

## Foundational Scriptures to Memorize



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As a parent, it's your job to help connect your child's life to God's word, this can begin with memorization as a family! If you want to begin memorizing God's word as a family, these 20 foundational verses are a great place to start. The point of this list is to use teachable moments to point your children back to God. These verses are snappy & short and apply to so many teachable moments. The point of this list is to use teachable moments to point your children back to God. Be sure to explain words, give examples and show your children what they mean.

- 1. All things were made by him. -- John 1:3
- I can do everything in Christ who gives me strength. —Philippians 4:13
- 3. And do not forget to do good and to share with others. —Hebrews 13:16
- 4. Give thanks to the Lord, for he is God. His love endures forever. —Psalm 118:1
- 5. Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other just as Christ Jesus forgave you. —Ephesians 4:32
- 6. Be strong in the Lord and his might power.–Ephesians 6:10
- 7. Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved. —Romans 10:13
- 8. Set your mind on things above, not earthly things. —Colossians 3:2
- 9. Your word is a lamp unto my feet and a light for my path. —Psalm 119:105
- 10. I am with you always. Matthew 28:20

- 11. Anyone who knows the good he ought to do but doesn't do it, sins. James 4:17
- 12. Encourage one another build each other up. −1 Thessalonians 5:11
- 13. Keep your tongue from evil and your lips from telling lies. —Psalm 34:14
- 14. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. Matthew 22:37
- 15. A cheerful heart is good medicine. Proverbs 17:22
- 16. Do everything without complaining or arguing. —Philippians 2:14
- 17. Do to others as you would have them to do you. —Luke 6:31
- 18. When I am afraid, I will trust in you. Psalm 56:3
- 19. A friend loves at all times. —Proverbs 17:17
- 20. Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. —Ephesians 6:1