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Means Family

And family means nobody gets left behind... or forgotten







*Fathers feel responsible
for three things:*

Building something meaningful

Protecting something valuable

Providing something stable

If I give myself to work, I fear losing my family

If I give myself to family, I fear failing at work

**HAPPY
FATHER'S
DAY**

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A Biblical View of Work



**Unless the Lord builds the house,
the builders labor in vain.**

The world says: “If you can conceive it and believe it, you can achieve it.”

It doesn't say work is bad — work is good.

Work existed before sin.

God gave Adam and Eve work in Eden.





A Biblical View of Work



**The problem is building something
God never assigned you to build**

You can succeed at the wrong thing.

In Acts 26:14 — It is hard to kick against the goads.

**In Revelation 3:7 — When God opens a door,
no one shuts it.**

**You cannot force open what God has closed,
and you cannot stop what God has opened.**





A Biblical View of Work



**The first question is not
“What do I want to build?”**

**It’s: “What is God building, and
how do I join Him?”**



Jesus said in John 15:5:

Abide in Me... Apart from Me you can do nothing.

Before ambition must come abiding

Before building must come belonging





A Biblical View of Protection

**Unless the Lord watches over
the city, the guards stand watch
in vain.**



Scripture does not call us to irresponsibility

Locks on doors are not a lack of faith

Boundaries are not unspiritual Wisdom is not worry!

**There is a difference between guarding
and grasping**

**You can stand and watch in faith, or
you can stand and watch in fear**





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When protection becomes control:

We suffocate instead of shepherd

We exasperate instead of encourage

We communicate anxiety instead of trust

Paul warns us in Ephesians 6:4

Not to provoke their children to anger.



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If we do not entrust their care to the Lord:

We will exhaust ourselves

We will stunt their emotional growth

We will hinder spiritual resilience

**Protection is not about controlling every
threat; it is about teaching them who
their ultimate Protector is**



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A Biblical View of Provision

In vain you rise early and stay up late, toiling for food to eat, for he grants sleep to those he loves.



That is not laziness — that is dependence

Scripture says if a man will not work, he shall not eat (2 Thess. 3:10)

But the Bible never says: You are the ultimate source

Sometimes God even allows seasons of need, not as punishment, but as formation





A Biblical View of Provision

Provision flows from priority



Some of us men carry silent anxiety

You lose sleep trying to hold everything together

You are called to be faithful

You are not called to be the savior of your house

There already is a Savior and it isn't you

God gives — Even while you sleep





A Biblical View of Family

Children are a heritage from the Lord, offspring a reward from him.



Home is where we sleep and life happens somewhere else

Home is not recovery from real life, home is real life

Family is not an interruption to your purpose, it is part of your assignment

Children are not inconveniences, they are inheritance



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The Mission of Home



Like arrows in the hands of a warrior are children born in one's youth.



Arrows require three things

Sharpening

Aiming

Launching





The Order of Psalm 127

God builds, God protects, God provides, and we steward family



When we reverse it:

We exhaust ourselves

We resent our homes

We live anxious



When we follow it:

Work becomes worship

Provision becomes trust

Family becomes mission

And that's freeing

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The Order of Psalm 127

God builds, God protects, God provides, and we steward family

You are not asked to build alone

You are not asked to watch alone

You are not asked to provide alone

You are not asked to control outcomes

You are invited to: abide, trust, and build what God is building



