



Parent Your Child to Bring Honor

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¹³That’s the whole story. Here now is my final conclusion: Fear God and obey His commands, for this is everyone’s duty. ¹⁴God will judge us for everything we do, including every secret thing, whether good or bad. *Ecclesiastes 12:13-14*

⁵⁴Your decrees have been the theme of my songs wherever I have lived. ⁵⁵I reflect at night on who You are, O Lord; therefore, I obey Your instructions. ⁵⁶This is how I spend my life: obeying Your commandments. ⁵⁷Lord, You are mine! I promise to obey Your words! ⁵⁸With all my heart I want Your blessings. Be merciful as You promised. ⁵⁹I pondered the direction of my life, and I turned to follow Your laws. ⁶⁰I will hurry, without delay, to obey Your commands. *Psalms 119:54-60*

²⁶But anyone who hears My teaching and doesn’t obey it is foolish, like a person who builds a house on sand. *Matthew 7:26*

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¹³So think clearly and exercise self-control. Look forward to the gracious salvation that will come to you when Jesus Christ is revealed to the world. ¹⁴So you must live as God’s obedient children. Don’t slip back into your old ways of living to satisfy your own desires. You didn’t know any better then. ¹⁵But now you must be holy in everything you do, just as God who chose you is holy. ¹⁶For the Scriptures say, “You must be holy because I am holy.” *1 Peter 1:13-16*

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⁶Direct your children onto the right path, and when they are older, they will not leave it. *Proverbs 22:6*

¹⁶All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right. ¹⁷God uses it to prepare and equip His people to do every good work. *2 Timothy 3:16-17*

⁴“Listen, O Israel! The Lord is our God, the Lord alone. ⁵And you must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your strength. ⁶And you must commit yourselves wholeheartedly to these commands that I am giving you today. ⁷Repeat them again and again to your children. Talk about them when you are at home and when you are on the road, when you are going to bed and when you are getting up. *Deuteronomy 6:4-7*

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