

# Remembrances & Revelations - The Year \_\_\_\_\_

## - A Family Discussion Guide -

*I will open my mouth...telling to the generation to come the praises of the Lord, and His strength and His wonderful works that He has done. For He established a testimony in Jacob, and appointed a law in Israel, which He commanded our fathers, that they should make them known to their children; that the generation to come might know them, the children who would be born, that they may arise and declare them to their children, that they may set their hope in God, and not forget the works of God, but keep His commandments . . .*

*Psalm 78:2,4-7*

### Remembrances From The Past Year

1. What memorable events occurred in our world, nation, and household this year?

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2. What great works of God have we experienced this year?

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3. What special friendships were made this year?

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4. What diet and physical exercise regimen did we maintain to honor our “temple”?

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5. What books did I read? Did we read as a family? Did our children read?

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6. What has God taught us this year?

7. What Scriptures did our family memorize?

8. What sins need to be confessed? Who has wronged or offended us that we need to forgive?

*...forgiving one another...even as Christ forgave you, so you also must do. Colossians 3:13*

9. What significant spiritual and practical victories did we experience?

10. In what tangible ways did I/we communicate gratitude to those who have blessed us and invested in our lives? *[I] cease not to give thanks for you, making mention of you in my prayers. (Ephesians 1:16)*

**Parents with each child individually**

List (3) significant accomplishments of the year:

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\* Goals, desires, and prayers for the coming year:

\* Character growth observed during the year:

\* Areas for growth to work on in the coming year:

\* Greatest disappointment of the year and why:

\* What I wish was different in our family:

\* Most special event of the year and why:

## Revelations For The Year Ahead

*Where there is no vision (revelation), the people perish (cast off restraint) Proverbs 29:18*

*Write the vision and make it plain on tablets, that he may run who reads it. Habakkuk 2:2*

1. Cast a vision for the year ahead:

2. What mission is God calling us to in the coming year?

3. What Scriptures will we memorize?

4. What is our plan for the daily intake of spiritual food?

5. What friendships would we like to foster this year?

6. What will we do to maintain in good condition the “temple” God has entrusted to us?

7. What character qualities need transforming? (Romans 12:2)

Individually:

Family:

8. Whom can we invite into our home and extend hospitality?

9. Pray and list 10 people God has placed in our lives and in our hearts to pray for their salvation and spiritual maturity:

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10. In what ways will we *“do the work of an evangelist”* this year? (2 Timothy 4:5)

11. In what ways can we use all the gifts & resources God has entrusted to us to honor Him and build up the Body of Christ?

12. In what ways will the glory of the Lord be multiplied in our household this year?

*... whatever you do, do all to the glory of God. 1 Corinthians 10:31*

• ***Additional thoughts and prayers:***