## Pray God's Word Over Your Children

## WEDNESDAY

(Today, children face so many challenges that you never had to face growing up. They are in desperate need of prayer - especially from their parents. It is with this in mind that we share this devotional series with you to encourage and assist you in seeking God's protection and guidance for your children or grandchildren each day.

When we pray the Scriptures, you can be sure that you are praying according to God's will. The Word of God is living and active, and a powerful means of expressing your loving care and concern as a parent to your Father in Heaven.

Each day's devotion features a Scripture passage upon which to meditate, a short devotional, and words of prayer that you can pray as you bring the children in your life before the Lord.

May God bless you as you pray for your beloved children!)

## <u>Wisdom</u>

"Tune your ears to wisdom, and concentrate on understanding. Cry out for insight, and ask for understanding. Search for them as you would for silver; seek them like hidden treasures". (Proverbs 2:2-4)

The Bible says that we should be pursuing wisdom like valuable treasure. How much more do the children in our lives, whose understanding is so limited, need this wisdom? So many verses in the Proverbs tell us not only to seek wisdom, but to impart it to our children. Where does wisdom begin? With a fear of the Lord - a healthy reverence and awe of God. As we follow Him and receive more wisdom each day, let's be sure to pass that wisdom on to the children in our lives. Take time to teach them. Lead them by example. Be patient with them as they learn, and realize that you are representing God as you do these things.

## **Praying The Scripture:**

Lord Jesus, I pray Proverbs 2: 2-4 right now for my children and grandchildren. I pray that they will tune their ears to the wisdom of the Word of God. And as I pray for my children to have understanding, I pray also for myself, that you would open my eyes to the desperation of so many children in the world who wonder if anyone loves them. As you open my eyes to the needs of these children, I pray that you would also motivate and enable me to assist them in any way that I possibly can. Please give me the wisdom necessary to make the best choices possible that would be most beneficial to those in the greatest need, and that would bring the most glory to Your Kingdom and to Your Holy Name.

These things I humbly pray in the name of Your precious Son, our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ,

Amen.