

12 Top Reasons It's Good to Be a Man.

**7: You can admire Clint Eastwood without...
...starving yourself to look like him.**

8: Gray hair and wrinkles only add character to men.

9. We can do our nails during 1 traffic light.

**10: If another guy shows up at the party in the same outfit...
...you just might become lifelong buddies.**

11: The occasional well-rendered belch is practically expected.

12. We get to be Dads!

Father's Day 2017

LIFE

Dying Words- Life Words

1 Chronicles 22:9-10 | 1 Chron 28:9

Fathers When we die...

Not if I die, when I die,

**Would you love to leave behind
words of wisdom for your children?**

Famous

last

WORDS



Now not only is David giving his son the responsibility to rule Israel
...David holds out his dreams for his son to embrace.

Isn't that the way of Fathers? Hoping that sons will

- do what we couldn't do,
- achieve what we couldn't achieve
- be what we couldn't be?

David had dreamed of building a temple for God

- more important than the Kingdom he gave to his son
- was the vision for the kingdom that he gave to his son,
- and the challenge that he presented.

I Chron 28:3 KJV

But God said unto me, Thou shalt not build an house for my name, because thou hast been a man of war, and hast shed blood.

I Chron 22:9 NLT

But you will have a son who will be a man of peace. I will give him peace with his enemies in all the surrounding lands. His name will be Solomon, and I will give peace and quiet to Israel during his reign.

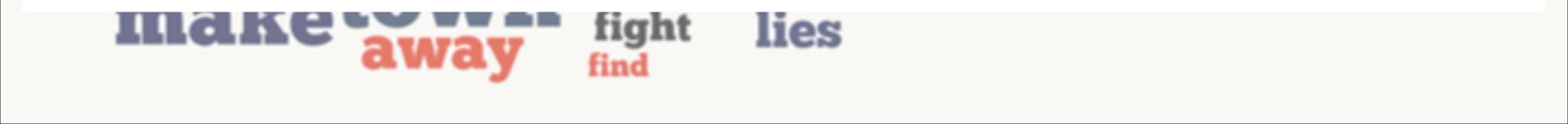
- Joke
- And we are told in [1 Kings 3:3](#) (quickview) Solomon loved the Lord. So the Lord loved Solomon and Solomon loved the Lord, sounds like a good combination to me. Just to kind of finish off who Solomon was, in 1 Kings chapter 3 verses 4-6 we are told that the Lord appeared to Solomon in a dream, and God said, “What do you want? Ask, and I will give it to you!”
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- What a great offer, I heard a story that a Pastor and his staff were out one day and an Angel appeared to them and made the same offer, well what he actually said was you can have anything you want, you could be the most famous pastor in the world, your church could have incredible wealth or you could have immense wisdom and be the smartest man in the world. Well the pastor thought back to what happened with Solomon and said “I’ll take the wisdom” The angel replied ok it’s as you asked”, and he disappeared, the associate Pastors gathered around to hear this new found wisdom of their leader and one of them said “well, what are you thinking” and the pastor looked up and said “I should have taken the money”
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1 Chronicles 28:9

“As for you, my son Solomon, know the God of your father, and serve Him with a loyal heart and with a willing mind; for the LORD searches all hearts and understands all the intent of the thoughts. If you seek Him, He will be found by you; but if you forsake Him, He will cast you off forever.

“And you, Solomon my son, get to know well your father’s God; serve him with a whole heart and eager mind, for GOD examines every heart and sees through every motive. If you seek him, he’ll make sure you find him, but if you abandon him, he’ll leave you for good. Look sharp now! GOD has chosen you to build his holy house. Be brave, determined! And do it!” The Message



Search

1 Chronicles 28:9 As for you, my son Solomon,

- **Know the God of your father**
 - **Know= Relationship**

Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it. -Prov 22:6

- **Hebrew Midwives- Sugar/ honey mixture- *create sucking sensation***

the power of the tongue...

(Proverbs 18:21)

Serve

1 Chronicles 28:9 As for you, my son Solomon,

Know the God of your father

Serve Him

• ***Serve him...***

◦ ***Serve = Bondslave -worship***

Satisfied

1 Chronicles 28:9 As for you, my son Solomon,

- Know the God of Your Father,
- Serve Him
- with a Perfect Heart
 - Perfect= finished, complete (keeping covenant)
 - Heart= knowledge, courage, emotions

the power of the tongue...
Surrendered

(Proverbs 18:21)

1 Chronicles 28:9 As for you, my son Solomon,

- **Know the God of your father,**
- **Serve Him**
- **with a Perfect Heart**
- **with a Willing Mind**
 - **Willing= Delight, Desire**
 - **Mind= mind, will, emotions**

1 Chronicles 28:9 As for you, my son Solomon,

- **Know the God of your father,**
- **Serve Him**
- **with a Loyal Heart**
- **with a Willing Mind**
- **the LORD Searches All Hearts/ Understands All the Intent of the Thoughts**
 - **He's On Top of It!**

Savor



Words of Life from Dad

Son You Have a Great Task Ahead of You...

...You Will Finish What I Started

...It Can Only Be Done with God's Help

- **Search For God**
- **Serve Him**
- **Satisfied by Him**
- **Surrender to Him**
- **Savor in Him**

...And You WILL SUCCEED