

## Family Talk – *Everlasting Father*

### READ TOGETHER

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#### Psalm 103:13–18

1. What impact can a father have in the life of his children?
2. How does this passage describe God as Father?
3. Have you ever felt like you had to earn God’s love? How does verse 17 speak to that?

### LIVE IT

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Isaiah 9:6 refers to God as an Everlasting Father. For various reasons, it can be difficult for many people to view God as an enduring, engaged, loving dad. Yet, the Bible tells us over and over what kind of dad He is: compassionate, tender, patient and loving. Jesus said in Matthew 7:11 that the heavenly Father desires to give us good gifts. What a wonderful thought as we approach Christmas.

Do you struggle to view God in this light? Talk as a family about having a healthy and holistic view of God.

### LEAN ON GOD

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Dear God,

Thank You for adopting us into Your family. Thank You for being a loving and kind Father to us, even when we make mistakes. Your love is faithful and forever, and we’re so thankful. Help us embrace You more and more each day.

In Jesus name,

Amen

