

HOW TO BLESS YOUR CHILD

Genesis 27:25-38

HOW CAN WE COMMUNICATE THE BLESSING?

5 Ways to Bless Your Children

❖ *Meaningful TOUCH.*

(Genesis 27:26-27, Matthew 18:6-7, Mark 10:14, 16 CEB)

◆ *Spoken WORDS*

(Proverbs 18:21, James 3:5, Proverbs 3:27)

☒ *Affirming VALUE*

(Genesis 27:27, Psalm 127:3-5 CEB)

☒ *SPIRITUAL Encouragement*

(Genesis 27:28, James 1:17, Deut 6:6-9 NLT)

⌘ *PROSPEROUS Vision*

(Genesis 27:28-29, 1 Chronicles 4:10)

HOW DO YOU LIVE WITHOUT THE BLESSING?

2 Things to Diligently Pursue

❖ *Listen to your SPIRITUAL LEADERS*

(1 Thessalonians 2:7-8, 11-13)

◆ *Listen to your HEAVENLY FATHER*

(Matthew 3:16-17)

Current Series: #FamilySOS

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3. Affirming value to those around you is important and responsibility gives opportunities to affirm value. What are some examples of responsibilities that could be distributed among the family that could give opportunities to affirm value?

4. What are some ways to help your children and spouse grow in their spiritual journey?

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