



SAMPLE BLESSING LETTER

BEST USE

As a guideline to writing a blessing letter to a child who is leaving home.

SUMMARY

Amid the last minute packing a tearful goodbyes that accompany launching your young adult from the nest, stop to spend a few minutes writing him or her a letter.

Use the reverse side as an example to help you craft your own letter.



Dear *NAME*,

I received you as a gift from God on *BIRTH DATE/ADOPTION DATE*. I now give you back to Him as you leave home to *ATTEND COLLEGE/MOVE AWAY/ESTABLISH YOUR OWN HOUSEHOLD*. Being your parent has been one of the greatest privileges of my life. While our daily relationship will now change, my love and prayers for you will never end.

I will ask our Heavenly Father to protect, guide, and bless you as you enter an exciting new season of life. I plan to cheer you on as God uses you to impact His world.

PERHAPS MENTION SPECIFIC AREAS OF THE CHILD'S SKILLS/INTEREST.

I will pray that God will give you grace to maintain your faith and integrity when you face inevitable struggles and temptations. He made you for a purpose. If you stay in God's Word and follow His leading, I know you will become all that He made you to be.

I want you to know I am very proud of you. I am only a phone call away if you ever want to talk or need advice or wisdom.

I love you, *NAME*. I cannot wait to see how God will use you in the years to come.

DAD/MOM