

### \*IDENTIFY YOUR CLASS\*

Fathers,

You are not in the same class with the devil, for you are seated in heavenly places far above him.

Therefore, stop debating and dialoguing your inheritance with him, just take all that is yours.

For whatsoever is ABOVE is above ALL THINGS.

You are ABOVE SICKNESS.

You are ABOVE LACK.

You are ABOVE SHAME.

You are ABOVE ALL THINGS.

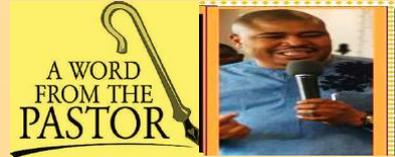
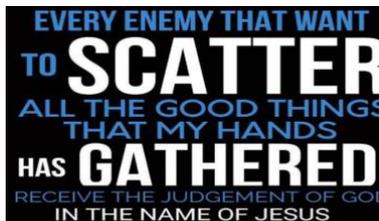
It's your SEASON OF .....

A CHANGE OF LEVEL.



Mother's Day: Daddy take us out.  
Father's Day: Daddy take us out.  
Children's Day: Daddy take us out.  
Mummy's birthday: Daddy take us out.  
Daddy's birthday: Daddy take us out.  
Children's birthday: Daddy take us out.

Who will take Daddy out now?



Rev Dare Oluwaniyi.

### Safety in God's Goodness

In C. S. Lewis's *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*, Susan asks Mr. Beaver if Aslan—the lion representing Jesus—is safe. He answers, "Safe? ... Who said anything about safe? 'Course he isn't safe. But he's good. He's the King, I tell you."

Through allegory, Lewis implies that while God isn't "safe" in the way we often think of the word, we can always rely on His goodness.

This is apparent throughout Scripture. In *Genesis* alone, we see Noah enduring a boat ride on deadly floodwaters, Isaac nearly sacrificed by his father Abraham, and Joseph sold, falsely accused, and imprisoned (Gen. 7:17; Gen. 22:12; Gen. 37:28-36; Gen. 39:1-20).

And all this happened when people were faithful to God—not as punishment or consequences of going astray.

But we know how these stories end: God came through for His children. God won't give us the things we want whenever we want them—so sometimes we'll feel exposed and vulnerable. And we might not hear from Him when we pray. But we can rest assured that our Father's love and goodness are always with us.

Think about it: If you've been praying for a need, what has God been saying, and how will it affect your decisions?

Or, if you haven't heard from Him yet, what might He be saying through His silence?

I pray every person working against the plan and purpose of God in your life be exposed in the name of Jesus!

### \*A Time to Reflect\*

Our journey through life is never a smooth sail  
Our patience doesn't make us less of a lower being  
When you open your eyes you will see deeply

The Rich has become Poor

The Poor has become Rich

Truthful men are been castigated into exile

Evil is now seen as Good

Children abandon their parents

Stammerers now talk

Lizards lie face up

The Peacock has gone bald

Partridge Birds have become beautiful

Humans now walk on Four Legs

Liars have become Rulers

**BUT GOD REMAINS THE SAME YESTERDAY, TODAY AND FOREVER.**

Stop sitting around tables that speak evil about others...

When u leave, u are the next topic.

**The Father's Day is a day of commemoration and celebration of Dad -the special man in our life.** We often forget the sacrifice of our fathers and the roles they have played in shaping our lives. Father's Day gives us the opportunity to show and express our love and care to this man, who deserves our support most. Father's Day is the most appropriate platform to make us look beyond 'our own' family and honour the man who brought us joy and happiness. It is a day to honour not only your father, but all men who have acted as a father figure in your life – whether as Stepfathers, Uncles, Grandfathers, or "Big Brothers."

**The word 'Father' is often used to honour spiritual leaders, inventors and originator of an idea, product, service or person.** It is so, that fathers have always been associated with guidance and protection, as the person who can be loved, respected and looked up to.

Let's use the Father's Day to let these special men know what place they have in our lives and what influence they have on us.

Parents can tell but never teach, until they practice what they preach.  
It is a tragedy of our time that many become parents before they cease being children.

Parents should always remember that someday their children will follow their example instead of their advice.

The accent's on youth, but the stress is on parents, especially Fathers.

# **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**TOPIC:** GOD REVEALED HIMSELF TO ISRAEL AS THE ONLY TRUE GOD XII

**TEXT:** I Corinthians 10:1-14

**MEMORY VERSE:** 1 Corinthians 10:5 "But with many of them God was not well pleased: for they were overthrown in the wilderness."

**INTRODUCTION:** One of the reasons God's promises, laws, ordinances, and commandments are conditional is that disobedience to them, breaking the laws and refusal to adhere strictly to God's commandments will always attract consequences. So, we will end this section with more of the consequences of disobeying God in the wilderness.

## **LESSON**

### **CONSEQUENCES OF WORSHIPPING IDOLS IN THE WILDERNESS (II)**

According to I Corinthians 10:1-7,

1. Why were the children of Israel overthrown in the wilderness?
2. Why is it difficult for the Holy God to be well pleased with His people?
3. As a child of God, how do you understand this verse "Now these things were our examples to the intent we should not lust after evil things as they also lusted"?  
As a child of God, how can you relate this verse eleven to our worldly challenges? Are we learning from their mistakes?

Let the class discuss I Corinthians 10:12-14.

What lessons can we as today's Christian learn from Numbers 14:28-35?

According to the above passage, our actions and words are not hiding from God. Yes/No.

What saved Caleb and Joshua from the wrath of God?

According to Numbers 14:23-24,

1. What did Caleb have that others don't have?
2. What did Caleb do that others did not do?
3. Compare the above passage with Isaiah 1:19-20

Read Deuteronomy 31:16-21

1. Why did the Israelites allow this evil prediction to come to?
2. "Take heed unto thyself and unto the doctrine, continue in them: for in doing this thou shalt both save thyself and them that hear thee." How can a Christian take heed?
3. Compare Deuteronomy 31:20-21 with I Timothy 4:1 and II Timothy 3:1-5. What similarities do we find therein?
4. What other consequences can you think of, that happens to the Israelites as a result of Idol worshipping in the wilderness?
5. What other consequences can you think of that is happening to us nowadays Christian as a result of idol worshipping in this present day?



**CONCLUSION:** "But the Lord is the true God, he is the Living God and an everlasting king: at his wrath, the earth shall tremble and the nations shall not be able to abide his indignation. Thus shall ye say unto them, "The gods that have not made the heavens and the earth even they shall perish from the earth and from under these heavens. He hath made the earth by his power, he hath established the world by his wisdom and hath straddled out of heavens by his discretion." Jeremiah 10:10-12.

### **\*MARRY A WIFE NOT A VIRGIN\***

Some guys think virginity makes a good wife. Virginity is just a pride to a woman. After your first copulation, it will exist no more. So don't marry because she is a virgin, marry because she's a wife. A good wife, is a crown of the husband. Seek that good wife.

Womanhood is a cycle: daughter to wife to mother. Any lady who fails as a daughter is a mistake for a wife.

Because a lady is trained as a daughter to become the crown of her husband. Marrying a virgin is a pride but it does not guarantee successful marriage. Seek the good qualities that make a woman a wife.

To those of you guys who are single, find a wife, I mean a good wife. Don't ruin your marriage for the want of a virgin. Virginity does not guarantee a successful marriage.... And for the virgins, acquire the good qualities of a wife, don't make that pride you kept so long to the last day, become a waste.

### **Birthdays**

Anna-Marie Atabong	2 <sup>nd</sup> June
Clifford Gere.	4 <sup>th</sup> June
Aliya Mitchell.	7 <sup>th</sup> June
Olagoke Mark Olaniyan	18 <sup>th</sup> June
Miss Sasha Pascoe.	15 <sup>th</sup> June
Parvina Habeeb	15 <sup>th</sup> June
Emmanuela Mintah	19 <sup>th</sup> June
Sr Kemi Odesanmi	19 <sup>th</sup> June
Daniel Wilson	20 <sup>th</sup> June
Elizabeth Gere.	24 <sup>th</sup> June

### **Wedding Anniversaries:**

**NIL**

*If your name is not included and your birthday or wedding anniversary is soon, see the pastor.*

### **\*MEN NEED TO READ THIS HOME POLITICS:\***

I want to shake family tables today by sharing this...

Men in the house try to be more active in family politics or else you'll regret in old age. Ladies always play their family politics very well and that is why most kids always love their Mom more than Dad?

As a child when you do wrong instead of some mom to discipline you, they would threaten you with "wait let your father come back". It gives kids the wrong impression that their father is a wicked man and that is why most kids panic when their Dad is home.

Mister, tell your wife to discipline the kids whenever they are wrong and never wait until you're back.

Most men always give their wife money to buy the kids' clothes and shoes. Hey! You're doing harm to yourself.

From today pick your kids' sizes and begin to make some shopping by yourself or else you'll only be drinking local brew from your kids in old age.

Try to drop your kids at school when free and visit their school whenever time permits.

If possible prepare delicious family meal on Sundays that you're free and invite your kids to eat with you whenever they're around.

Men, you've got to step up into family politics and play a caring role. Also, don't allow your business to rob you of your relationship with your kids or else you'll be seen as a wicked daddy and bear the brunt in old age.

But if you like, stay there and claim high Chief and hard man status while your wife is busy colonizing the heart of the kids.

### **\*THE WOUND OF A FATHER:\***

A true father goes through many unspeakable experiences to continue to be a father.

When he goes out daily in search of bread for his household, he sustains many mental injuries he does not discuss with his family.

His wife and children may not be able to stand the pains he goes through if he shares it with them.

The insults from his boss, the embarrassment from his customers, the harassment from his superiors, etc. Yet he can't quit, because he has bills to pay.

Most times, when he gets home, he is welcomed with nags and unending requests, as well as embarrassment. He gets blamed for not being able to meet up, or for not being able to be like his fellow men.

Hmmm! He is rarely appreciated for his struggles and push just to keep the family together.

Some men have secretly dipped their hands in so many things they can't discuss with their families. Some have stolen, embezzled and borrowed so much that they live in inexpressible guilt every day and still keep going.

A real father can take anything just to keep food on the table for his household. An adage says "goat sweats but his hair does not let people see his sweat". Many men are sweating but no one is seeing their sweat because they have a car, a house, a job, etc. Yet, when it comes to celebrating him, it is done casually in most cases.

He may not have breasts to breastfeed, yet everyone sucks from his unseen breasts.

He may not carry pregnancy for nine months, but he's always pregnant with family needs every now and then.

He may not know how labour pain feels, but his pains are more than physical.

Tears may not be in his eyes, but he bleeds from inside when he has no means to put food on the table for his household.

His shout, hostility and moods are not premeditated, they are fallout of what he goes through. So, he is going through a lot not for his own sake but his family largely.

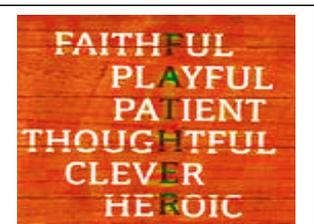
Please understand him.

To all responsible fathers out there, as you go out this morning to search for what you need to take care of your responsibility, God in His infinite mercy will ease your task, and provide in abundance every now and then.

### **A Broken Man**

We often think men are strong when it comes to the matters of the heart. Unlike a woman whose heart gets Broken and gets her groove back. A broken man is as good as dead. He pretends to be strong but then the healing process takes forever.

Marc Anthony song explains better: in a bid to find a woman to mend his broken heart he ends up with several flings every day every night. Don't blame a Broken Man...



**LET  
US  
PRAY**

**A.S.A.P.**  
*always say a prayer*

I fervently pray for you this morning that every raging storm in your home be it visible or secret, shall cease in the mighty name of Jesus. The peace of God which passeth all understanding will come into your home. You will not know sorrow this year and beyond.

Sandals and shoes of condolences will not be gathered at your doorstep. You will end this year in peace and good health. The Almighty God will fight your battle in the mighty name of Jesus.

I pray for you today that as the onion gets fresher at the unfolding of each layer, every new day in your life will unfold with fresh testimonies of God's goodness, favour and blessings. In Jesus Mighty Name.

Good morning, the beloved of God. Have a great and blessed day.

## PRAYER POINTS

1. Every household wickedness, attempting to re-arrange my destiny, fall down and die, in Jesus' name.
2. My destiny is attached to God; therefore, I decree that I can never fail, in the name of Jesus.
3. I refuse, to be programmed against my divine destiny, in the name of Jesus.
4. Every spirit of Herod, be disgraced, in the name of Jesus.
5. Every spirit of Goliath, receive the stones of fire, in the name of Jesus.
6. Every spirit of Pharaoh, fall into the Red Sea of your own making, in the name of Jesus.
7. All satanic manipulations aimed at changing my destiny, be frustrated, in the name of Jesus.
8. All unprofitable broadcasters of my goodness, be silenced, in the name of Jesus.

## TURN BACK TO GOD

### Give Someone An Affectionate Word Today

Man is in search of love and identity, least for money. He is stuffed with unending passion and feelings. When his feelings are realized he feels satisfaction, when denied he becomes worst. When I appreciate my close guy he would say thanks or would at least giggle or grin at me. Gospel says, Love one another... what does that word really mean? It is beyond words. If the young ones are not given care and love they will search for love which would take them astray from real love and warmth.

We even trumpet of the love of God... but what really is that? Is it enough that we say, Love, love and Love...? Everyone was meant to share God's unending love and care. **The difference between our love and God's love is that; if we seek for human love that may sprout and cheer at us for sometimes, but gradually fades off... but the love of God is unending.**

Human beings are equipped with full of emotions in the form of frustrations, love and concern. But what happens is, we are not able to identify them in proper mood or time. You wish to love a person; but why don't you not feel that closeness to everyone... Just think of a business day; we meet n number of persons may be in our office or surroundings. The point is all those might have come for the same purpose. Out of many whom we see we remember only two or three... that is what is closeness of heart, may be their look, talk, behaviour all these things had an influence on us.

### Hug – The Symbol of Pure Love

Americans express their love by sharing a Hug – A symbol of pure love, the pure expression of concern and care for others. According to Indian tradition we receive each other by our open mind with a motto "Aditi Devo Bhava". So in which ever tradition we look the expression of love, care and consideration can be found. If all these are a symbol of love and care I believe it is from God, almighty who asked us to love and console each other.

So, God made hugs, a special sign. And symbol of his love is Divine, A circle of open arms, to hold in love and keep out harm. One simple hug can do its part. To warm and cheer another's heart. A hug is a bit of heaven above. That signifies HIS perfect love.

Social Scientist Virginia Satir says that, four hugs a day will help you survive the blues, but a dozen is better. Speaking to the annual meeting of Ortho psychiatric association she said more would make people happier. She said that four daily hugs were essential for survival, eight for good for maintenance and twelve for growth. Our pores and places for messages for love and being able to have physical contact is very important. Just imagine a desperate man feeling loneliness... When he feels that someone care me... It is enough for him to get out of his gloom. Just hold him and say do not worry dear, that word itself would work miracles.

### A little affection can say so much

Affection feels so nice and has a wonderful way of lifting your spirit and brightening your day. It is so encouraging and uplifting. A little affection can say so much and go a long way. It communicates love – you can feel someone else love through the affection they share with you.

Tactile expression of love requires no extra time. It is easily bestowed while other activities are going on. As you walk through the house and family member, it does not take extra time to draw and affectionate hand across that person's shoulder. There are many sweet ways to show what we mean to one another, without taking time to do so. Such small gestures carry large meanings.

So, finally let me ask you one thing, "Have you had an affection to someone today?" If not do it, It demands nothing from you, but it means a lot to one who receive the same. **So stretch those arms without delay. And give someone an affectionate word today.**

# Fathers' Day Special

## Father's Day: A New Twist on an Old Day

Does the third Sunday in June ring a bell with you? Probably not, although it has been celebrated every year for almost a century as Father's Day.

We seem to have a day for almost everyone and everything to be honored, so why not fathers? Ironically, the idea for Father's Day all started when a lady heard a Mother's Day sermon and decided that she didn't want all that her dad had done for her to go unrecognized. When you think about Father's Day, what comes to your mind? Can you relate to the lady who was concerned about taking her father for granted?

Honoring fathers is important. After all, the Bible commands us to honor them; but, this year, think of Father's Day with a new twist. Take some time to consider all your Heavenly Father has done for you and how you might be taking Him for granted.

### The model father

God Almighty is your Heavenly Father, and He is the perfect example of what it means to be a dad. Looking at each of the letters that make up the word "father," consider some of the characteristics that set Him apart and provide a model for our human dads.

**F** -Forgiveness is a huge part of your relationship with your Father. He is willing and able to forgive you of any sin you commit if you will only ask Him. It's comforting to know that nothing you do is ever so bad that God won't forgive you (Romans 8:38-39; 1 John 1:9). Now, that's unconditional acceptance.

**A** -He is active in your life all the time. God is always at work around you. Ask God to show you what He is doing. You will be amazed at all that is going on. More important, the invitation is open for you to get involved with Him. You never have to wait for your turn to be active with God (John 5:17).

**T** -Time for you. While humans get too busy to do this or that, God always has time for you. Whenever you feel lonely, struggle with a problem, want to share a thought, or need to deal with a concern, He is there for you. You can't find a time in your day when He is too busy to talk or listen to you (Jeremiah 33:3).

**H** -The heart of the matter is that God knows your heart, and He loves you anyway. Proverbs tells us that the heart is deceitful above all things. Many people don't like to be around you if you aren't in a good mood or if you make mistakes. God wants to hang out with you anytime, and He alone is able to change your heart to be all you were created to be (1 John 4:9-10, 19).

**E** -Everywhere sums up God's place in your life. If you're a Christian, there is nowhere you can go where He isn't with you. It can be encouraging to realize that when you are in a tough place in your life, He is right there with you. Whether other people are there or not, God is by your side (Romans 8:35-39).

**R** -Rest and Read. These are two areas where most people could use a little work. Rest is important to you because it's easy to become so busy that you don't take time with the Lord. He wants you to set aside daily time to rest in Him and to read His Word. The Bible is His letter to His children. The best way to get to know your Father is to spend quality time resting and reading all about Him in the Word (John 14:21; Psalm 46:10).

All these attributes of God's character make Him who He is. If you have been blessed with an earthly dad who has a lot in common with our Heavenly Father, be grateful. If you have missed out on a relationship with an earthly dad, be thankful that God is there for you and wants to meet the needs in your life.

Let God know how much He means to you.

**I delete my name from the generation of \*men\* who labour and die at the beginning of their harvest.**

**I delete myself from the order of \*men\* who work and another enjoys their labour.**

**I belong to the order of \*men\* who live to a full ripe old age.**

**I belong to the generation who sees their children's children up to the fourth generation.**

**I belong to the generation of \*men\* who will not die without fulfilling the Lord's counsel and purpose for their lives.**

**To all \*men\* in the house**

**If you believe in this confession of faith, bless others with if you like!**

**HAPPY FATHER'S DAY  
GOOD MORNING**

to all the dads on earth, to the  
dads in heaven,  
grand-dads,  
foster dads,  
step-dads and  
part-time dads.  
put your feet up  
and have a super relaxing day.



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Giving Thanks to God

**DOWN**

- Quality God loves along with justice
- Always keeps his promises
- Great \_\_\_\_\_ above all other gods
- Spoke everything into existence
- Made everything, including us

**ACROSS**

- Came to save us from sin
- Never changes
- Cannot sin and hates sin
- Fair according to who he is
- Cares for us like lost sheep
- Gives every \_\_\_\_\_ and perfect gift
- Steadfast and lasting forever

Bible Wordsearch

Teachings of Jesus

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Matt. 12:41-50

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 HOUSE JUDGMENT  
 JESUS MOTHER  
 JONAH NINEVEH  
 LISTEN OUTSIDE  
 ORDER PLACES  
 QUEEN POINTING  
 REST REPENTED  
 RISE REPLIED  
 SEVEN RETURN  
 SISTER SEEKING  
 SPEAK SOLOMON  
 STOOD SPIRITS  
 SWEEP STANDING  
 TAKES WANTING

After you find all the hidden words the left over letters spell out a Bible verse reading from the top left to the bottom right

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Bible Trivia Questions

- The Lord covenanted: "If ye will obey my voice indeed and keep my covenant, then ye shall be a \_\_\_\_\_ unto me above all people;" (Exodus 19:5)  
 a. holy race b. blessed people c. peculiar treasure d. precious nation.
- Why were Nadab and Abihu slain by the Lord? (Leviticus 10:1-2)  
 a. They stole from the tabernacle b. They plotted against Moses c. They performed unauthorized sacrifices d. They defiled the Sabbath.
- How many people survived from Sinai to the plains of Moab (near Jericho)? (Numbers 26:64-65)  
 a. 150 b. 601,730 c. 2 d. 20
- When rods were placed in the tabernacle of witness, what grew on Aaron's rod? (Numbers 17:8)  
 a. Olives b. Moss c. Almonds d. Thorns
- What was the "antidote" for the venom of the fiery serpents that bit the children of Israel? (Numbers 21:9)  
 a. Receive a blessing from the high priest b. Perform a healing offering c. Look at a brass serpent d. Bathe in the river 7 times
- What did Abraham have to do so the Lord wouldn't destroy Sodom? (Genesis 18:23-32)  
 a. preach in the city for forty days b. find ten righteous people living in it c. organize and army and kill all the wicked people d. fast for forty days
- Abram was a descendant of which of Noah's three sons? (Genesis 11:10-26)  
 a. Ham b. Peleg c. Japheth d. Shem
- Does Nehemiah come before or after Ezra?  
 a. Before b. After
- Does Job come before or after Psalms?  
 a. Before b. After
- Did Judges come before or after Ruth?  
 a. Before b. After

Bible Trivia Answers.

- c. peculiar treasure (2) c. They performed unauthorized sacrifices (3) c. 2 (4) c. Almonds (5) c. Look at a brass serpent (6) b. find ten righteous people living in it (7) d. Shem (8) b. After (9) a. Before (10) a. Before

Late last year, I attended a workshop and there is this one speaker Dr. Wafula whose joke still lingers in my mind to date. He cracked this joke in his closing remarks.

He started by asking his audience: "Who should pay family bills and take care of the children? Who is to pay the school fees of children? Who should toil to provide for the home? The whole audience shouted. "Daddy!"  
Who should the child buy a car for after graduation? The women answered loudly. "Mommy!"  
Who should be invited to America if a child is rich and works abroad? "Mother of course", roared the women in the audience. Who should die first among the parents? Daddy, all the women in the hall screamed.

Truly and sadly such is the fate of any responsible man in life.

When a lady is single and has four problems and her fiancée has six problems, immediately they get married, the man's problems become ten automatically, as the man immediately starts to carry the family problems!  
Men are made to struggle to take care of family problems, children's education, home maintenance and virtually all provisions of life. Women are only there to help you.

Due to these challenges and the unending struggles, men tend to wear out faster and probably die early as a result of stress...\*

Hence, it is important for men to ensure that they do not allow their wives to push them into unsustainable family commitments and expensive lifestyles that he knows he cannot afford or cope with in the long run...  
If you do, you run the risk of stress and continuous family unrest. Ensure you take the right decisions at all times.

Do not kill yourself to either impress and or satisfy your wife.

If you suddenly slump and die, surprisingly, life will continue. Indeed, life will go on without you. And you will be shocked in your grave that mummy will even marry or have another side husband earlier than you could imagine.

Most men are worn out by the time their children graduate or retiring at same period. All the struggle would have already taken serious tolls on his health and life. And he dies prematurely leaving Mama alone to enjoy all his wealth. Trust women, they quickly settle down while you are long gone!

Be sensible, never allow your wife to goad you into embarking on long term stress and burden you can least afford!\*

**\*Take note:-\***

When children grow into adulthood, women tend to shift more attention to them at your expense. Infact, she is seeing a replacement of you in them!

Men should take care of their health, live and eat well, as you may go prematurely if you have been subjecting your life to excessive stress for husband!

It is even more terrible in marriages under storm. In Yoruba land, our mothers in fact call their male children "My husband". So, when your son grows to your height and size, with your shoes and clothes matching your son exactly, your wife gladly starts to feel fulfilled. Do you know what that means? It means, the people that will take over from you are already ready.

As you get older in your marriage, be careful and avoid creating rift in your home. Be at peace with your wife and children. If not, you are endangering yourself, as you are hardly needed any longer.

Know that, women wax stronger spiritually at old age. They pray more at this age while men become weaker spiritually unfortunately at this age.

Men should live a good life! Enjoy your life as you shoulder the responsibilities. Eat the sweat of your labour when you are still strong....\*

Whether you like it or not, there is every probability that your wife will outlive you. They are genetically designed so. And particularly, you are almost always older than her (barring the accident of life). She will be around to live to complete the unfinished "assignment" and consume the balance of the "dividends of parenthood".

So, while you are still agile, train your children, love your wife dearly, take care of your home, but, above all, take care of yourself too!

Please, pause amid the stress and rest and give yourself a treat as late evenings of life are always unfavourable for men for many reasons highlighted above.

I pray for all responsible men out there, great fathers and wonderful husbands, that the evening of our lives will be favourable unto us by God's grace.

## LIFE's CONUNDRUM: WHAT DO YOU THINK?



r/FemaleDatingStratPros  
u/QueenOfAllQueens123 · 4d · FDS Dating Coach



### My husband lost his job and I'm considering leaving him.

Male Financing

My husband is a plastic surgeon, and he previously made 500-700k a year with bonuses at his practice. He was recently let go due to covid reducing plastic surgery patient load.

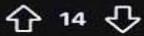
He's a doctor and has only been able to find general practice work. His highest offer has been 250k and he's considering accepting the offer.

I know we need money but I don't want him to get used to working a low salary and not working hard to get back up to the mid 6's that we accustomed.

He used to give me a 10k a month allowance which has now been slashed to 3k. I had to stop getting my nails, hair and salon services. My monthly shopping has been reduced significantly. I know he might recover, but he might not, and I also know my worth and what I am accustomed.

I feel just gross having to accept this sort of lifestyle. I know there are other men at his old practice that clear more than 500k a year and there's no reason I can't get one of those men. We don't have kids yet, and I just don't want to settle for some loser with mediocre ambitions.

What should I do? I'm afraid if I leave him too soon I might find myself in a even more difficult place. Please advise. (I know I am a mod here, but even I need advice also.)



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## LAUGH IT OFF



Akortainment  
@akor\_attah

Lawyers wear wig because you need to be a woman to win an argument or at least look like one



#Abuja Property Guy  
@lamJohnkelvin

Even the symbol of justice is a woman carrying scale and sword. Women are the custodians of argument.

**One way to find out if you are old is to fall down in front of a lot of people. If they laugh, you're still young. If they panic and start running to you, you're old.**

## Never forget

Never, ever forget how much you are loved by your Creator, your God.

You may struggle sometimes and even fall, but he lifts you up again.

The Lord is freedom and grace to you. His Spirit reveals a deeper meaning.

Never, ever forget that Jesus died on the cross... and rose again on the third day. This means everything to your soul. The resurrection is life and truth.

It may seem out of style, or they may try to sell you another gospel, but only one Gospel stays true.

God is love.  
Jesus is his Son.  
His blood washes you clean of sin.  
Christ is life everlasting.

Believe in God. Love God. Know who you are and where you are going.

This will get you through the darkest times, as you are heaven bound.

## Father's Day Poems from Kids

### A Little Girl Needs Daddy

A little girl needs Daddy  
For many, many things:  
Like holding her high off the ground  
Where the sunlight sings!  
Like being the deep music  
That tells her all is right  
When she awakens frantic with  
The terrors of the night.  
Like being the great mountain  
That rises in her heart  
And shows her how she might get home  
When all else falls apart.  
Like giving her the love  
That is her sea and air,  
So diving deep or soaring high  
She'll always find him there.

### A Father Is

There in every memory  
See his love and care  
Strength and hands to count on  
Freely he does share  
Provider, toil so faithfully  
To make our dreams come true  
Give strong and tender discipline  
Though it is hard to do  
A Father is God's chosen one  
To lead the family  
And point it to His will for life  
Of love and harmony...

### Thanks dad for what you are today

O thank your dad for what you are today!  
In life, a pivotal role, he does play;  
'His contribution is priceless, 'let's say;  
Like mother, father gives bliss anyway!  
A father's place, no person else can take;  
A father's love is of a special make;  
He toils unceasingly for family's sake;  
He tells the members what is called as fake!  
A fatherless child becomes unruly;  
A child with father lives so casually;  
With father gone, life can turn cruelly;  
A father gives all, joy in family!  
Respect your father for his weighs in gold;  
He teaches you to be righteous and bold;  
He is a fountain of wisdom when old;  
His sacrifices most, remain untold!  
So, wish your father on this special day;  
Do greet him, hug him, kiss him anyway;  
A father means a lot in life some way;  
Return his love in some form, come what may!

Those who stand as a dangerous threat to your life, to your children, to your home, to your marriage, to your breakthrough, to your Job.. God will eliminate them in the mighty Name of Jesus.

### Self is God's enemy and our enemy.

Though we have by no means considered all the forms of self in our lives, yet even from this limited description, we can see why the self-life is so hateful to God. It is no wonder that the Bible states unequivocally, *"Those controlled by the sinful nature cannot please God."* (Romans 8:8)

Self is not only God's enemy but it is our enemy as well. The one sure way to ruin your life and that of others around you is to let self-rule your life. Mr. Huegel is right when he says, *"Until Christ works out in you an inner crucifixion which will cut you off from self-infatuation and unite you to God in a deep union of love, and a thousand heavens could not give you peace."*

**When God opens our eyes** to see the hatefulness of self, our thoughts naturally turn to the question, *"How can I be delivered from self?"* A better understanding of our salvation will help to answer this question. To save us completely, God had to deal with two things. He had to deal with our **sins**—what we have **done**, and He had to deal with **us**—what we **are**.

**How did God deal with our sins?** He dealt with our sins by sending His Son to die for us.

*"God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us."* (Romans 5:8)

How can God forgive sins? He can forgive them because of the blood of His Son which was shed for them.

**Now we come to the second problem.**

How did God deal with **us**—with our sinful selves? He dealt with us by putting us into Christ and dealing with us in Christ. It might help us to understand this if we take a slip of paper and write the word "self" on it.

Now, take a book and let it represent **Christ**. Put the slip into the book. Now if you throw the book into the river, what happens to the slip? It goes into the river because it is in the book. Or if you burn the book, what happens to the slip? It is burned also. Again, suppose you wrap the book and mail it to Chicago. It goes to Chicago.

In each case you have no difficulty saying what happens to the slip. What happens to the book also happens to the slip because it is in the book. Now here is good news! When God saves us, He puts us **in Christ**. The Bible says, *"It is because of him that you are in Christ Jesus..."* (1 Corinthians 1:30)

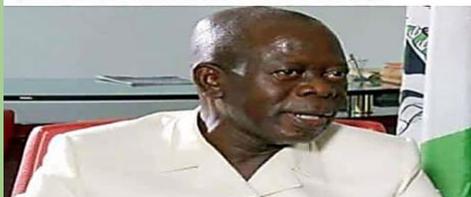
### Dads Are Special

Dads are special people  
No home should be without,  
For every family will agree  
They're 'SO NICE TO HAVE ABOUT'  
They are a happy mixture  
Of a 'SMALL BOY' and a 'MAN'  
And they're very necessary  
In every 'FAMILY PLAN'  
Sometimes they're most demanding  
And stern, and firm and tough  
But underneath they're 'soft as silk'  
For this is just a 'BLUFF'  
But in any kind of trouble  
Dad reaches out his hand.  
And you can always count on him  
To help and understand –  
And while we do not praise Dad  
as often as we should,  
We love him and admire him,  
And while that's understood,  
It's only fair to emphasize  
His importance and his worth –  
For if there were no loving Dads  
This would be a 'LOVELESS EARTH'.

How many of you remember this man?

Just two years ago, he was all over the place, carrying himself from here to there like a god. He insulted and talked to everybody like they were lesser human beings. He was the APC party Chairman and nothing more. But by implication, he equated himself with the president. Today, nobody hears anything about him or sees him anywhere. Please he is NOT dead. He is simply no more relevant.

Think of this man anytime you are abusing any position you hold in whatever capacity.



Fathers lead by example and let your children know all about humility. Christ is our example

### LETTER TO OUR WIVES FROM 'THE COMMITTEE OF HUSBANDS' RESOLUTIONS FOR 2021 FATHERING SUNDAY.

1. Mind and control your tongue.
  2. Keep the house clean.
  3. Be hospitable, how you receive our friends and families matter to us. Make them feel welcome by coming to greet them, serve water if there is no drink.
  4. Dress neatly and smart always, look good for us.
  5. Do not disrespect us, we want to feel respected even with our imperfections, correct us with respect.
  6. Treat us like a king, make us feel important and we shall treat you as queen.
  7. Do not always claim right.
  8. Be polite always.
  9. Be quick to say "I am sorry".
  10. Do not delay us when we have to go out together. Start getting ready well ahead of time and don't keep us waiting because we can be very impatient.
  11. We don't like tension, make us smile and laugh around you and we will want to hang around.
  12. We love good food, if you have to go to a catering school to make us eat well, please do.
  13. We do not like nagging. When you make your request, believe in us to do it in our own time. No amount of nagging can change us.
  14. Do not belittle or gossip us to anyone.
  15. If there are issues that need be addressed, find a quiet time when we can talk, just the two of us and not necessarily at midnight when we are sleeping
  16. Do not prioritize others ahead of us, Make us your number one;
  17. We love (S) so much, do not withhold it. Never use it as a bargaining chip.
  18. Be disciplined and wise in spending.
  19. Be our friend and stop acting like our mom.
  20. We can be jealous, do not get too close with the opposite sex.
  21. Do not paint us bad to the children, help them love and appreciate us.
  22. Do not leave the home and children unattended.
  23. Accept and relate well with our family members.
  24. Assist us in paying the bills, if you earn well.
  25. Do not pry by reading our mails and messages and stop snooping and stalking us on Social media. Stop answering our calls without our permission.
  26. Smile always, even when you are exhausted from tending the kids.
  27. If you need our help, ASK. We cannot read your minds.
  28. Stop asking to know how we spend every dime. Just trust us and all will be well.
- Lots of love. Wishing you a memorable Father's Day Celebration!

# LAST WORD

**Eat whatever you like because you will still DIE, don't allow motivational speakers deceive you.**

1. The inventor of the treadmill had died at the age of 54.
2. The inventor of gymnastics died at the age of 57.
3. The world bodybuilding champion died at the age of 41.
4. The best footballer in the world one time Maradona, died at the age of 60.

**BUT**

5. The KFC inventor died at 94.
6. Inventor of Nutella brand died at the age of 88.
7. Imagine, cigarette maker Winston died at the age of 102.
8. The inventor of opium died at the age of 116 in an earthquake.
9. Hennessy inventor died at 98.

How did these doctors come to the conclusion that exercise prolongs life? The rabbit is always jumping up and down but it lives for only 2 years and the turtle that doesn't exercise at all, lives 400 years.

So, take some rest. Chill. Stay cool. Eat. Drink and enjoy your life. You will still die. But, Dead or Alive, Remember Your Creator. \*Fear Him!\*

To understand what life is, you have to visit three locations...

1. The hospital,
2. The prison and
3. The Cemetery.

**At the Hospital,** you will understand that nothing is more beautiful than health.

**In prison,** you'll see that freedom is the most precious thing.

**At the cemetery,** you will realize that life is worth nothing, the ground we walk today will be our roof tomorrow.

Let us therefore remain humble by having the fear of God and respect for Each Other. *Copyright*

"I started out giving thanks for small things, and the more thankful I became, the more my bounty increased.

That's because what you focus on expands, and when you focus on the goodness in your life, you create more of it.

Opportunities, relationships, even money flowed my way when I learned to be grateful no matter what happened in my life."

*Oprah Winfrey*

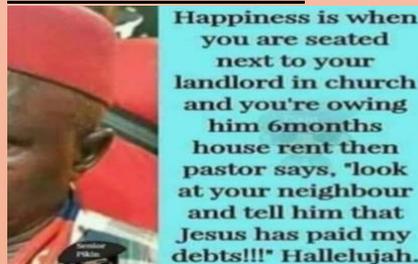


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## LAUGHTER'S THE BEST



Happiness is when you are seated next to your landlord in church and you're owing him 6 months house rent then pastor says, "look at your neighbour and tell him that Jesus has paid my debts!!!" Hallelujah.

**Electricity Shocked Me Yesterday And My wife Bought Me Malt And Milk With Suya. Tomorrow Am Going To The Transformer.**

**EVERY EVIL MOUTH ORDAINED TO RUN YOU DOWN SHALL BE SHUT FOREVER, IN THE MIGHTY NAME OF JESUS!**

*Don't think too much of the problems in life, they are just testpapers given by GOD to see how much we've learned in HIS subject called "LIFE." If you think you failed, review it through "PRAYERS."*

## \*HATE\* \*NOT!\*

Before you hate anyone in this life, try and find out if you're important to the person, so that you don't waste your hatred.

I will never hate anyone but I will distance myself from people who do not value me.

Be careful so you don't hate a lovely person, because of a dirty rumour you heard about them which was created out of jealousy and envy.

Try to appreciate those who gossip about you. It's not easy for someone to leave their problems and carry yours on their head.

Forgive betrayals but be careful with them, because next time they may not spare your life. May God expose all pretenders around you.

Even if you kill yourself for some people, they will still complain that you didn't die in a proper way. Do your best and leave the rest, you can't satisfy human being.

If you are always worried about what others are saying about you, you will never be happy.

A jealous friend is a dangerous enemy.

When your blessings are getting closer, your attacks become greater.

Don't look at the storm, God is by your side, you will win by God's grace. Everybody cannot love you, don't lose your peace over those who hate you.

Those who convinced people to hate you cannot convince God to hate you. God is with you.

**D Most Dangerous humans in life are friends who held on to what d enemies told them about u without even asking you if it's true.**

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**Drug Facts**

<b>Active Ingredient</b> Isaiah 53:4-5	<b>Purpose</b> Healing for all kinds of sickness
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**Uses**  
Removes all your fears and worries. Gives you immunity and immortality. Helps you attain eternal life.

**Directions**  
Just come to Jesus.

**Side Effects**  
Joy, peace, perfect health, immunity, good life, blessed and prosperous life.

**Other Information**  
The effect of this injection is lifetime and eternal.  
You don't have to wait in line to have this vaccine.  
You don't have to undergo observation if the vaccine will have adverse effects on your body because one touch from the Lord will change you forever.  
And you don't need to sign a waiver because Christ Himself will write your name in the Book of Life in heaven.

*Have A Bright And Beautiful Week*

A NEW *Week* ROLLS IN

A week full of  
*Promise, Potential*  
and endless  
*Possibilities*

A WEEK FOR YOU TO *Pursue your Dream*

**God will bless you and watch over you. God will smile on you and be kind to you. God will look on you with favor and give you peace. These wonderful blessings will be in your life not only today, but every single day. Amen**

**Have a lovely week.**

**AMEN**