PRAYER PORTION

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Come, ye **children**, hearken unto me: I will teach you the fear of the LORD. Psalm 34:11

How excellent is thy lovingkindness, O God! therefore the **children** of men put their trust under the shadow of thy wings. Psalm 36:7

Like as a father pitieth his **children**, so the LORD pitieth them that fear him. For he knoweth our frame; he remembereth that we are dust...but the mercy of the LORD is from everlasting to everlasting upon them that fear him, and his righteousness unto **children's children**. Psalm 103:13-14, 17

The LORD shall increase you more and more, you and your **children**. Ye are blessed of the LORD which made heaven and earth. The heaven, even the heavens, are the LORD'S: but the earth hath he given to the **children** of men. Psalm 115:14-16

Hear, ye **children**, the instruction of a father, and attend to know understanding. For I give you good doctrine, forsake ye not my law... Hear me now therefore, O ye **children**, and depart not from the words of my mouth. Proverbs 4:1-2, 5:7

Hearken unto me, O ye children: for blessed are they that keep my ways. Hear instruction, and be wise, and refuse it not. Proverbs 8:32-34

In the fear of the LORD is strong confidence: and his **children** shall have a place of refuge. The fear of the LORD is a fountain of life, to depart from the snares of death. Proverbs 14:26-27

The just man walketh in his integrity: his **children** are blessed after him. Proverbs 20:7

Behold, I and the **children** whom the LORD hath given me are for signs and wonders in Israel from the LORD of hosts, which dwelleth in mount Zion. Isaiah 8:18

O thou afflicted, tossed with tempest, and not comforted, behold, I will lay thy stones with fair colours, and lay thy foundations with sapphires. And I will make thy windows of agates, and thy gates of carbuncles, and all thy borders of pleasant stones. And all thy **children** shall be taught of the LORD and great shall be the peace of thy **children**. In righteousness shall thou be established: thou shalt be far from oppression; for thou shalt not fear, and from terror; for it shall not come near thee. Isaiah 54:11-14

I will mention the lovingkindnesses of the LORD, and the praises of the LORD, according to all that the LORD hath bestowed on us, and the great goodness toward the house of Israel, which he hath bestowed on them according to his mercies, and according to the multitude of his lovingkindnesses. For he said, Surely they are my people, children that will not lie: so he was their Saviour. In all their affliction he was afflicted, and the angel of his presence saved them: in his love and in his pity he redeemed them; and he bare them, and carried them all the days of old. Isaiah 63:7-9

Behold, I will gather them out of all countries, whither I have driven them in mine anger, and in my fury, and in great wrath; and I will bring them again unto this place, and I will cause them to dwell safely: And they shall be my people, and I will be their God: And I will give them one heart, and one way, that they may fear me for ever, for the good of them, and of their children after them: and I will make an everlasting covenant with them, that I will not turn away from them, to do them good; but I will put my fear in their hearts, that they shall not depart from me. yea, I will rejoice over them to do them good, and I will plant them in this land assuredly with my whole heart and with my whole soul. For thus saith the LORD; Like as I have brought all this great evil upon this people, so will I bring upon them all the good that I have promised them. Jeremiah 32:37-41

The Lord will not cast off for ever: But though he cause grief, yet will he have compassion according to the multitude of his mercies. For he doth not afflict willingly nor grieve the **children** of men. Lamentations 3:31-33

Jesus said, Suffer little **children**, and forbid them not, to come unto me: for of such is the kingdom of heaven. And he laid his hands on them, and departed thence. Matthew 19:14-15

And he took a **child**, and set him in the midst of them: and when he had taken him in his arms, he said unto them. Whosoever shall receive one of such **children** in my name, receiveth me: and whosoever shall receive me, receiveth not me, but him that sent me. Mark 9:37

If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children: how much more shall your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to them that ask him? Luke 11:13

For the promise is unto you, and to your **children**, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the Lord our God shall call. Acts 2:39

For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God. For ye have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear; but ye have received the Spirit of adoption, whereby we cry, Abba, Father. The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the **children** of God. And if **children**, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint heirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together. Romans 8:14-17

They which are the **children** of the flesh, these are not the **children** of God: but the **children** of the promise are counted for the seed. Romans 9:8

For ye are all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus. Galatians 3:26

Now therefore ye are no more strangers and foreigners, but fellowcitizens with the saints, and of **the household** of God... Ephesians 2:19

Be ye therefore followers of God, as dear **children**; and walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us, and hath given himself for us...For ye were sometimes darkness, but now are ye light in the Lord: walk as **children** of light... Ephesians 5:1-2, 8

Ye know how we exhorted and comforted and charged every one of you, as a father doth his **children**, that ye would walk worthy of God, who hath called you into his kingdom and glory. 1 Thessalonians 2:11-12

My little **children**, these things write I unto you, that ye sin not. And if any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous... And hereby we do know that we know him, if we keep his commandments...I write unto you, little **children**, because your sins are forgiven you for his name's sake...And now, little **children**, abide in him; that, when he shall appear, we may have confidence, and not be ashamed before him at his coming. And if ye know he is righteous, ye know that every one that doeth righteousness is born of him. 1 John 2:1-3, 12, 29-29

Ye are of God, little **children**, and have overcome them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world... Whosoever believeth that Jesus is the Christ is born of God: and every one that loveth him that begat loveth him also that is begotten of him. By this we know that we love the **children** of God, when we love God, and keep his commandments. 1 John 4:4, 5:1-2