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This list is a short list of some of the greatest promises in the Bible. Claim these verses when you pray for your children. Circle your children in prayer and thank God for hearing and answering your prayers!

The following verses are all taken from the New International Version.

2 Peter 3:9

The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. Instead he is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance.

Philippians 1:6

...being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.

Proverbs 22:6

*Start children off on the way they should go,
and even when they are old they will not turn from it.*

1 John 5:14-15

This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. And if we know that he hears us—whatever we ask—we know that we have what we asked of him.

Psalms 28:7

*The LORD is my strength and my shield;
my heart trusts in him, and he helps me.
My heart leaps for joy,
and with my song I praise him.*

2 Corinthians 12:9

But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me.

Isaiah 40:11

*He tends his flock like a shepherd:
He gathers the lambs in his arms
and carries them close to his heart,
he gently leads those that have young.*

Psalms 121:1-4

*I lift up my eyes to the mountains—
where does my help come from?
My help comes from the LORD,
the Maker of heaven and earth.*

*He will not let your foot slip—
he who watches over you will not slumber;
indeed, he who watches over Israel
will neither slumber nor sleep.*

1 Peter 5:6-7

Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time. Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you.

Isaiah 26:3-4

*You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are steadfast,
because they trust in you. Trust in the LORD forever,
for the LORD, the LORD himself, is the Rock eternal.*

Luke 2:52

And Jesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man.

Matthew 11:28-30

“Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.”

Hebrews 4:16

Let us then approach God’s throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

Galatians 6:9

Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.

Joshua 24:15

But if serving the LORD seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served beyond the Euphrates, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you are living. But as for me and my household, we will serve the LORD.”

Deuteronomy 28:1

If you fully obey the LORD your God and carefully follow all his commands I give you today, the LORD your God will set you high above all the nations on earth.

Psalm 37:26

*They are always generous and lend freely;
their children will be a blessing.*

Isaiah 44:3

*For I will pour water on the thirsty land,
and streams on the dry ground;
I will pour out my Spirit on your offspring,
and my blessing on your descendants.*

Ezekiel 34:26

*I will make them and the places surrounding my hill a blessing. I
will send down showers in season; there will be showers of blessing.*

Psalm 17:8

*Keep me as the apple of your eye;
hide me in the shadow of your wings*

Matthew 7:7

*Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and
the door will be opened to you.*

Exodus 20:12

*Honor your father and your mother, so that you may live long in the
land the LORD your God is giving you.*

Ecclesiastes 3:11

*He has made everything beautiful in its time. He has also set eternity
in the human heart; yet no one can fathom what God has done from
beginning to end.*

Psalm 125:2

*As the mountains surround Jerusalem,
so the LORD surrounds his people
both now and forevermore.*

Jeremiah 29:11-13

For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.

John 14:14

You may ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it.

Psalm 139:5

*You hem me in behind and before,
and you lay your hand upon me.*

Psalm 141:3-4

*Set a guard over my mouth, LORD;
keep watch over the door of my lips.
Do not let my heart be drawn to what is evil
so that I take part in wicked deeds
along with those who are evildoers;
do not let me eat their delicacies.*

Joshua 1:9

Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go.”

Psalm 20:4

*May he give you the desire of your heart
and make all your plans succeed.*

Isaiah 41:10

*So do not fear, for I am with you;
do not be dismayed, for I am your God.
I will strengthen you and help you;
I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.*

Psalm 1:1-3

*¹ Blessed is the one
who does not walk in step with the wicked
or stand in the way that sinners take
or sit in the company of mockers,
² but whose delight is in the law of the LORD,
and who meditates on his law day and night.
³ That person is like a tree planted by streams of water,
which yields its fruit in season
and whose leaf does not wither—
whatever they do prospers.*

Joshua 23:14

*Now I am about to go the way of all the earth. You know with all
your heart and soul that not one of all the good promises the LORD
your God gave you has failed. Every promise has been fulfilled; not
one has failed.*

Additional Promises...