

What Makes Fathers Special?

- I. Fathers put their faith in the _____ (I John 1:5)
- A. Light emphasizes four things about God
1. The _____ and _____ of God,
 2. The _____ of God
 3. The _____ of God
 4. The _____ of God
- B. Light provides two things for man
1. It is man's true source of _____
 2. It provides man with _____ on how to live a _____ life (John 8:12)
- C. The greatest act of love that a father can show to his kids is a father who has repented and put his _____ in Jesus
- D. Children do you give _____ to God if you have a godly father?
- II. Fathers _____ when they is _____ (I John 1:8-9)
(Admitting to your children when you are wrong will build _____ and _____ with them)
- III. Fathers strive to live a _____ (I John 2:1-6; 9-11; 15-17)
- A. A godly life involves striving to be _____ (I John 2:1-2)
- B. A godly life involves obeying God's _____ (I John 2:3-4)
- C. A godly life involves _____ your brother (I John 2:9-11)
- D. A godly life involves not _____ after the things of the _____ (1 John 2:15-17)
- IV. Fathers _____ God's _____ to those around them (I John 4:7-21)
- A. Fathers need to understand the _____ of love (I John 4:7-8)
- B. What does God's love do for us? (I John 4:11-18)
1. God's love helps us love _____ (I John 4:11-12; 19-21)
 2. God's love allows the Holy Spirit to _____ (I John 4:13-16)
 3. God's love overcomes our _____ (I John 4:18)

Questions to Ponder

- I. Is there anything you need to _____?
- II. Are you _____ and _____ a godly life?
- III. Wives, do you _____ and _____ the father of your children?
- IV. Fathers
- A. Are you _____ of your families love and respect?
- B. Do you _____ the true love of God to your family?
- V. Children
- A. Do you respect, _____, and obey your father?
- B. Do you _____ what your father has done for you?