

## MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS:

- ✓ I will memorize **Joshua 24:15 (NLT)**
- ✓ I will accept Christ for the first time
- ✓ I will join the New Life church family
- ✓ I will sign up for the next baptism

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# Family Matters

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## 3 TRAITS OF AMAZING FAMILIES

### 1. AMAZING FAMILIES CREATE \_\_\_\_\_.

Solomon: "*I commend the enjoyment of life . . .*"

**Ecclesiastes 8:15 (NIV)**

"*People ought to enjoy every day of their lives, no matter how long they live.*" **Ecclesiastes 11:8a (NCV)**

"*Enjoy life with your wife, whom you love . . .*"

**Ecclesiastes 9:9 (NIV)**

"*Children are a gift from God.*" **Psalms 127:3 (LB)**

"*I recommend having fun . . . That way you will experience some happiness along with all the hard work God gives you.*" **Ecclesiastes 8:15 (NLT)**

### 2. AMAZING FAMILIES ENCOURAGE \_\_\_\_\_.

"*Jesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and with man.*" **Luke 2:52 (NIV)**

## WHAT DO WE LEARN FROM OUR FAMILIES?

1. WHAT TO DO WITH \_\_\_\_\_
2. HOW TO HANDLE \_\_\_\_\_
3. HOW TO HANDLE \_\_\_\_\_
4. WHAT \_\_\_\_\_ MATTER MOST
5. GOOD \_\_\_\_\_

## HOW CAN WE TEACH THESE SKILLS

### ➤ THROUGH \_\_\_\_\_

Jesus: "Since I have washed your feet, you ought to wash each other's feet. I have given you an example to follow. Do as I have done to you." **John 13:14-15 (NLT)**

### ➤ THROUGH \_\_\_\_\_

"You must teach God's commandments to your children and talk about them when you are at home or out for a walk; at bedtime and the first thing in the morning." **Deuteronomy 6:7 (LB)**

### ➤ THROUGH \_\_\_\_\_

### ➤ NOT THROUGH \_\_\_\_\_

"Don't keep on scolding and nagging your children, making them angry and resentful. Instead bring them up with the loving training and teaching of the Lord." **Ephesians 6:4 (LB)**

### ➤ NOT THROUGH \_\_\_\_\_

"Each person should judge his own actions and not compare himself with others. Then he can be proud for what he himself has done." **Galatians 6:4 (NCV)**

### 3. AMAZING FAMILIES SERVE \_\_\_\_\_ AND \_\_\_\_\_

"Let us think about each other and help each other to show love and do good deeds." **Hebrews 10:24 (NCV)**

"He and all his family were devout and God-fearing; they gave generously to those in need and prayed to God regularly." **Acts 10:2 (NIV)**

### MEMORY VERSE:

"Choose today whom you will serve . . . As for me and my family, we will serve the Lord!"

**Joshua 24:15 (NLT)**

I AM \_\_\_\_\_ TO BUILDING  
AN AMAZING FAMILY.