



THE SEASON OF PARENTING

Growing in the Seasons of Life
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"Children are a gift from the Lord." Psalm 127:3 (GNT)

WHAT KIDS NEED MOST FROM PARENTS

1. KIDS NEED _____

"Practice loving each other, for love comes from God." 1 John 4:7 (TLB)

2. KIDS NEED _____

"You must teach them to your children and talk about them when you are at home or out for a walk; at bedtime and the first thing in the morning."

Deuteronomy 6:7 (TLB)

3. KIDS NEED _____

"Correct your children while there is still hope; do not let them destroy themselves."

Proverbs 19:18 (NCV)

"Do not use harmful words, but only helpful words, the kind that build up."

Ephesians 4:29 (GNT)

4. KIDS NEED _____

"Don't scold your children so much that they become discouraged and quit trying."

Colossians 3:21 (TLB)

"If you love someone . . . you will always believe in him, always expect the best of him." 1 Corinthians 13:7 (TLB)

5. KIDS NEED _____

"People ought to enjoy every day of their lives, no matter how long they live."

Ecclesiastes 11:8 (NCV)

6. KIDS NEED _____

"Whoever can be trusted with a little can also be trusted in a lot. . . . And if you cannot be trusted with things that belong to someone else, who will give you things of your own?" Luke 16:10, 12 (NCV)

7. KIDS NEED _____

"The Lord is trustworthy in all he promises and faithful in all he does."

Psalm 145:13 (NIV)

"It takes wisdom to have a good family, and it takes understanding to make it strong." Proverbs 24:3 (NCV)

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