

"Be Fruitful and Multiply"

Psalm 127

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Unless the LORD builds a house, they who build it labor in vain; unless the LORD guards a city, the watchman stays awake in vain.

² It is futile for you to rise up early, to stay up late, to eat the bread of painful labor; this is how He gives to His beloved sleep.

³ Behold, children are a gift of the LORD, The fruit of the womb is a reward.

⁴ Like arrows in the hand of a warrior, So are the children of one's youth.

⁵ Blessed is the man whose quiver is full of them; They will not be ashamed when they speak with their enemies in the gate.

Lessons from Psalm 127

As <u>human beings</u> we were made to <u>multiply</u> our lives into the <u>lives</u> of others.

We are to live <u>content</u> in the <u>person</u> and <u>purposes</u> of God.

We are to give <u>ourselves</u> to <u>build</u> into <u>future generations</u>.

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