



potential
living God's dream for me
passing the baton
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"So teach us to number our days that we may get a heart of wisdom."
Psalms 90:12 ESV

"I could have no greater joy than to hear that my children are following the truth"
3 John 1:4 NLT

I can pass the spiritual baton as I...
John 17:6-20 NLT

- Help them _____

"I have revealed you to the ones you gave me from this world. They were always yours. You gave them to me, and they have kept your word."
V. 6

"If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved."
Romans 10:9 NLT

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"Now they know that everything I have is a gift from you, for I have passed on to them the message you gave me. They accepted it and know that I come from you, and they believe you sent me."
V. 7-8

"Study this Book of Instruction continually. Meditate on it day and night so you will be sure to obey everything written in it. Only then will you prosper and succeed in all you do."
Joshua 1:8 NLT

- _____ them

"My prayer is...for those you have given me, because they belong to you."
V.9

- _____ them

"...they bring me glory. ...Now I am coming to you. I told them many things while I was with them in this world so they would be filled with my joy. ...I'm not asking you to take them out of the world, but to keep them safe from the evil one."
V.10, 13-15

"Oh, my dear children! I feel as if I'm going through labor pains for you again, and they will continue until Christ is fully developed in your lives."
Galatians 4:19 NLT

- _____ them

"Holy Father, ...now protect them by the power of your name so that they will be united just as we are. During my time here, I protected them by the power of the name you gave me. I guarded them so that not one was lost, except the one headed for destruction, as the Scriptures foretold."

V. 11-12

- Release them _____

"Just as you sent me into the world, I am sending them into the world."

V. 18

- Model _____ to them

"And I give myself as a holy sacrifice for them so they can be made holy by your truth."

V. 19

How?

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"Husbands, love your wives and never treat them harshly."

Colossians 3:19 NLT

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"So be careful how you live. Don't live like fools, but like those who are wise. Make the most of every opportunity in these evil days."

Ephesians 5:15-16 NLT

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"A person standing alone can be attacked and defeated, but two can stand back-to-back and conquer. Three are even better, for a triple braided cord is not easily broken."

Ecclesiastes 4:12 NLT

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Jesus said..."Come to me, all of you who are weary and carry heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. ...the burden [load] I give you is light."

Matthew 11:28-30 NLT