



You can be showered and ready in 10 minutes.

You can watch a game in silence with your buddy for hours.

You can go to the bathroom without a support group.

Your pals can be trusted never to trap you with:
"So...notice anything different?"

### The ABCs of Fatherhood A father of PURPOSE

"A Christ-like example is the greatest gift a dad can leave the next generation."

Jim Dobson

#### The ABCs of Fatherhood

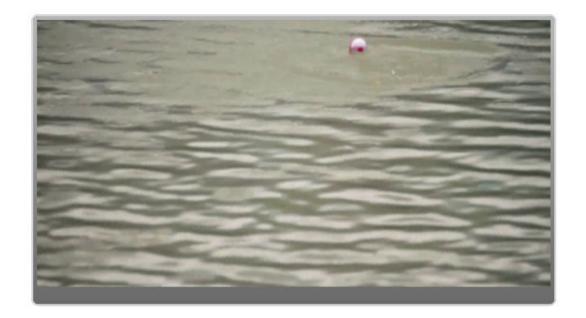
**B**<u>UILDING</u> up through words of ENCOURAGEMENT

"And a voice came from heaven: 'You are my Son, whom I love; with you I am well pleased."

Mark 1:11

"...just as you know how we were exhorting and encouraging and imploring each one of you as a father would his own children..."

1 Thessalonians 2:11



## The ABCs of Fatherhood CALLING upon the LORD

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DELIGHTING in each child as a <u>GIFT</u>

"Behold, children are a *gift* of the Lord,

The fruit of the womb is a reward. Like arrows in the hand of a warrior, So are the children of one's youth.

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

Psalm 127:3-5

# DADS...ENJOY the PRIVILEGE of being the FAMILY <u>SHEPHERD</u>!

