

Session Two

Session 2 – Overview

- 1. Teaching Our Kids about the Lord
- 2. Partnering in Parenting
- 3. Behavior and Attitudes and Discipline

Reminder:

- **2 Timothy 3:16-17**
 - All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness,
 - ¹⁷ so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.
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- **We'll use a LOT of Proverbs**
 - A major theme throughout Proverbs is becoming righteous through obedience
 - If we are to train our kids in righteousness, then we've got to be able to know the bible and train them with it.
 - ALL SCRIPTURE is useful for teaching IN RIGHTEOUSNESS

Teaching Our Kids About The Lord

Deuteronomy 5:29

- "Oh, that their hearts would be inclined to fear me and keep all my commands always, ___ _____ it might go well with them and their children _____!"
 - SO THAT – it will go well for them AND their children!

- Fear God, obey His commands and watch the _____ unfolding of His blessing upon your family!

- **5:32-33**

- So be _____ what the Lord your God has commanded you; _____ to the right or to the left
- Walk in _____ to all that the Lord your God has commanded you, _____ you may live and prosper and prolong your days in the land that you will possess.

READ Deuteronomy 6:1-9

- God gave to Moses to give to the parents
 - It's not the _____ job to spiritualize your kids
- It's your _____ to speak about the Lord
 - Talk about why your relationship with God so important

Your _____:

- **1. _____ the Lord your God**
 - With all your _____
 - With all your _____
 - With all your _____
 - This encompasses all of you!
 - Live a life _____ for the LORD
 - By doing this it WILL _____ into your kids lives!
- **2. _____ them on your children**
 - Sharpen, teach, teach diligently

- This implies that _____ your children
 - **** REMEMBER ****
 - You are the perfect parent for your child to hear from!
- **3. _____ About God!**
 - _____ you are!
 - Make God _____!
- **4. Tie them as _____ and bind them on your foreheads**

Partnering in Parenting

- The power of teamwork
- Open and clear dialogue
- Understanding approach together
- Making sure your kids know that mom and dad are a team
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The _____ of Teamwork

Deut. 32:30

- _____ can stand against 1,000 but _____ against 2,000

Ecclesiastes 4:12

- Though one may be overpowered,
_____ can defend themselves.
A cord of _____ strands is not quickly broken.

Constant _____ about each Child

- ____-_____ conversation about your kids helps you stay together and on the same page in how you are parenting them
- Partnering together REALLY _____ each child!
 - _____ - this is your call to be _____
 - You've GOT to work at this!
 - _____ - This is your call to _____ and _____ with dad
 - _____

Pray for your children and your family _____

_____ Team to your kids

- Mom and Dad are on the _____
- It is _____ tension to work through
 - Teach your kids that answers do not have to come _____

_____ and _____ your spouse in front of your kids

Behavior and _____ of kids

- _____ is KEY

- **Do your kids _____ your voice?**
 - **If so, _____ to shape that**
 - **If not – its most likely due to a lack of _____**

STAND AND STRETCH!!!

Boundaries and Discipline

- **Ps. 16:5-6**
 - **Lord, you alone are my *portion and my cup*;
you make my _____.**
 - **⁶The boundary lines have fallen for me in _____
_____;
surely I have a _____.**
- **Boundaries are a _____**
- **He is ALL WE _____**
- **He gives us _____**
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QUESTION to Consider:

- **If God has provided these boundaries as a blessing for us, why do we neglect providing clear boundaries for our children?**

- **Free _____ Children**

- **No _____ what**

- **You _____ in boundaries**

Providing _____ loving boundaries for our kids is _____ for their relationships:

- **Establishing Boundaries is the beginning of discipline**

Discipline

Questions to Consider:

- **Does the Lord discipline His children?**
 - **So if I am a child of God and I mirror my relationship with Him with that of my children**
 - **Why would I _____ discipline out?**

Our culture (the world) says that we should _____ as that brings upon _____ in our children

- **Culture also says that we are supposed to make sure our kids are "_____"**
 - **Though this may be the model of the world**
 - **Happy doesn't mean _____**

- The _____ of us as parents is to raise our kids to _____ to the voice of God
 - To be _____ to His direction
 - To _____ Him
 - To _____ Him and _____ His love for them

Discipline starts with _____!

- **Proverbs 22:15**

- "Foolishness is bound in the heart of a child, but the rod of discipline will drive it far away."

- **Proverbs 1:32-33**

- "For the waywardness of the simple will kill them, and the complacency of fools will destroy them; but whoever listens to me will live in safety and be at ease without fear of harm."

- **Proverbs 10:21**

- "The lips of the righteous nourish many, but fools die for a lack of sense."

- **Proverbs 10:17**

- "Whoever heeds discipline shows the way to life, but whoever ignores correction leads others astray."

_____!!!!

- **As a child of God and allowing His discipline in my life.....**
 - **Am I an example to my children allowing God to water me and knead into me all that I need?**

3 Words Describe Discipline:

- 1. To _____
 - Verbally talk through situation
- 2. _____
 - which means to verbally reprove
- 3. _____
 - which means a sensible physical punishment (spank)

Scripture for discipline:

- We already read 22:15
- Proverbs 13:24
 - "Whoever spares the rod hates their children, but the one who loves their children is careful to discipline them."
- Proverbs 19:18
 - "Discipline your children, for in that there is HOPE; do not be a willing party to their death."
- Proverbs 23:13-14
 - "Do not withhold discipline from a child; if you punish them with the rod, they will not die. Punish them with the rod and save them from death."
- Proverbs 29:15-17
 - "A rod and a reprimand impart wisdom, but a child left undisciplined disgraces its mother.
 - When the wicked thrive, so does sin, but the righteous will see their downfall.

- Discipline your children, and they will give you peace; they will bring you the delights you desire.”

READ Hebrews 12:7-13

- This is just as much for ____ as it is for your _____!
- Two _____ POINTS:
 - 1. God _____ us for our own good
 - 2. In order that we may _____ in his holiness
- It never seems _____
- Too many of us have picked up worldly models that contradict the Word of God...
 - They say that discipline is shaming
 - They say that spanking is abuse
 - They say that saying the word “No” is never appropriate
 - These worldly Models are unable to _____ with the Word of God
- The Word of God should be our starting point
 - Which confirms and affirms discipline
 - As it produces _____ for our children

Guidelines for Administering Discipline:

- 1. Be _____ – don't let it linger!
- 2. Without _____
 - James 1:20
 - "Human anger does not produce the righteousness that God desires."
- 3. _____ 2 _____!!!
- 4. _____
- 5. _____
- 6. _____ and _____
- 7. _____ and _____ Forgiveness
- 8. _____
- 9. _____ and _____

BRACELETS

- I've described this model as _____ but _____

Healthy Discipline takes _____ and _____

We should not parent for today, but

You are the _____ of God in their life

- **Firm believer if they can't hear my voice**
 - **Why would I think they can hear God's?**
 - **The way they view you**
 - **The way they respond to your authority**
 - **The way they obey you**

**It is vital that as they _____ to you and
_____ to you**

**As we implement these truths into the lives of
our kids they will grow to be confident in
their relationship with you and God!**

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