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THE GIFT OF FAMILY
GOD'S GIFTS TO Us – Part 1 OF 7

GOD'S GIFT OF FAMILY

1. FAMILY IS A PLACE OF _____

And the Lord God said, "It isn't good for man to be alone; I will make a companion for him, a helper suited to his needs." Gen. 2:18 (LB)

2. FAMILY IS A PLACE OF _____

When he came to his senses, he said, "How many of my father's hired servants have food to spare, and here I am starving to death." Luke 15:17

3. FAMILY IS A PLACE OF _____

Listen, my son, to your father's instruction and do not forsake your mother's teaching. Prov. 1:8

4. FAMILY IS A PLACE OF _____

Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger by the way you treat them. Rather, bring them up with the discipline and instruction that comes from the Lord. Eph. 6:4 (NLT)

THE GIFT IS BROKEN

1. _____ ALL THAT IS GOOD

When Adam sinned, sin entered the entire human race. His sin spread death throughout all the world, so everything began to grow old and die, for all sinned. Rom. 12:5 (LB)

2. _____ ALL THAT IS BROKEN

For God was in Christ, restoring the world to himself, no longer counting men's sins against them but blotting them out. This is the wonderful message he has given us to tell others. 2 Cor. 5:19 (LB)

THE GIFT OF GOD'S FAMILY

[You] are no longer strangers and foreigners. You are citizens along with all of God's holy people. You are members of God's family. Eph. 2:19 (NLT)

Whoever does what my Father in heaven wants him to do is my brother, my sister, and my mother. Matt. 12:50 (GN)

1. GOD'S FAMILY _____

My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command. John 15:12-14

No one has ever seen God. But if we love each other, God lives in us, and his love is truly in our hearts. 1 John 4:12

2. GOD'S FAMILY _____

Warmly welcome each other into the church, just as Christ has warmly welcomed you; then God will be glorified. Rom. 15:7 (LT)

Always be humble and gentle. Be patient with each other, making allowance for each other's faults because of your love. Eph. 4:2 (NLT)

3. GOD'S FAMILY _____

Dear brothers, if a Christian is overcome by some sin, you who are godly should gently and humbly help him back onto the right path, remembering that next time it might be one of you who is in the wrong. Gal. 6:1 (LB)

4. GOD'S FAMILY _____

Do your best to improve your faith. You can do this by adding goodness, understanding, self-control, patience, devotion to God, concern for others, and love. If you keep growing in this way, it will show that what you know about our Lord Jesus Christ has made your lives useful and meaningful. 2 Pet. 1:5-8 (CEV)