

Prayer for One's Children



*My God,
Source of all life,
thank you for the blessing you gave me
when you entrusted me with children.
I have tried faithfully to live up to your expectations.
It is not for me
but for each of them that I pray.
Care for them in your great kindness.
Whatever I am lacking, supply the blessing of your protection.
You see the sincere love of my caring, small as it is,
compared with what they need and deserve.
In the name of this love,
keep them, along the path of life,
free from evil,
and make them always strong, happy, and loving.
All of them without distinction, are a living part of my being.
My God,
I want them to be better than I am.
In the midst of the rich opportunities of life,
may they count on your powerful help.
Every day, as I pray for my needs, my God,
I am actually praying for them.
In total confidence I place them under your divine care.
Amen.*

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