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*The Seven Spiritual Laws of Success*

## *The Seven Spiritual Laws of Success for Parents*

*Guiding Your Children to  
Success and Fulfilment*

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## About the Book

Deepak Chopra's *Seven Spiritual Laws of Success* have touched a chord around the globe because of their simplicity and truth. This book takes those laws one by one and explores the many ways parents can bring them into the lives of their children.

Explaining that success depends on who you are rather than on what you do, this world-renowned physician and author shows that spirituality lies at the source of all achievement in life. Suggesting ways that parents can help their children absorb this timeless wisdom from an early age, Deepak Chopra offers a daily programme of practical, thought-provoking ideas for the whole family to follow. In this way, parents can teach their children how to live in the most effortless, harmonious and creative way – and thus know true abundance throughout their lives.

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# The Seven Spiritual Laws of Success for Parents



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To my wife, Rita;  
to my children,  
Mallika and Gautama;  
and to my parents,  
Krishan and Pushpa,  
all of whom taught me  
the true meaning of parenting

*'Deepak Chopra's thoughts on spirituality and child rearing are original,  
profound and fascinating'*

BENJAMIN SPOCK, MD



# Introduction

After my book *The Seven Spiritual Laws of Success* was published, the response was immediate and very beautiful: thousands of people who read the book began to practice in their daily lives the principles that Nature uses to create everything in material existence.

In time I received requests from many of these people who also happened to be parents. Their requests took many forms, but they echoed a single theme: “As much as I have benefited from living these spiritual laws, I wish I had learned them years ago. The value of such principles as giving, having no resistance, and trusting in the universe to fulfill my desires seems obvious now, but it wasn’t at first. It was a struggle to break the destructive habits that I grew up with. As a parent I don’t want my own children to learn the same bad habits and later have to go through the same pain of having to change. How can I make sure that doesn’t happen?”

I wrote this new book to answer these requests, extending *The Seven Spiritual Laws* specifically to parents. It will show anyone who wants to interpret the spiritual laws for children how to do that in terms a child can understand and apply. My approach here is founded on the belief that every parent needs tools to raise children with a true understanding of the workings of Nature and consciousness.

Everyone in the world wants something; everyone in the world has desires. Children need to know, from the beginning, that desire is the most basic drive in human nature. It is the energy of the spirit. When we grow up and seek answers to profound questions or set out to solve