GLORIFY GOD OUR FATHER John 17:1-5

INTRODUCTION:

Today, our Father's Day sermon, "Glorify God Our Father," will focus on the most wonderful Father of All. The fact that God would love the unworthy, save them by His Grace and adopt them into His family, proves that He is the most wonderful Father of All.

In this message, we will study How to Glorify God Our Father in a Christlike manner:

- I. LOVE GOD AND OTHERS (Matt 22:37-40)
 - **A.** Love God (vv. 37-38)
 - **B.** Love Others (v. 39; Matt 5:44; Luke 10:25-37)
 - C. These two commandments go together the two go hand in hand you cannot have one without the other (vv. 38, 40; John 13:33-35).

II. IMITATE CHRIST'S CHARACTER

- **A. Show Humility Towards Others** (Ps 16:11)
- B. Extend Grace and Kindness to Others Even when they may not deserve it.
- C. Be willing to forgive others as Christ has forgiven you (Eph 4:32; John 8:1-11).
- **D.** Be willing to serve others (Matt 20:28)

III. <u>LIVE A LIFE OF OBEDIENCE</u>

- **A. Obey God's Word** (Luke 11:28; Deut 30:20)
- **B. Prayer "Talking to God"** (1 Thess 5:17; 1 Tim 2:1; John 17:20-23)

IV. FOCUS ON SPIRITUAL GROWTH

- A. Spend time studying the Bible and learning more about God's character and Will.
- B. Perform a Topical Bible Study
- C. Hunger Makes for a Good Meal (Ministry 127)

V. <u>LIVE A LIFE OF INTEGRITY</u>

- **A. Live Honorable** (Matt 5:37; Titus 2:8; 1 Pet 2:12; Prov 11:1)
- **B.** Care For Your Body (1 Cor 6:9-20)

CONCLUSIION:

- A. How to Glorify God Our Father? Love God and Others, Imitate Christ's Character, Live a Live of Obedience, Focus On Spiritual Growth, and Live a Life of Integrity.
- B. Happy Father's Day! God our Father is the most wonderful Father of them all.
- C. To God Be The Glory
- **D. ABC's of Salvation** ((Rom 3:23; Eph 2:8-9; Rom 5:8; 1 Cor. 15:3-4; Rom 10:9-13).

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"... the word of our God shall stand for ever (Isa 40:8).