The job of the warrior: S\_\_\_\_\_, A\_\_\_\_, R\_\_\_\_,

## 5. Confronting the \_\_\_\_\_\_.

Psalm 127:5b *He will not be put to shame when he confronts his accusers at the city gates.* 

1 Peter 5:8 (NIV) *Be alert and of sober mind. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour.* 

Replace the \_\_\_\_\_ of the enemy with the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_

1.You will not be put to \_\_\_\_\_! (Psalm 127:5b)

2.He has \_\_\_\_\_\_ the world! (John 16:33)

3.You are more than a \_\_\_\_\_! (Rom. 8:37)

4.Nothing can you from God's love! (Rom. 8:38-39)

5.You have not received a spirit of \_\_\_\_\_, but of \_\_\_\_\_, but of

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## **Building Your House**

Mother's Day 2018 May 13, 2018

## 1. Children: A \_\_\_\_\_Gift

Psalm 127:3 (NLT) *Children are a gift from the LORD; they are a reward from him.* (NLT)

They are a unique gift because they cannot be \_\_\_\_\_.

Psalm 24:1 (NIV) The earth is the LORD's, and everything in it, the world, and **all who live in it**.

Tough Truth #1: Our kids don't really \_\_\_\_\_\_ to us.

They are a unique gift because they reveal the Father's \_\_\_\_\_ for us.

2. Who is Building Your \_\_\_\_?

Psalm 127:1a (NLT) Unless the LORD builds a house, the work of the builders is wasted.

Matthew 7:24-27 (NLT) <sup>24</sup> "Anyone who listens to my teaching and follows it is wise, like a person who builds a house on solid rock. <sup>25</sup> Though the rain comes in torrents and the floodwaters rise and the winds beat against that house, it won't collapse because it is built on bedrock. <sup>26</sup> But anyone who hears my teaching and doesn't obey it is foolish, like a person who builds a house on sand. <sup>27</sup> When the rains and floods come, and the winds beat against that house, it will collapse with a mighty crash."

We need to \_\_\_\_\_ pursue God with \_\_\_\_\_ on Him.

The pursuit of God consists largely of

1.Personal \_\_\_\_\_\_with Him.

**2**.Life in \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Living in \_\_\_\_\_\_, Not \_\_\_\_\_.

Psalm 127:1b (NLT) Unless the LORD protects a city, guarding it with sentries will do no good.

Tough Truth #2: You are not the \_\_\_\_\_ of your children; \_\_\_\_\_ is.

Psalm 127:2 (NLT) It is useless for you to work so hard from early morning until late at night, anxiously working for food to eat; for God gives rest to his loved ones.

Proverbs 31 (NIV) <sup>15</sup>She gets up while it is still night; she provides food for her family and portions for her female servants...

<sup>17</sup> She sets about her work vigorously; her arms are strong for her tasks.

<sup>18</sup> She sees that her trading is profitable, and her lamp does not go out at night...

<sup>25</sup>She is clothed with strength and dignity; she can laugh at the days to come...

<sup>31</sup>Honor her for all that her hands have done, and let her works bring her praise at the city gate.

News Flash #1: God \_\_\_\_\_ your kids more than you \_\_\_\_\_ them and He is sovereign.

Psalm 139:16 (NIV) Your eyes saw my unformed body; all the days ordained for me were written in your book before one of them came to be.

News Flash #2: God's \_\_\_\_\_\_ is enough for you and it is enough for your \_\_\_\_\_.

When we cease our anxious labors, God grants us

Philippians 4:6-7 (NIV) <sup>6</sup> Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. <sup>7</sup> And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus."

## 4. \_\_\_\_\_ Arrows

Psalm 127: 4-5a Children born to a young man are like arrows in a warrior's hands. How joyful is the man whose quiver is full of them!

Tough Truth #3: Your job is to \_\_\_\_\_\_ them up, not \_\_\_\_\_\_ the outcome.

Proverbs 22:6 (NKJV) *Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it.* 

*"Train up" (Chanak)* = \_\_\_\_\_