

Today, on this Summer Wednesday:

The Everlasting, Eternal, Forever God is your Future and your Hope!

Gather your children together and read: Jeremiah 29:11

“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.”

Application: Soon after our children were able to grasp the concept of time beyond the present moment, hour and day, we discovered that any activity that was attached to “a wait”, had its own set of questions. . . I think you will understand.

One of their favorite kitchen activities was baking chocolate chip cookies. . . “Mom, are they done yet? When will they be done? ” Waiting was so hard for them! Certainly the same principle applied to a summer trip as we drove to their grandparents’ home, TWO hours away. . . “Daddy, are we there yet? WHEN are we going to be there? ”

I think that we probably do the same thing to our Everlasting, Eternal, Forever God who tells us about the future and the hope He has for us, His children. How often do we ask Him. . . the same questions as we WAIT. . . WAIT. . . WAIT. . . When? When? ?

Today, tell your precious ones that their Heavenly Father has a future and a hope for their lives. Remind them that no matter what the current circumstances look like, nothing can change God’s attention, His intention, His plan and His purpose for those who call Him Father.

Remind them to never, never, never give up waiting on God. . . Just like the waiting for the cookies to bake, or the long trip to the grandparents’ house is worth the wait. . . the future that God has for them as they follow His ways is so much better than anything we can imagine! The Everlasting, Eternal, Forever God has a future and a hope for your precious ones. . . and for you. . . It is worth the wait. . .

Memory Verse:

“For the LORD is good and His love continues forever; His faithfulness continues through all generations.” Psalm 100:5

Pray to your Everlasting, Eternal, Forever God and thank Him for the amazing future and hope that He has just for you. . . just for your precious ones. Thank Him for His faithfulness!