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When meeting new families, it is awesome to meet and see their faith in action. From what they do and why. Showing what was taught to them when they were young and how they share and move it to the next generation. But they are moving it back to the generation that taught them as well.

Psalm 1:1-2 New International Version

BOOK I

Psalms 1–41

Psalm 1

[1] Blessed is the one
who does not walk in step with the wicked
or stand in the way that sinners take
or sit in the company of mockers,
[2] but whose delight is in the law of the Lord,
and who meditates on his law day and night.

They do not want their loved ones forget the word of God. To live and walk in it. To remember the promises to give them peace especially when they start to forget. To move with Him.

1 Thessalonians 5:11 New International Version

[11] Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing.

Allowing one another to be encouraged and live with Him. After all, forever in heaven is the reward that they don't want forgotten. To know He will be with us. Walking and promising us all along the way, It reminds me the verse that confused our brother Thomas. Good old doubting Tom. Forgetting what Christ tried to teach them.

John 14:4-5 New International Version

[4] You know the way to the place where I am going."

Jesus the Way to the Father

[5] Thomas said to him, "Lord, we don't know where you are going, so how can we know the way?"

Thomas did not get it. Let's remember two things: Jesus was called the way, because he is the way to salvation. Two, God is know as the great I am. He gave himself that nickname when Moses ask Him what if the masses want to know God's name? He responded I am who I am I am the great I am. So let's sub those words in verse 4:

What Christ is saying is: you know *Jesus* is the way to *God*. When we relace Gods two names in the sentence.

I am Following the way to the great I am,

Chaplain Tony