

- 18 "I can do all things through Him who strengthens me." PHILIPPIANS 4:13
- 19 "Children, be obedient to your parents in all things, for this is well-pleasing to the Lord." COLOSSIANS 3:20
- 20 "Be of sober spirit, be on the alert. Your adversary, the devil, prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour." 1 PETER 5:8
- 21 "We love, because He first loved us." 1 JOHN 4:19
- 22 "My brethren, count it all joy when you fall into various trials, knowing that the testing of your faith produces patience." JAMES 1:2-3
- 23 "And whatever you do, do it heartily, as to the Lord and not to men."
COLOSSIANS 3:23
- 24 "For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." LUKE 12:34
- 25 "And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart." GALATIANS 6:9
- 26 "And be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you."EPHESIANS 4:32
- 27 "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law."
GALATIANS 5:22-23
- 28 "But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us." ROMANS 5:8
- 29 "For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast." EPHESIANS 2:8-9
- 30 "But the Lord is faithful, who will establish you and guard you from the evil one." 2 THESSALONIANS 3:3
- 31 "And my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus." PHILIPPIANS 4:19
- 32 "If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all liberally and without reproach, and it will be given to him." JAMES 1:5
- 33 "He must increase, but I must decrease." JOHN 3:30
- 34 "You will keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on You, because he trusts in You." ISAIAH 26:3

FAMILY BATTLE PLAN

A 34-Week Scripture Memory Project
2015-2016 School Year

BUILDING YOUNG WARRIORS: A Family Scripture Challenge

This plan was formulated in efforts to give our family a quick, easy morning devotional thought together before school, deepen our family walk with Christ, bathe our kids in prayer and truth, strengthen our bond with each other, help our kids embrace the fact that God's Word is FOR THEM and that knowing Jesus makes all the difference in our life ... Personalize this plan to fit YOUR family.

Here's how it works:

- Challenge your family to memorize one verse a week during the school year
- Introduce a new verse each Monday
- Each morning over breakfast or on the way to school – go over the verse, talk about its meaning, apply it to the happenings of the day

Memorize as a family, apply to daily family life:

- Use it in times of celebration, struggle
- Use it in discipline situations
- Use it to keep each other accountable
- Use it to encourage and build each other up

At the end of the day, go back over the verse:

- Tuck your kids into bed and say it together
- Thank God together for His Truth, His love, His purpose for your kids, your family

Ideas to reinforce verse/Truth throughout week:

- Each morning, discuss a key word, a key Truth from that scripture
- Visibly post the verse for the entire family (on the fridge, by the front door ...)
- Write it on a post-it note and put it in their lunch
- Put it on the dash of your car
- Have your kids mark the verse in their Bible (you do the same!)
- Pray the truth over your children throughout the day
- Keep a record of the verses you learn (If Pinterest girls think up a cute display, please share!)
- Celebrate together as you see each other grow in the grace and knowledge of Jesus Christ!

A few words of encouragement:

Some morning will go great and some won't. Don't stress about it. God's word is for YOU too, mom and dad. Take a breath and take steps to end the days strong. Hope in Christ and dependence on HIS word ALWAYS WINS. Tomorrow is a new day.

Here's to doing everything we can to help our kids grow in the knowledge and grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, as they become warriors for HIS cause!

Grace and Peace,
Nikki

**The following list includes a verse for every week of the school year.
Use your favorite translation. Condense the verse for little ones.**

- 1 "Watch, stand fast in the faith, be brave, be strong. Let all that you do be done with love." 1 CORINTHIANS 16:13-14
- 2 "Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous! Do not tremble or be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go." JOSHUA 1:9
- 3 "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble." PSALM 46:1
- 4 "Oh give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His lovingkindness is everlasting." PSALM 107:1
- 5 "I will give thanks to you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made; wonderful are Your works, and my soul knows it very well." PSALM 139:14
- 6 "Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight." PROVERBS 3:5-6
- 7 "He who walks with wise men will be wise, but the companion of fools will suffer harm." PROVERBS 13:20
- 8 "Do you not know? Have you not heard? The Everlasting God, the LORD, the Creator of the ends of the earth does not become weary or tired. His understanding is inscrutable." ISAIAH 40:28
- 9 "'For I know the plans that I have for you,' declares the LORD, 'plans for welfare and not for calamity to give you a future and a hope.'" JEREMIAH 29:11
- 10 "'Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.'" MATTHEW 28:19-20
- 11 "And He said to him, 'Love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.' This is the great and foremost commandment. The second is like it, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.'" MATTHEW 22:37-39
- 12 "Treat others the same way you want them to treat you." LUKE 6:31
- 13 "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life." JOHN 3:16
- 14 "Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." 2 CORINTHIANS 9:7
- 15 "He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds. He counts the number of the stars; He calls them all by name. Great is our Lord, and mighty in power; His understanding is infinite." PSALM 147:3-5
- 16 "Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving each other, just as God in Christ also has forgiven you." EPHESIANS 4:32
- 17 "Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and petition with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God." PHILIPPIANS 4:6