The Father's Legacy

Father, Thank You for loving me and claiming me as Your own. Take my hand and show me how to walk in Your footsteps. I can't do this without You, even though there are times when I try to do things in my own way and with my own strength. Thank You for setting the perfect example of fatherhood and for giving me a biblical legacy of leadership to follow as I learn to be the dad You call me to be.

Lord, like, David, I want to be a man after Your own heart.

Please help me plant that legacy in my family.

Lord, like Joseph, I want to choose biblical integrity even in difficult situations.

Please help me to plant that legacy in my family.

Lord, like Moses, I want to show servant-leadership and talk with You face to face.

Please help me to plant that legacy in my family.

Lord, like Jonathan, I want to remain loyal to You and Your righteousness.

Please help me to plant that legacy in my family.

Lord, like Josiah, I want to be courageous to read Your Word to others.

Please help me to plant that legacy in my family.

Lord, like Daniel, I want to be uncompromising in my commitment to You.

Please help me to plant that legacy in my family.

Lord, like Joseph, I want to be self-sacrificing and put my family's needs first.

Please help me to plant that legacy in my family.

Lord, like Jesus, I want to submit to Your will.

Please help me to plant that legacy in my family.

And, Father, when I stumble and fall, reach down and place my feet next to Yours again. Encourage me to keep going beside You as I lead my family to plant a legacy rooted in You. **Amen**