## **Bible Verses to Instill in the Hearts of Your Sons**

## When he:

- Needs to forgive: "Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy."
  Matthew 5:7
- Has a difficult time sharing: "And just as you want men to do to you, you also do to them likewise." Luke 6:31
- Acts disobedient: "Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right."
  Ephesians 6:1
- Has a chore to complete: "And whatever you do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus." *Colossians 3:17*
- Participates in drama: "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God." *Matthew 5:9*
- Resists focusing on Bible study and prayer: "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be filled." *Matthew 5:6*
- **Is dealing with a particularly difficult person:** "Love your enemies, bless those who curse you, do good to those who hate you, and pray for those who spitefully use you and persecute you." *Matthew 5:44*
- **Speaks about others:** "A good man out of the good treasure of his heart brings forth good; and an evil man out of the evil treasure of his heart brings forth evil. For out of the abundance of the heart his mouth speaks." *Luke 6:45*
- Has a difficult time settling down to rest: "Be still, and know that I am God."
  Psalm 46:10

Whether current actions are displaying goodness or showing ugliness, frequently remind your son(s) to:

"Fear God and keep His commandments, For this is man's all." Ecclesiastes 12:13