

Orderly

Orderly – Arranged or disposed in some order or pattern; governed by law, well behaved.



I Corinthians 14:40

**Let all things be done
decently and in order.**

Attentive

Attentive – Mindful, observant; heedful of the comfort of others.



Psalm 85:8a

**I will hear what God
the Lord will speak.**

Teachable

Teachable – Capable of being taught; apt and willing to learn.



Hebrews 12:11

No discipline seems pleasant at the time, but painful. Later on, however, it produces a harvest of righteousness and peace for those who have been trained by it.

Obedient

Obedient – Submissive to the restraint or the command of authority; willing to obey.



Colossians 3:20

Children, obey your parents in everything, for this pleases the Lord.

Respectful

Respect – An act of giving particular attention; high or special regard; esteem.



1 Peter 2:17

Show proper respect to everyone: Love the brotherhood of believers, fear God, honor the king.

Honest

Honesty – A fairness and straightforwardness of conduct; adherence to the facts.

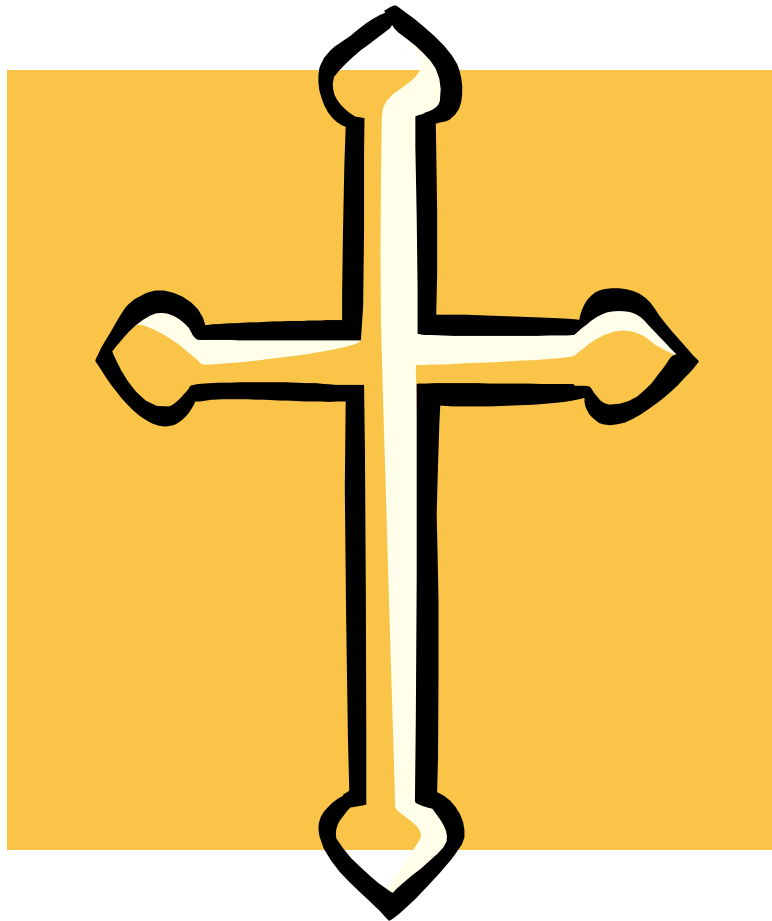


Proverbs 12:22

**The Lord detests lying lips, but
he delights in men who are
truthful.**

Forgiving

Forgiveness – To grant relief from payment; to pardon.



Colossians 3:13

Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another.

Forgive as the Lord forgave you.

Peacemaker

Peacemaker – One who promotes harmony in personal relations.



Proverbs 15:1

**A gentle answer turns away
wrath, but a harsh word stirs
up anger.**

Courageous

Courage - Mental or moral strength to venture, persevere, and withstand danger, fear, or difficulty; brave.



Joshua 1:9

Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go.

Discerning

Discerning – Showing insight and understanding.

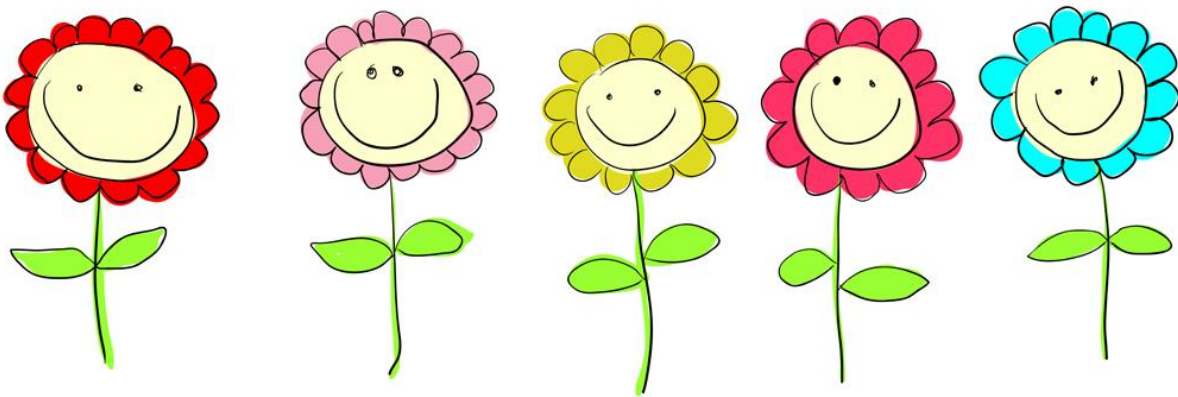


Proverbs 2:6

For the Lord gives wisdom, and
from his mouth come knowledge
and understanding.

Content

Content – Feeling or showing satisfaction with one's possessions, status or situation.



Hebrew 13:5b

...Be content with what you have, because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you."

Servant-hearted

Servant – Someone that works for someone else.



Galatians 5:13b

**...Serve one another in
love.**

Thankful

Thankful – Expressive of thanks; well pleased; glad.

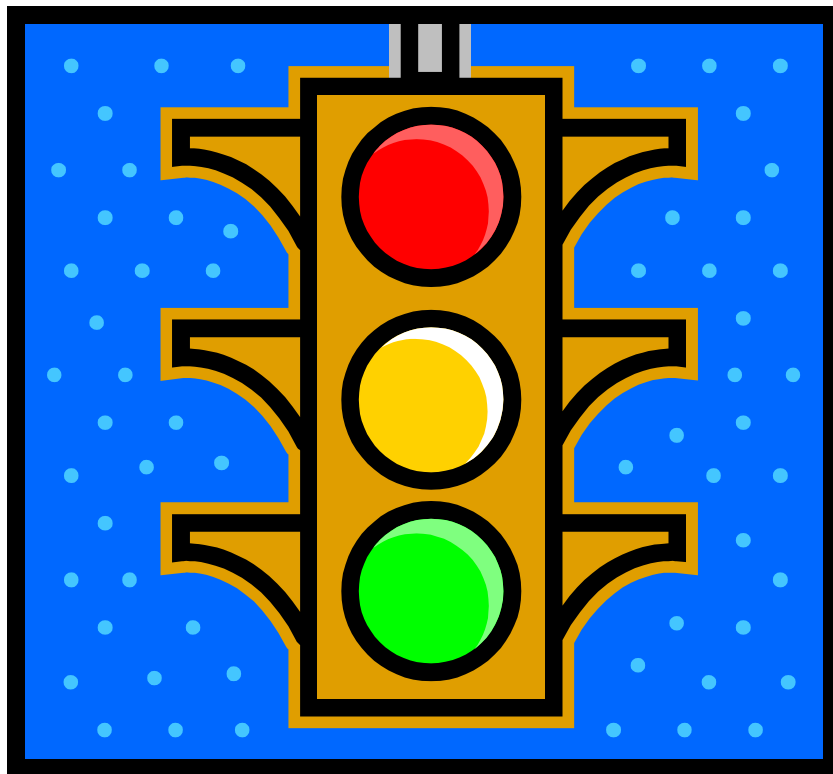


Psalm 136:1

**Give thanks to the LORD, for
he is good. His love endures
forever.**

Self Control

Self Control – Control of your feelings and behavior.

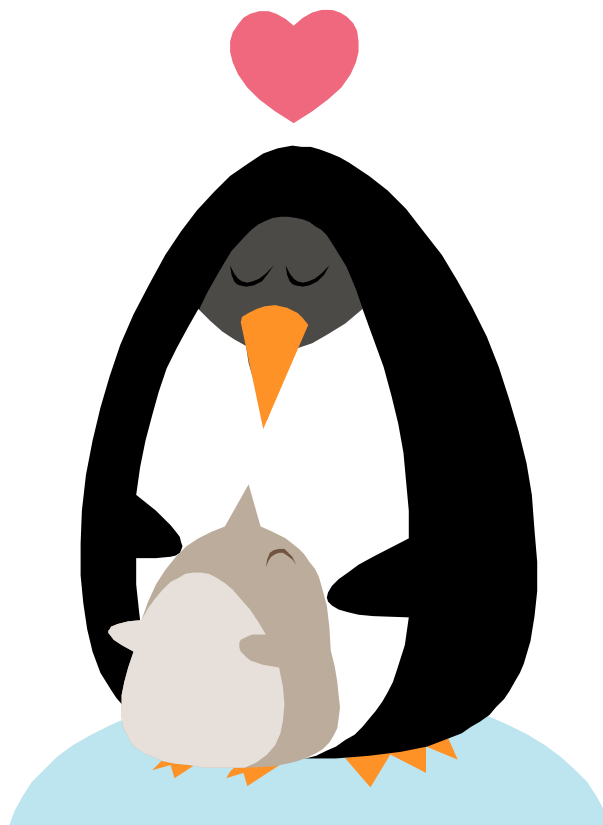


Phillipians 4:13

**I can do all things through
Christ who gives me strength.**

Loving

Loving – Having affection or warm regard; tender.



John 13:34

A new command I give you: Love one another.
As I have loved you, so you must love one
another.

Humble

Humility – If you show humility, you are not too proud, and you recognize your own faults.



Phillipians 2:3

**Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit,
but in humility consider others better than
yourselves.**

Prayerful

Prayerful – Devout, earnest, sincere.



Phillipians 4:6

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.

Modest

Modesty – People who are modest are not boastful about their abilities, possessions, or achievements.

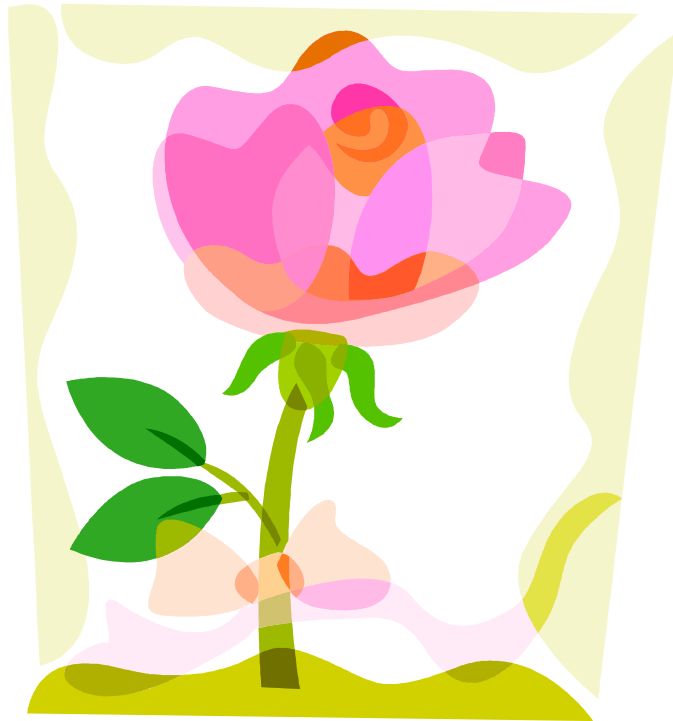


1 Peter 3:3-4

Your beauty should not come from outward adornment, such as braided hair and the wearing of gold jewelry and fine clothes. Instead, it should be that of your inner self, the unfading beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which is of great worth in God's sight.

Joyful

Joyful – Happiness and delight in your heart that comes only from Jesus.



I Thessalonians 5:16-17

**Be joyful always; pray
continually.**

Generous

Generous – People who are generous are happy to use their time and money to help others.

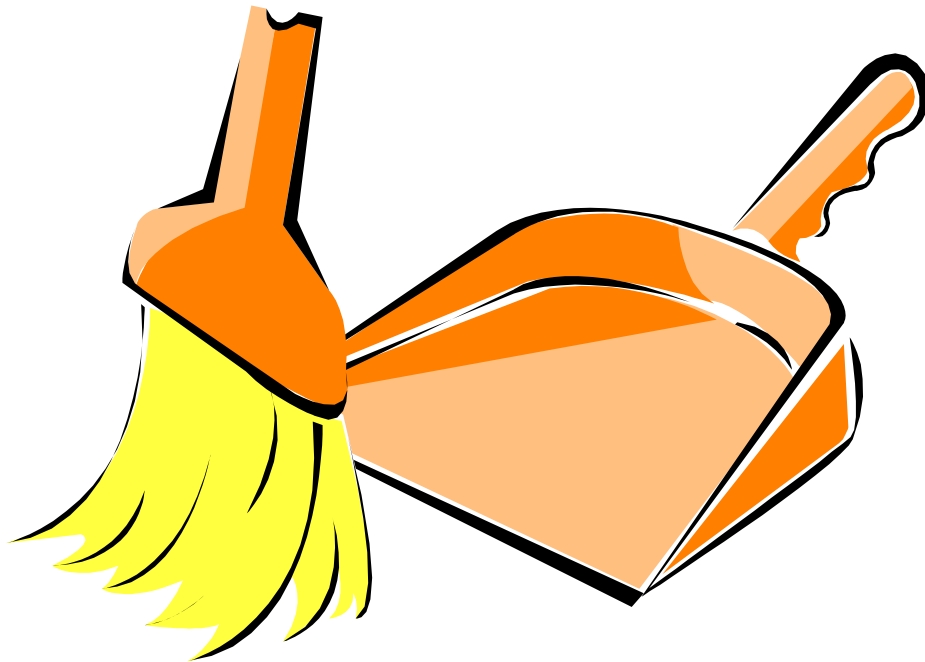


II Corinthians 9:7b

Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

Responsible

Responsible – Trustworthy, accountable; having or involving important duties.



1 Corinthians 4:2

Now it is required that those who have been given a trust must prove faithful.

Compassionate

Compassion – A feeling of sympathy for and a desire to help someone who is suffering.



Ephesians 4:32

Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.

Kind

Kind – Friendly, helpful, and generous.



Luke 6:31

**Do to others as you would
have them do to you.**

Patient

Patient – Bearing pains or trials calmly or without complaint.



Ephesians 4:2

Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love.

Diligent

Diligent - Characterized by steady, earnest, and energetic effort.



Colossians 3:23

Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men.

Faithful

Faithful – Loyal and trustworthy.



Proverbs 17:17

**A friend loves at all times,
and a brother is born for
adversity.**

Godly Character Traits

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Obedient – Colossians 3:20	Respectful – I Peter 2:17a	Honest – Proverbs 12:22
Forgiving- Colossians 3:13	Peacemaker – Proverbs 15:1	Courageous – Joshua 1:9b
Discerning – Proverbs 2:6	Content – Hebrews 13:5b	Servant hearted – Galatians 5:13b
Thankful – Psalm 136:1a	Self control – Phillipians 4:13	Loving – John 13:34
Humble – Phillipians 2:3b	Prayerful – Phillipians 4:6	Modest – I Peter 3:3-4
Joyful – I Thess 5:16-18	Generous – 2Corinthians 9:7b	Responsible- I Corinthians 4:2b
Compassionate – Ephesians 4:32a	Kind – Luke 6:31	Patient – Ephesians 4:2b
Diligent – Colossians 3:23	Faithful – Proverbs 17:17	

Character Trait – Read each character trait together.

Definition – Explain what that character trait means.

Picture – Use this to form a word picture for your child to help them remember what the character trait means.

Bible Verse – Using the Word of God always helps explain and understand it. This should be our true reason for having such Godly character traits! We want to be Christ-like!

Application – Use real-life examples...it may be serious, or it may be silly. But put them in a situation where they might exercise this Godly trait.

Enjoy every moment of this wonderful opportunity to teach your children!