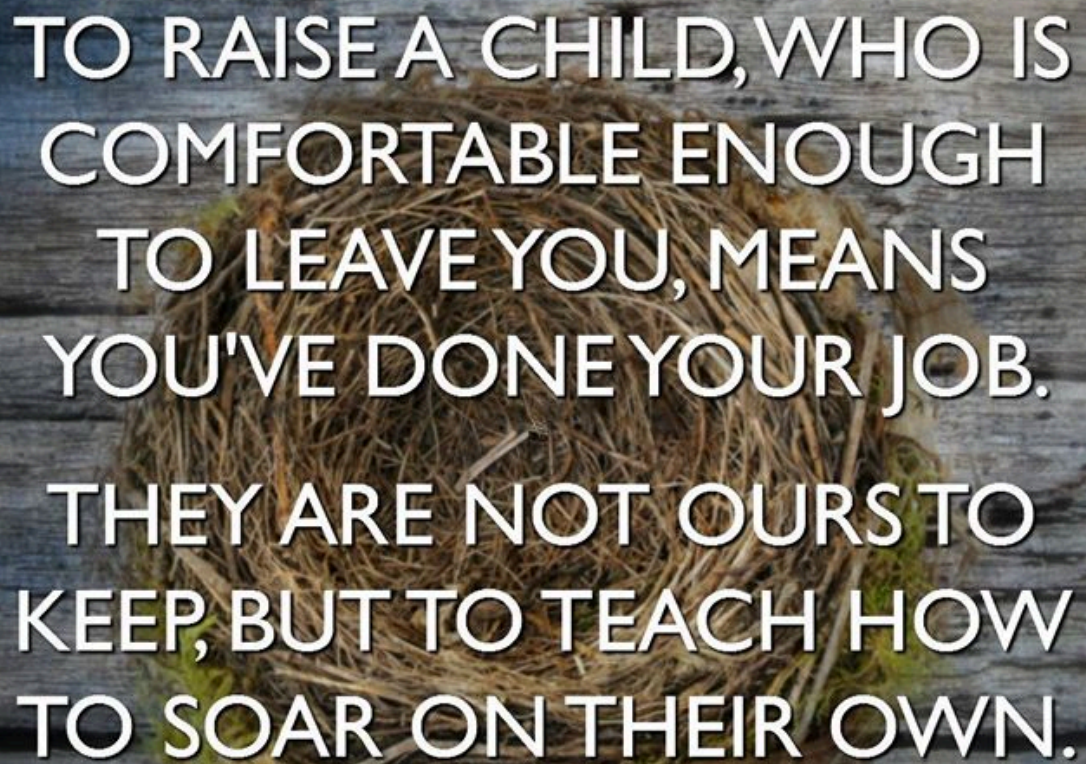


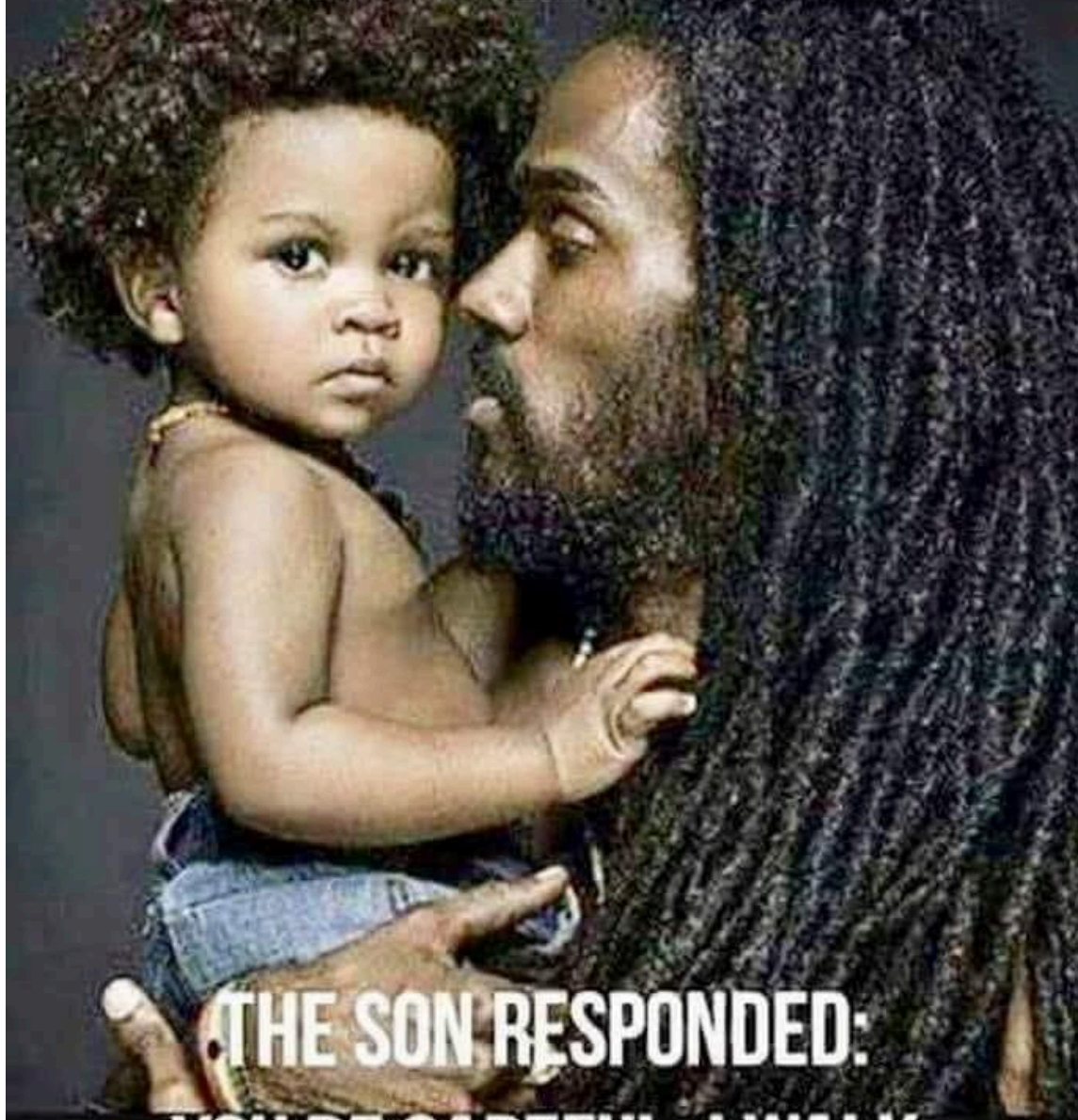
RUNNING QUOTES - PARENTING

A photograph of a nest made of dry straw and twigs, resting on a weathered wooden plank. The nest is the central focus, with the text overlaid on it. The background is a blurred wooden surface.

TO RAISE A CHILD, WHO IS
COMFORTABLE ENOUGH
TO LEAVE YOU, MEANS
YOU'VE DONE YOUR JOB.
THEY ARE NOT OURS TO
KEEP, BUT TO TEACH HOW
TO SOAR ON THEIR OWN.

- AUTHOR UNKNOWN -

**A FATHER SAID TO HIS SON:
BE CAREFUL WHERE YOU WALK.**



**THE SON RESPONDED:
YOU BE CAREFUL, I WALK
IN YOUR FOOTSTEPS.**

50 QUESTIONS TO ASK YOUR KIDS AFTER SCHOOL INSTEAD OF “HOW WAS YOUR DAY?”

- What made you smile today?
- Can you tell me an example of kindness you saw/showed?
- What did you do that was creative?
- Who did you sit with at lunch?
- Was anyone in your class gone today?
- Tell me something you know today that you didn't know yesterday.
- Did you like your lunch?
- What was the hardest rule to follow today?
- If you could change one thing about your day, what would it be?
- What made your teacher smile?
What made her frown?
- If you could switch seats with anyone in class, who would it be? And why?
- What kind of person were you today?

Don't become preoccupied with your child's academic ability but instead teach them to sit with those sitting alone. Teach them to be kind. Teach them to offer their help. Teach them to be a friend to the lonely. Teach them to encourage others. Teach them to think about other people. Teach them to share. **Teach them to look for the good. This is how they'll change the world.**





Not a mistake
Not a problem
Not a burden
Not an
inconvenience
Not a nuisance
Not an accident
Not a punishment
A MIRACLE



SOMETIMES WE ARE *moms who do too much*
because we have children WHO DO TOO LITTLE.

MAKE IT YOUR GOAL TO
work yourself out of a job.

IF A CHILD CAN USE A CELL PHONE,
they can run a washing machine.

#HoodwinkedBook
#NoMoreHoodwinkedMoms



When your kids are born,
reserve them an email address.

Over the years send them photos,
notes, kid-isms, stories, photocopies
of their achievements etc.

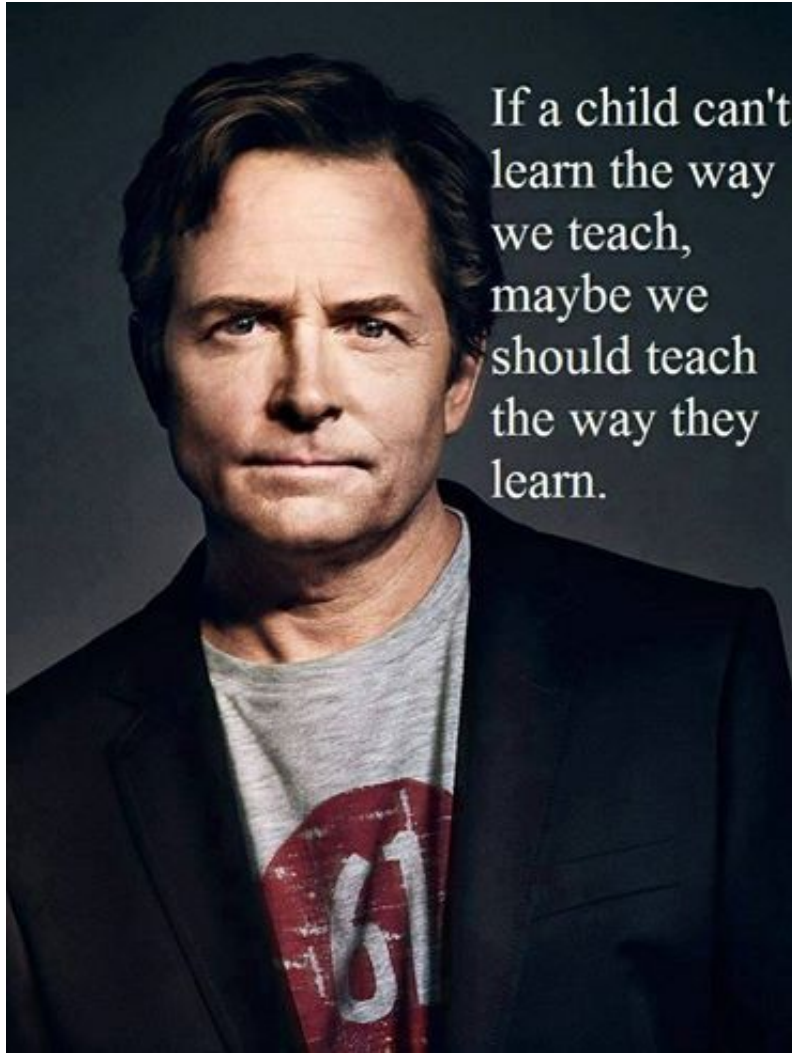
On their 18th birthday

Give them the password!

It is not what you do for
your children,
but what you have taught
them to do for themselves,
that will make them
successful human beings.

Ann Landers

Anyone can have a child and call themselves "a parent". A real parent is someone who puts that child above their own selfish needs and wants.



If a child can't
learn the way
we teach,
maybe we
should teach
the way they
learn.

I'M SORRY, DOES THIS SCARE YOU?

INGREDIENTS: 42.6% CORN SYRUP SOLIDS, 14.7% SOY PROTEIN ISOLATE, 11.5% HIGH OLEIC SAFFLOWER OIL, 10.1% SUGAR (SUCROSE), 8.4% SOY OIL, 7.8% COCONUT OIL, 2.4% CALCIUM PHOSPHATE; LESS THAN 2.0% OF: C. COHNII OIL†, M. ALPINA OIL†, POTASSIUM CITRATE, SODIUM CHLORIDE, MAGNESIUM CHLORIDE, ASCORBIC ACID, L-METHIONINE, POTASSIUM CHLORIDE, CHOLINE CHLORIDE, TAURINE, FERROUS SULFATE, ASCORBYL PALMITATE, m-INOSITOL, ZINC SULFATE, MIXED TOCOPHEROLS, L-CARNITINE, NIACINAMIDE, d-ALPHA-TOCOPHERYL ACETATE, CALCIUM PANTOTHENATE, CUPRIC SULFATE, THIAMINE CHLORIDE HYDROCHLORIDE, VITAMIN A PALMITATE, RIBOFLAVIN, PYRIDOXINE HYDROCHLORIDE, BETA-CAROTENE, FOLIC ACID, POTASSIUM IODIDE, POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE, PHYLLIOQUINONE, BIOTIN, SODIUM SELENATE, VITAMIN D₃ AND CYANOCOBALAMIN.

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*Ⓢ Contains no dairy ingredients. Manufactured on dairy equipment.

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**THESE ARE THE LIST OF INGREDIENTS FOUND IN
SIMILAC BABY FORMULA.
83% SUGAR AND OIL...AND THIS IS OK?**

Don't talk to me right now...
I was up all night keeping my parents awake
and I'm exhausted



A worried
mother does
better
research
than the FBI.

Hip2Save

I want you to think about your
parents for a moment.

Your birthday is their celebration
Your happiness is their joy
Your future is their legacy
If they had to bury you, it would
kill them.

So please next time they say "be safe"
or "let me know you get there ok"
don't just brush it off,
because to them, you are everything.

#drivethepromise



Children hear everything you say,
And they mimic everything you do.
Give them a good example.

Yente
2009

**CHICKS MATCHING PURSES TO CLOTHES
BUT CAN'T MATCH BABIES TO DADDIES**



BUT THAT'S NONE OF MY BUSINESS



Or yourself.....ummm? Can you even imagine pouring a Coke or Capri Sun on your plants?

gasp emoticon