

TEACH YOUR CHILDREN ABOUT YOM KIPPUR!



Teaching your children about Yom Kippur helps them understand what a “clean and pure” heart is and how starting the year this way positions them to live out their Kingdom purpose as they grow in the Lord.

Help them discover what Yom Kippur represents...

REPENTANCE



Repentance is a difficult concept to teach children. It is more than saying, “I’m sorry.”

It’s a desire to change the heart. It’s an understanding that our actions hurt not only ourselves and others but also the Lord. Yom Kippur teaches that when we return to the Lord, He is faithful to forgive.

FORGIVENESS

Repentance and forgiveness go hand in hand. Yom Kippur opens the doors to tell them more about the forgiveness they receive through Jesus. You can say to them, “Jesus offers forgiveness every day of the year, but Yom Kippur is a special day that God tells us about in His Bible. It reminds us how much Jesus did for us and how much we need Him.”



TRUST

It has been said that trust is gained in drops but lost in buckets. As a parent, you can tell your children about God’s trustworthy and faithful character. They need to know He can be trusted with and in all things. Tell them, “God loves you so much that He lets you choose if you will listen to Him or not. However, what He asks you to do, the commands and instructions He gives you are always best!”



CHANGE

Yom Kippur is an opportunity to shape their heart’s desires. They will develop a desire to change as they understand repentance, forgiveness, and trust. You can share with them the reality that they can return to the Lord when mistakes are made. He always welcomes them.



GOODNESS

As your children grow in the Lord and live a lifestyle of repentance, punctuated by the Feast of Yom Kippur, they will begin to see all the good the Lord has for them. Their perspectives start to shift from lack to abundance. They begin to receive and experience the love of their Heavenly Father, feeling loved, accepted, blessed, and anointed.



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