## <u>Father's Day – 3 December 2023</u> Dad Is Awesome (Cool)

Today, we will learn why dads are awesome and why we should see our dads as awesome.

Do you agree that God is an awesome Father, a perfect Father?

- 1 God is an awesome Father Exodus 6:6-8, Exodus 12:35-36
  - 1.1 Even though God is an awesome and perfect father, Israel complained Exodus 15:24, Exodus 16:2.
  - 1.2 Why did Israel complain against an awesome and perfect God?
    - 1.2.1 Israel became unhappy and began to complain because they were focused on what they did not have, on the problems and difficulties, instead of focusing on all that God had done for them and given to them.
- 2 Peace and thankfulness in your heart Colossians 3:15
  - 2.1 God wants you to be thankful because it will bring peace into your heart and help you create a happy life.
  - 2.2 Regardless of our age, we all have much to be thankful for Psalm 103:1-5

<u>Conclusion:</u> Dads are Awesome. We should see our dads as awesome because of all they do for and give to us. Focus on all that is good about your dad, and begin to thank God and your dad for all he does for you. Then, your dad will become awesome, and you will have peace and happiness in your heart.

## **Discussion Questions:**

- 1. Why did Israel complain against an awesome and perfect father?
- 2. What can you do to begin to be thankful and see your dad as awesome?
- 3. Why does God want you to be thankful?