

Disciplining Our Children



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As a Christian parent, what is the ultimate goal of your parenting?

What is the first step?

How ?

Proverbs 22:15, Foolishness is bound up in the HEART of a child; The rod of discipline will remove it far from him.

Proverbs 19:18, Discipline your son while there is hope (when he is young), and do not desire his death (or, to his destruction, or, to cause him to die)

Proverbs 23:13-14, Do not hold back discipline from the child, Although you strike him with the rod, he will not die. You shall strike him with the rod and rescue his soul from Sheol (meaning premature death due to his folly or literal hell due to condemnation for his sin).

How do we maintain this Biblical relationship of
Honoring Parents in the HEARTS of our children
so that they will:

- ✎ follow in our ways—be our disciples
- ✎ have the blessing of God's promises imbedded in the fifth Commandment?

1. Keep a close relationship with them—TIME AND COMMUNICATION

2. Teach them
✎ "in the way"

✎ planned

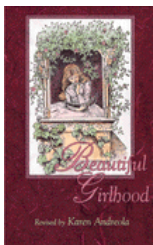

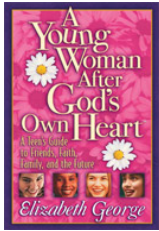


✎ profiting from others' ministries

3. Be an example of what you want them to be

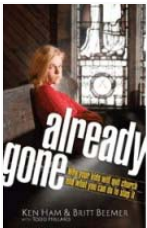
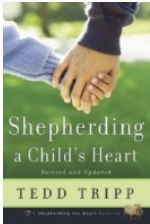
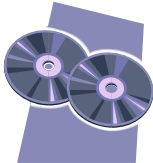
4. Admonish them

Resources:

A. To use with your youth

Book	Title	Author
	<i>Beautiful Girlhood</i>	Karen Andreola
	<i>Changed Into His Image</i> (Youth Edition)	Jim Berg
	<i>A Young Woman After God's Own Heart: A Teen's Guide</i>	Elizabeth George
	<i>Loving God with All Your Mind</i>	Elizabeth George
	<i>Principles of Christian Growth</i> (bjuonline.com)	Mark Minnick

B. For you as the Parent

Book	Title	Author
	<i>Already Gone</i>	Ken Ham, Britt Beemer, and with Todd Hillard
	<i>Shepherding a Child's Heart</i>	Tedd Tripp
	<i>Effective Discipleship</i> Wilds' Youth Workers Conference 2010 MP3s available in the Bookstore	Steve Pettit

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