

A publication of the Southern Baptists of Texas Foundation to educate individuals on the importance of establishing legacies for the work of God and to leave an impact upon family.

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IMPACTING WHAT YOU VALUE

We have a natural motivation to impact and support what we value in this life. We have an instinct to care for what and who we place significance. For most of us, we value family and Kingdom ministries such as our church. We experience real joy from helping our family and those ministries.

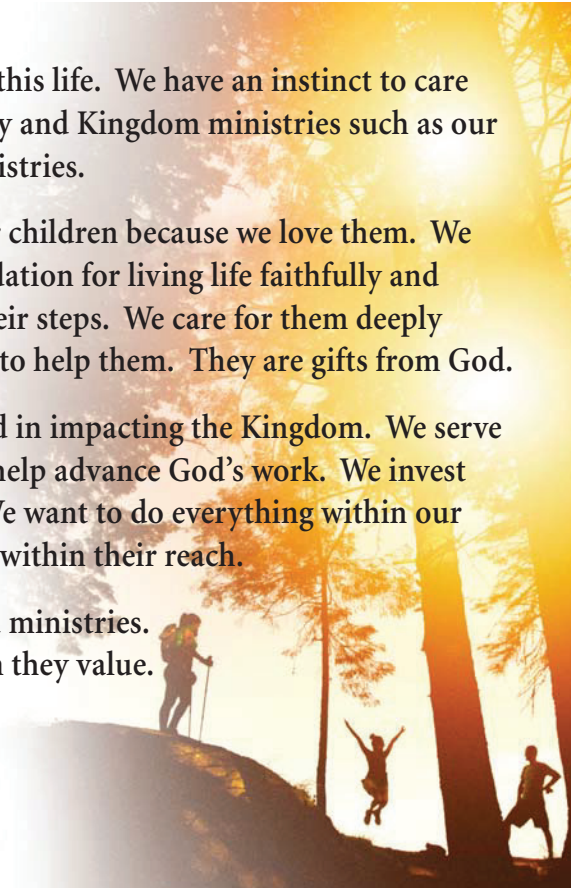
We help our family by caring for them. Specifically, we provide for our children because we love them. We raise them up with Christian values in order to give them a good foundation for living life faithfully and obediently to the Lord. We pray that God protects them and guides their steps. We care for them deeply because we value them highly, and we do everything within our power to help them. They are gifts from God.

In helping ministries, we invest in them because we want to be involved in impacting the Kingdom. We serve them with our time and energy because we believe in their mission to help advance God's work. We invest in them financially because of their eternal results for the Kingdom. We want to do everything within our power to help them. Those ministries are God's arms impacting those within their reach.

Some Christians establish special gifts that can benefit both family and ministries. Through these special gifts, they leave legacies that impact those whom they value.

In Christ,
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Director of Planned Giving



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