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*"Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength." The second is this: "Love your neighbor as yourself." There is no commandment greater than these. Mark 12:30-31 NIV*

*I urge you to live a life worthy of the calling you have received. Ephesians 4:1 NIV*

1. \_\_\_\_\_

*Jesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man. Luke 2:52 NIV*

*Train up a child in the way he should go [and in keeping with his individual gift or bent], and when he is old he will not depart from it. Proverbs 22:6 AMP*

**Five Things:**

- Feelings
- Conflict
- Losses
- Values
- Habits

How?

- Through \_\_\_\_\_ (1 Corinthians 11:1)
- Through \_\_\_\_\_ (Deuteronomy 6:7)
- Not through \_\_\_\_\_ (Ephesians 6:4)
- Not through \_\_\_\_\_ (Galatians 6:4)

2. Have \_\_\_\_\_

People ought to enjoy every day of their lives, no matter how long they live. Ecclesiastes 11:8a NCV

Enjoy life with your wife, whom you love . . .  
 Ecclesiastes 9:9 NIV

*I recommend having fun . . . That way you will experience some happiness along with all the hard work God gives you. Ecclesiastes 8:15 NLT*

3. \_\_\_\_\_

*Put your religion into practice by caring for your own family, for this is pleasing to God. 1 Timothy 5:4*

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*Anyone who does not provide for their relatives, and especially for their own household, has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever. 1 Timothy 5:8 NIV*

4. \_\_\_\_\_

*. . . whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant. Matthew 20:26 NIV*

*Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously, and he will give you everything you need. Matthew 6:33 NLT*

*Choose today whom you will serve . . . as for me and my family, we will serve the Lord. Joshua 24:15*