

*To my "rare and beautiful treasures" (Psalm 24:4):
Cassandra, Casey, and Doug.*

*To my daughter, Cassandra,
for being so excited about hiding God's Word in your heart, and for
trying out all my ideas, and helping me make them better. As you
delight in God's Word, may He make you like a fruitful tree planted
by streams of water, and make you prosper in whatever you do
(Psalm 1:2-4).*

*To my son, Casey,
for showing me that even a 2-year-old is not too young to learn
memory verses. I am so thrilled that many of your first sentences are
from God's Word. May God use His Word in your heart to teach you
knowledge and good judgment (Psalm 119:66) and keep your way
pure (Psalm 119:9).*

*To my husband, Doug,
for encouraging my creativity, brainstorming with me, sharpening me,
giving me the freedom and confidence to pursue new challenges and
ministries, and for letting the word of Christ dwell in you richly
(Colossians 3:16) as you have studied, memorized, taught, and lived
according to His Word, leading others to see and worship God
through your music, teaching and testimony. "May the God of
peace. . .equip you with everything good for doing His will, and may
He work in us what is pleasing to Him, through Jesus Christ, to
whom be glory for ever and ever" (Hebrews 13:20-21).*