

**HONOR YOUR PARENTS**  
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# LIVE WELL

THERE'S SO MUCH MORE TO LIFE

## KEY SCRIPTURE

### DEUTERONOMY 5:33

Walk in obedience to all that the LORD your God has commanded you, so that you may live well and prolong your days in the land that you will possess.

### DEUTERONOMY 5:16

Honor your Father and Mother. Then you will live a long, full life in the land your God is giving you.

### EPHESIANS 6:1-3

Children, obey your parents because you belong to the Lord, for this is the right thing to do. "Honor your father and mother." This is the first commandment with a promise: "If you honor your father and mother, things will go well for you."

### PSALM 68:5

A father to the fatherless.

### ROMANS 12:18

If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone.

### COLOSSIANS 3:20

Children, obey your parents in everything, for this pleases the Lord.

### JOHN 19:26

When Jesus saw his mother standing beside the disciple he loved, he said to her, "Dear woman, here is your son." And he said to this disciple, "Here is your mother." And from then on this disciple took her into his home.

### 1 CORINTHIANS 13:11

When I was a child, I spoke and thought and reasoned as a child. But when I grew up, I put away childish things.

## NOTES

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# DISCUSSION *GUIDE*

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When you hear the Ten Commandments, do you think of them as rules and regulations or do you take them as God's advice on how to live well? God truly wants the best for us. By following His commands, we can live a good life and avoid the pain and heartache that disobeying those commands can cause.

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What impression or image of God comes to mind when you think about the Ten Commandments? What influenced that impression or image of God?
2. Read **EPHESIANS 6:1**. Why do you think it's important for kids to learn to obey their parents at a young age? How can we help instill this value in the kids in our lives?
3. Are you modeling a lifestyle of honor and respect? What might need to change in your life in order to better model this character? If you have teenagers, what can you do this week to encourage them in showing honor and respect?
4. Adults can honor their parents by appreciating and caring for them. What are some things you can do for your parents? If your parents have passed away, what can you do to honor them today?

## JOIN THE CONVERSATION

Give the parents in your life a shout-out on social media with **#LiveWell**.

## COMMIT TO MEMORY

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