

THE 21 C'S OF FATHERHOOD



Colossians 3:19 Husbands, love your wives [with an affectionate, sympathetic, selfless love that always seeks the best for them] and do not be embittered or resentful toward them [because of the responsibilities of marriage].

21 Fathers, do not provoke or irritate or exasperate your children [with demands that are trivial or unreasonable or humiliating or abusive; nor by favoritism or indifference; treat them tenderly with loving kindness], so they will not lose heart and become discouraged or unmotivated [with their spirits broken].

1. CEO – you are the boss

You are the one in charge of the organization, the head, chief, leader, overseer, master, and owner

2. COMPASS – you provide direction

You are the instrument which shows the direction of true north also an instrument for drawing circles and arcs, or the range or scope of something, the scope, range, extent, reach, span, breadth, width, orbit, limits, confines, parameters, extremities, and boundary

3. COMMUNICATOR – you keep your family informed and up to date

You are the one who has or acquires the ability to skillfully convey or exchange information, news, or ideas

4. CREATOR – you invent things

You are the one who brings something into existence, a designer, deviser, maker, inventor, producer, developer; originator, initiator, instigator, generator, engineer, architect, mastermind, prime mover, and father

5. COMPOSER – you are writing your life-song

You are the one who writes or creates a work of art, especially music or poetry, to think up, frame, formulate, fashion, produce or author

6. CONDUCTOR – you are leading the orchestra

You are the one who directs the performance of an orchestra or choir, a person in charge of a train, a material or device that has the capacity to conduct or transmit heat, electricity, or sound

7. COACH – you train, encourage and correct

You are the athletic instructor or trainer, instructor, teacher, tutor, mentor also defined as; a horse-drawn carriage, a railroad car, carriage, wagon, compartment, van

8. COURAGEOUS – you face your fears

You are not deterred by danger or pain; brave, fearless, valiant, valorous, heroic, lionhearted, manful, bold, daring, and adventurous

9. CHAMPION – you make your family win

You are the one who has defeated or surpassed all rivals in a competition, winner, titleholder, a person who fights or argues for a cause or on behalf of someone else, advocate, defender, protector, upholder, backer, sponsor, prime mover, apostle, evangelist, and missionary

10. CLEVER – you figure out what needs to be done

You are quick to understand, learn, and devise or apply ideas; intelligent, intelligent, bright, smart, brilliant; talented, gifted, educated, learned, knowledgeable, wise, you're a genius

11. CAPABLE – your have the skills or acquire the skills to do the job well

You have the ability, fitness, or quality necessary to do or achieve a specified thing, to have the ability or the potential, to be equal to the task, to have what it takes

12. CONTRIBUTOR – you provide the resources for the families' needs

You contribute something, the one who donates money to the cause, benefactor, giver, supporter, and backer

13. CO-LABORER – you are working together with God and your wife

You are one who labors with another; an associate in labor, especially hard physical work, toil, exertion, industriousness, toiling, drudgery, effort, the sweat of one's brow, elbow grease, chore, mission, commission, assignment

14. CARE-GIVER – you help with the basic human needs of your family

You regularly provide what is necessary for the health, welfare, maintenance, and protection of someone or something, safe keeping, supervision, custody, charge, protection, keeping, keep, control, management, ministrations, guidance, superintendence, responsibility; guardianship, parenting, fathering

15. CLEAN-UP CREW – you help keep everything in your life and home clean

One who helps keep a place clean or tidy, an act of removing or putting an end to disorder, immorality, or crime, in baseball the fourth position in a team's batting order, typically reserved for a power hitter likely to clear the bases by enabling any runners to score

16. COMPASSIONATE – you show empathy and tenderness

One who shows sympathy and concern for others, understanding, caring, concerned, sensitive, tenderhearted, warmhearted, loving, gentle, merciful, lenient, tolerant, considerate, thoughtful, kind, kindhearted, humanitarian, charitable, benevolent, good-natured, and well disposed, you're big-hearted

17. CUDDLER – you provide loving affirming touch to your family

One who holds close in your arms as a way of showing love or affection, to hug, embrace, hold tight, hold in one's arms, to snuggle, you nestle

18. COUNSELLOR – you have a listening ear and offer good advice

You are able to give guidance, as an adviser, consultant, guide, mentor, confidant, instructor, coach, mind doctor, head doctor, you're a healer

19. CHEERLEADER – you root for your children and wife you're their biggest fan

You are an enthusiastic and vocal supporter, to shout for joy or in praise or encouragement, encourage, urge on, spur on, drive on, motivate, rally, inspire, fire, fire up; give someone a lift, keep someone going, see someone through; to light a fire under; congratulate, applaud, clap, shout for, whistle, raise someone's spirits, buoy up, enliven, uplift, give a lift to, perk up, encourage, comfort, you give solace

20. COMEDIAN – you learn to laugh at yourself and find humor in life

You tell jokes or stories that brings forth a comical aspect to amuse or cause laughter, especially a story with a funny punchline, to jest, a pun or play on words; a wisecrack, funny one-liner, humor, you make life fun

21. CLOWN – you can be silly and goofy to help diffuse life's pressures

You are the one who is a comical, silly, playful person, funny man prankster, jester, jokester, buffoon, and kidder

22. THE ULTIMATE C– is to become Christ-like

My Confession based upon Ephesians 5:1-2

I am an imitator of God in everything I do. I am His son growing into full maturity as a man. I am living a life filled with love, following the example of Christ my Lord. Just as He loved me and offered himself as a sacrifice for me, I am willingly doing the same for my family and it is a sweet and pleasing aroma to my Father God.