayers knowing His great power for us who believe.

Godly lives

2 Timothy 1:7 & 9

For the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline. He has saved us and called us to a holy life—not because of anything we have done but because of his own purpose and grace.

Philippians 2:12-13

Therefore, my dear friends, as you have always obeyed—not only in my presence, but now much more in my absence—continue to work out your salvation with fear and trembling, for it is God who works in you to will and to act in order to fulfill his good purpose.

Proverbs 3:5-8

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him and he will make your paths straight. Do not be wise in your own eyes; fear the Lord and shun evil. This will bring health to your body and nourishment