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Happy Father's Day!

"The Discipleship Factor" by Shad Felis

2 Timothy 2:1-2

"You therefore, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus. And the things that you heard from me among many witnesses, commit these to faithful men who will be able to teach others also."

It is an awesome blessing to be my dad's son. He has taught me so many things over the years. If I could boil it down to a nutshell, the scripture above is what my dad has taught me the most. Let's break it down and take a closer look.

1. My dad always let me know I was his prized son, and still let's me know how special I am to him. It's important to use words to let others know how you feel about them.

2. My dad has always been a man of strength. I have never seen him back down from anything or anyone. Fear is not part of his character. With that said, the biggest strength my dad has is that he is strong in Jesus' grace. He has been set free from legalism and in turn has helped me and so many others break free from the burden of the law. Before I got married to Anna, I asked him some advice before I took the plunge. He said, "Make sure she knows God's grace."

3. My dad is a picture of faithfulness. Since I was little he has always worked hard. Consistently, year after year working to provide for my mom, sister and myself. He has been faithful to my mom day after day for a long, long, time. He has always been a faithful teacher, preacher of God's Word. You can count on a great message anytime he has the stage. Whether it's preaching the gospel in a church or on the streets, he is faithful in teaching people about Jesus.



Barry with Shad and Amber



Barry and Shad Felis

4. Finally, my dad is a faithful friend. You can always count on him to be there for you. When I have had my real trials, I would call him first. Whether on the phone or in person it feels safe when I speak from my heart to my dad.

My dad is not a sprint Christian, firework Christian, or showman Christian. my dad is a faithful Christian, and I am glad that he rubs off on me.

Living Loved

I became a Dad 51 years ago, then once again 2 years later. My Son, Shad and Daughter, Amber, next to my wife Linda, have been the biggest blessings of my life. Watching them grow up becoming all that God has had in store for them. They both love the Lord Jesus and serve Him. There is no greater joy than to know that they have given their lives to the Lord, and that He loves them unconditionally. "I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth" 3 John 1:4. In turn, they both love me and show it in so many ways. I am a man who is "Living and Loved" by God and by my family. It just doesn't get any better than that. To know that someday we will all be together in heaven rejoicing in what the Lord has done. "For You have made him most blessed forever; You have made him exceedingly glad with Your presence," Psalm 21:6. I can honestly say this Fathers Day, that I am most blessed, as a father and husband and living loved.



Barry praying with a young man at the skate park



Jean Wilfong praying for Jason

PRAYER REQUESTS:

*Preparation for my July Guatemala mission trip.
Summer Pier to Pier Outreach Plans
Beacon Light Mission Preaching
Alondra Park Summer Outreaches
Barry & Linda's continued good Health
New Open Doors for Creative Outreaches*



Linda praying with students at Torrance High

JUNE OUTREACH SCHEDULE

Balboa Pier June 1st
Redondo Pier June 2nd
Huntington Pier June 8th
Hermosa Pier June 9th
Prayer Meeting June 15th
Manhattan Pier June 16th
Seal Beach Pier June 22nd
Redondo Pier June 23rd
Fellowship Night June 29th
Santa Monica Pier June 30th All Outreach Starting Time 7:30 PM

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