

# STEP INTO GOD'S GREATER GLORY

**DATE:** 16 June 2019

**SERMON TITLE:** Father's Day

**WELCOME:** Welcome all New Visitors. Do an Icebreaker.

**WORSHIP:** SING: 1 Praise Song & 2 Worship Songs. During Prayer Time focus on God's GREATNESS AND POWER!

## WORD

**Read Hebrews 11:7**

By faith Noah prepared an Ark for the saving of his house

**Read Hebrews 11:23**

By faith Moses was hidden for 3 months

**Read Hebrews 11: 31-31**

3 Families are mentioned that didn't do anything significant but they were heroes because they saved their families! (Joshua 2:12-13)

### **1. GET SAVED! GIVE YOUR LIFE TO JESUS!**

- What did God your Father do for you?

**Read John 3:16**

- He gave His life for His Family, He gave His life for you!
- You can only know the Father through His Son – Jesus Christ.
- He is not just God in Heaven, He is also our Father and we are now His sons!

**Read Romans 8: 15-16**

- What can you now do for others?

**Read John 3:16-18 (NLV)**

### **2. GET YOUR FAMILY SAVED AND POINT THEM TO JESUS!**

When the Spirit of the Father comes upon you, you become a witness! **Your Story for His Glory!**

**Read Acts 1:8**

- You may not have been able to do it all in the past or now but Jesus has done it all on your behalf!
- Point your family to Jesus
- Raise your children in the House of God
- Our children are God's children
- ONE thing you can do: keep your family in the HOUSE
- You TAKE your family to the House. You don't need your children's permission
- Put God 1<sup>st</sup> and teach your family to do the same

### **3. TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR GOD'S FAMILY!**

**We are always one generation away from failure**

**Read Psalm 145:5 & Psalm 102:18**

The difference between a man and a boy is that a man takes responsibility

- A son has the Father's heart for the House!
- A son has the Father's heart for the people!
- A son is called to fulfil the vision of the Father!
- A son serves his father's purpose!
- Sons produce sons!
- You produce what you are! Your life is a message to others. You not only bring people to God, but also to His house.

In the House there should be many Fathers for those who never had a father. Let us be Fathers to the fatherless! Let us man-up and take responsibility for our generation and the next!

**OWN NOTES:**

#### **4. BAD THINGS HAPPEN WHEN YOU REMOVE THE FATHERS**

**Many instructors but few fathers!**

**Read 1 Corinthians 4:15-16**

**Read Proverbs 23:22**

**Read Isaiah 3:1-7**

**When the kingdom of God is replaced by the Kingdom of man the results are:**

- Lack of order
- Loss of truth & revelation
- Oppression
- Loss of identity & boundaries in Christ
- Potential never known & developed
- Isaiah 4:1 – they grabbed anyone they thought looked good enough to be their leader. The right clothes & appearance were the only qualifications for leadership.

**Max Jukes: 1700**

He was a non-believer who married a woman of like character. She lacked principle, among other indecencies including the occult. Of their 1200 descendants:

- 310 were professional vagrants
- 440 wrecked their lives through debauchery
- 130 went to jail – average age 13 years, 7 for murder
- More than 100 became alcoholics
- 60 were habitual thieves
- 190 were public prostitutes
- 20 became tradesmen, 10 of whom learned their trade in prison
- That descendancy cost the state of New York an estimated \$1.5 million

**Jonathan Edwards: 1703**

A man of God and married a woman of like character. He was 17 and she was 13. On their wedding night they committed their marriage to the Lord. Their descendants included:

- 300 Clergymen – missionaries and theological professors
- 100 Professors
- 100 Attorneys
- 30 Judges, 1 dean of a law school
- 60 Physicians, 1 dean of a medical school
- 3 Mayors of large cities
- 60 Authors of fine classics
- 14 Presidents of universities
- 3 State Governors
- 1 Controller of the US Treasury
- 1 Vice-President of the USA

**Where are you in the Godly heritage line?**

OWN NOTES:

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Prayer:**

**Monday Evenings 17:30 – 18:30 pm**

**Friday Mornings 5:45 to 6:45 am**

**Pre-Prayer Sunday's – AM 07:45 / PM 17:10**

**Thursday Prayer Nights 17:30 – 18:30 (Intersession)**

**Business Home-Cell:**

**Friday 21 June 2019**

**Leaders Meeting:**

**Monday 24 June 2019 – 7:00 pm**

**HARVEST GEORGE!!! – 30 October 2019 – Pledges now OPEN!!!**

## **WORKS**

Share feedback on each person's Harry & Sally.

Encourage one another to keep inviting people to church to be saved.

Prayer and Target Lists

Homecell Goals!

Encourage members to join a ministry of helps! Eg. Ushers / Intercessors / Altar workers