

# Growing Kids God's Way

*Children are an inheritance from the Lord. They are a reward from him...Blessed is the man who has filled his quiver with them.*

Psalm 127:3,5 GW

## 1. Kids are a God-given blessing.

*Children are an inheritance from the Lord.*

Psalm 127:3

*May you live to see your children's children.*

Psalm 128:6 GW

## 2. Kids are a God-given partnership.

*If the LORD does not build the house, it is useless for the builders to work on it.*

Psalm 127:1 GW

*It is useless to work hard for the food you eat by getting up early and going to bed late. The LORD gives [food] to those he loves while they sleep.*

Psalm 127:2 GW

## 3. Kids need God-given leadership.

*The children born to a man when he is young are like arrows in the hand of a warrior.*

Psalm 127:4 GW

*Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it.*

Proverbs 22:6 NIV

## How to Lead a Child:

- Teach them to obey
- Teach them to think
- Teach them to stand
- Teach them to dream
- Teach them to believe

### 4. Kids are a generational blessing.

*“As for me, this is my covenant with them,” says the LORD.  
“My Spirit, who is on you, will not depart from you, and my words that I have put in your mouth will always be on your lips, on the lips of your children and on the lips of their descendants—from this time on and forever,” says the LORD.*

Isaiah 59:21