



A PARENTS GUIDE TO **Using** Scripture for Comfort

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According to Dr. Ross Campbell, winner of The Presidents Award in Pediatrics and author of “Kids Have Feelings Too” (and many other fine books), the greatest danger children face in life are their own emotions; anger, fear, loneliness and for the children of divorce loss. Failing to comfort our children is probably an even bigger mistake than failing to correct them.

Faced with our own problems; earning a living, maintaining a marriage, dealing with OUR feelings/addictions can loom so large in our eyes that we fail to recognize just how much pain our children are in. Even when we do SEE our children’s pain we often turn away because seeing it makes our own pain worse. It is easier to turn on the TV and pretend everything is OK...but we know in our hearts that sooner or later the child’s suppressed pain will erupt, maybe as violence, maybe as a relationship or addiction that destroys their entire precious/fragile life.

Our goal at www.bibleparent.com is to offer comfort in a form that reduces a parents stress rather than increasing it...bible verses...taken one at a time last thing at night. The verses we have chosen are on joy, hope, renewal, healing etc., upbeat verses that offer the comfort (God’s comfort) none of us can live without.

We hope parents(Fathers included) visit www.bibleparent.com and give the cards a try. They are free and very easy to cut up and use.

A ten year review of the statistics on the children of Divorce compiled by Dr.’s David and Susan Larson of the NIHR titled “The costly consequences of Divorce” reveals that the emotional suffering of the children involved is so intense IT shortens the lives of boys an average of ten years and girls four years. That is a lot of hurt, more than any child should be asked to bear alone. **We pray daily that millions of parents will at least TRY the Free Bible Memory Cards at www.bibleparent.com.**

<p>.Mom/Dad: Loneliness is almost sure to get your child into trouble. It is the lonely child who follows the crowd, the one most open to temptation and peer pressure. We MUST warn our children about the dangers of following the crowd but it is even more important to do our best to see they do not suffer loneliness. Making your child a set of these verses is a good starting place.</p> <p><u>Inviting your child's friends into your home once a month is a second good idea.</u> For best results have your child memorize a verse last thing at night.</p>	<p>I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. John 14:18</p>	<p>Though my father and mother forsake me, the LORD will receive me. Psalm 27:10</p>
<p>Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. Psalm 23:4</p>	<p>The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not be in want. Psalm 23:1</p>	<p>God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. Psalm 46:1</p>
<p>I have made you known to them, and will continue to make you known in order that the love you have for me may be in them and that I myself may be in them." John 17:26</p>	<p>The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel"—which means, "God with us." Matthew 1:23</p>	<p>For just as the sufferings of Christ flow over into our lives, so also through Christ our comfort overflows. 2 Corinthians 1:5</p>
	<p>Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you. 1 Peter 5:7</p>	<p>Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you." Hebrews 13:5</p>

<p>For you did not receive a spirit that makes you a slave again to fear, but you received the Spirit of sonship And by him we cry, "Abba Father." Romans 8:15</p>	<p>In the day of my trouble I will call to you, for you will answer me. Psalm 86:7</p>	<p>Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing. 1 Thessalonians 5:11</p>
<p>For he does not willingly bring affliction or grief to the children of men. Lamentations 3:33</p>	<p>Who comforteth us in all our tribulation, that we may be able to comfort them which are in any trouble, by the comfort wherewith we ourselves are comforted of God. 2 Corinthians 1:4</p>	<p>who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves have received from God. 2 Corinthians 1:3</p>
<p>For everything that was written in the past was written to teach us, so that through endurance and the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope. Romans 15:4</p> <p>This means if you are lonely read the Bible.</p>	<p>Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Matthew 5:4</p>	<p>But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin. 1 John 1:7</p> <p>This means: If you are lonely go to church.</p>
<p>We proclaim to you what we have seen and heard, so that you also may have fellowship with us. And our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son, Jesus Christ. 1 John 1:3</p> <p>This means: if you are lonely go to church.</p>	<p>God, who has called you into fellowship with his Son Jesus Christ our Lord, is faithful. 1 Corinthians 1:9</p>	<p>They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. Acts 2:42</p> <p>This means if you are lonely go to church.</p>



Dear Sunday School teacher. Use a bit of tape to wrap these messages to parents around a set of bible verses or go to www.bibleparent.com and print a whole page of keepers with the same message.

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