

THIS WEEK'S DISCUSSION: What Make's God a Good Father?

He blessed us!
He chose us!
He predestined
us and gave us
the free will to
choose Christ!
He has given us
grace!

Scripture:

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ. For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love he predestined us for adoption to sonship through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will— to the praise of his glorious grace, which he has freely given us in the One he loves. — Ephesians 1:3-6

Quote:

The right way to approach God is to stretch out our hands and ask of One who we know has the heart of a Father. - Dietrich Bonhoeffer

Discussion #1:

Have you ever thought about what a good father looks like? Our best example is God, our Father. Discuss some ways in which God has been good to you and your family. Thank Him, together!

Discussion #2:

Think about those people who have not had a father present in their life, for various reasons. They may be hesitant, at first, to accept or look to God as a loving father. What would you tell them? From your experience and using the text from Ephesians, talk about God's qualities as a good Father.

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