Growing in Godly Grandparenting

Be the best grandparent that you can be. Free worksheets and activities to encourage your walk.

Introduction: This worksheet goes with the 24 Bible Verses about Grandparents blog post. It has 5 study questions and 2 activities. The study questions will help you know what the Bible requires of grandparents and find ways to grow into your calling to mentor the next generation. The activities help reinforce what you have learned.

> Grandchildren are the crown of the aged, and the glory of children is their fathers.

> > Proverbs 17:6 ESV







I have no greater joy than to hear that my children are walking in the truth. 3 John 1:4 ESV

Reflect on your legacy

Reflection Questions:

What spiritual inheritance am I leaving for my grandchildren? How can I invest in their faith journey?

Growth Step:

Write a prayer asking God to guide you in leaving a meaningful legacy of faith.



A good man leaves an inheritance to his children's children but the sinner's wealth is laid up for the righteous. Proverbs 13:22 ESV





One generation shall commend your works to another, and shall declare your mighty acts. Psalm 145:4 ESV

2. Reflect on teaching wisdom

Reflection Questions:

What life lessons or stories of God's faithfulness can I share with my grandchildren?

Growth Step:

Make a list of 2-3 stories of God's faithfulness in your life to share with your grandchildren.

Only be careful, and watch yourselves closely so that you do not forget the things your eyes have seen or let them fade from your heart as long as you live. Teach them to your children and to their children after them. Deuteronomy 4:9 NIV



And his mercy is for those who fear him from generation to generation. Luke 1:50 ESV

3. Reflect on Faithfulness

Reflection Question:

How can I model a life of trust in God's everlasting love? What issues am I trusting God for right now?

Growth Steps:

Encourage your grandchild to keep a journal of God's work in their life (answered prayer, intervention, blessings) Write a letter to your grandchildren telling of a time you chose to trust God and what the outcome was.

How great are his signs, how mighty his wonders! His kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and his dominion endures from generation to generation. Daniel 4:3 ESV



Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful. Colossians 4:2 NIV

4. Reflect on Prayer

Reflection Question:

How can I make prayer for my grandkids a daily habit?

Growth Steps:

Start a prayer journal dedicated to your grandchildren. Ask your grandkids what you can be praying about for them.



Show me Your ways, O LORD; Teach me Your paths. Lead me in Your truth and teach me, For You are the God of my salvation; On You I wait all the day. Psalm 25:4-5 NKJV



The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace. Numbers 6:24-26 NIV

5. Reflect on Blessing

Reflection Question:

What can I do to bless my grandchildren in their daily lives?

Growth Steps:

Create a personalized blessing for each grandchild and share it with them.

For the mountains may depart and the hills be removed, but my steadfast love shall not depart from you, and my covenant of peace shall not be removed," says the LORD, who has compassion on you. Isaiah 54:10 ESV



Activity I Choose your Bible verses

1. Choose 5 of your favorite Bible verses from the worksheet questions or the blog post 24 Bible Verses for Grandparents.

2. Write out each verse and explain why it's meaningful to you.

3. Pray through each verse, asking God to help you live it out in your role as a grandparent.

Verse One

What this verse means to me:



Verse Two

What this verse means to me:







Verse Three

What this verse means to me:





Verse Four

What this verse means to me:





Verse Five

What this verse means to me:



Growing in Grandparenting Activity 2 Vision Board

Create a vision board of your hopes and prayers for your grandchildren.

- Words from the Bible verses.
- Pictures or symbols that represent your prayers.
- A space for future answered prayers.

Closing Prayer

Lord, thank You for letting me be a grandparent. I know each one of my grandkids is a gift from You. Please help me to be the best grandparent I can be. Help me to live out Your Word and be a source of faith, wisdom, and love to my children and grandchildren. May the truths of Your Word shape our family for generations to come. **Amen.**



More Resources

Find these on the PrayerRaising.com website

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