

faith & family

Life Source

Family Devotions

Hopefully your preteen is beginning to develop a habit of personal devotions. But there are still plenty of times when your input is needed—and valued. Encourage your child to read the daily Scriptures. Read the verses yourself. Use the questions to help your preteen understand the verses and apply them to life. Discover and learn from God’s Word—together!

- **SUNDAY**—Read Romans 8:5-10.
What are the differences between people who are controlled by sin and those who are controlled by God’s Holy Spirit? When others look at our family, what kind of desires do they see in us?
- **MONDAY**—Read Romans 15:13-17.
How do you think that the power of the Holy Spirit brings hope? Do you consider your life an “offering acceptable to God”? Why or why not?
- **TUESDAY**—Read 1 Corinthians 6:19, 20.
If you are a Christian, your body is “a temple of the Holy Spirit.” How should we treat our bodies differently because of this truth?
- **WEDNESDAY**—Read 2 Corinthians 1:21, 22.
What does it mean if someone puts a deposit on a house or a car? What is God guaranteeing when He puts His Holy Spirit in our hearts?
- **THURSDAY**—Read Galatians 5:16-25.
Look through the list of attitudes that are part of the Holy Spirit’s fruit. Do these attitudes describe our family? Are there attitudes or actions we need to get rid of so that the Holy Spirit can develop good fruit in our lives?

- **FRIDAY**—Read 2 Thessalonians 2:13-17.
Sanctify means to “set something apart for a special purpose.” What purpose has God set you apart for? Are you allowing Him to use you fully for that purpose?
- **SATURDAY**—Read 2 Corinthians 3:12-18.
In what ways can the Holy Spirit bring freedom into your life? Do you see your life reflecting God’s glory through the presence of the Holy Spirit?



POWER SURGE

Find these verses in the Bible.
Together, memorize the verses.
Ephesians 4:4-6

Talk to God! He’s waiting to hear from you!