

How to keep you and your family under God's protective wings

Colossians 3:16-17 This verse reminds us of how we can keep God _____ and _____ in our hearts and minds in the middle of a culture that is constantly dragging us off course!

Psalms 91 is a beautiful promise of protection....and it is specifically FOR those who CHOOSE to be intentional about _____ in the shelter of God.

Colossians 3:16 reveals 5 keys to dwelling in the shelter of God and resting under his protective wings:

- _____ yourself and your family in God's Word!
- teach the Word of God & share the wisdom that comes from God's Word with your loved ones
- _____ God's Word!
- Worship the Lord in song because He _____ the praises of His people
- be constantly aware and thankful for God's blessings and for specific answers to prayer

Colossians 3:16

This is the goal of our life as a believer...that we would _____ Christ in all we say and do...and that we would give Him the credit for every good thing... so that more and more people are drawn to Christ, including our husbands and our children! (Matthew 5:16)

We don't have the strength to treat our family members like Christ or others like Christ without relying on the Holy Spirit's _____. We need to come to Jesus every day and ask Him to fill us up with His love and His forgiveness and His patience for others! John 15:4-5,

When we get pressed in a stressful situation or a challenge within a relationship, what comes out will reflect whether we are connected to the Lord as well as the condition of our _____.

Matthew 12:34

If I am filled up with the Lord, when I've pressed, Jesus comes out. If I am not filled up with the Lord, when I'm pressed, _____ and glares come out!

BREAKOUT SESSION:

- Share any tips or ideas you may have on how to saturate your life and your family with God...or any ideas that were shared today that you'd like to implement.
- Share an answer to prayer you've experienced in the past...or a time when God showed up in your life in a way that built your faith.
- What's your favorite worship song?