

Marriage and Family v2

Lesson 7
Children

Parents

1. Work and pray together as godly parents in a scriptural marriage
2. Do what is right even if your spouse is disobedient to God's Word
3. Parenting impacts your soul, society, the church and future generations
4. Recognize children are a gift from God for you to train to serve God

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Parents

5. Provide life's physical necessities
6. Provide spiritual training that children may love and fear God above all
7. Lovingly teach and discipline children that they will lovingly obey you
8. Teach children to obey the government but never to disobey God
9. Teach children the value of work and giving beginning with family

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Introduction

- Now, after focusing on parents, we turn to the role of children in the family
- Their role is simple but important and extends beyond their childhood when God calls on them to honor their parents even with financial support if need be
- Too often, children are not taught obedience to parents but are left to lead their own lives catering to their selfish desires

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Introduction

- Also, even if parents seek to guide their children by the Word of God, many elements of society conspire together to brainwash children with corrupt thinking and beliefs that are designed to destroy their relationship with their parents and with God
- These elements include government, education, social media and many times their peers

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Obey your parents

Eph 6:1 Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right.

Col 3:20 Children, be obedient to your parents in all things, for this is well-pleasing to the Lord.

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Obey your parents

Pro 13:1 A wise son accepts his father's discipline, But a scoffer does not listen to rebuke.

Pro 15:1 A gentle answer turns away wrath, But a harsh word stirs up anger.

Pro 15:10 Grievous punishment is for him who forsakes the way; He who hates reproof will die.

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Obey your parents

Exo 21:15 "He who strikes his father or his mother shall surely be put to death.

Exo 21:17 "He who curses his father or his mother shall surely be put to death.

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Obey your parents

Deu 21:18 "If any man has a stubborn and rebellious son who will not obey his father or his mother, and when they chastise him, he will not even listen to them,

Deu 21:19 then his father and mother shall seize him, and bring him out to the elders of his city at the gateway of his hometown.

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Obey your parents

Deu 21:20 "They shall say to the elders of his city, 'This son of ours is stubborn and rebellious, he will not obey us, he is a glutton and a drunkard.'

Deu 21:21 "Then all the men of his city shall stone him to death; so you shall remove the evil from your midst, and all Israel will hear of it and fear.

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Obey your parents

Luk 2:46 Then, after three days they found Him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers, both listening to them and asking them questions.

Luk 2:47 And all who heard Him were amazed at His understanding and His answers.

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Obey your parents

Luk 2:48 When they saw Him, they were astonished; and His mother said to Him, "Son, why have You treated us this way? Behold, Your father and I have been anxiously looking for You."

Luk 2:49 And He said to them, "Why is it that you were looking for Me? Did you not know that I had to be in My Father's house?"

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Obey your parents

Luk 2:50 But they did not understand the statement which He had made to them.

Luk 2:51 And He went down with them and came to Nazareth, and He continued in subjection to them; and His mother treasured all these things in her heart.

Luk 2:52 And Jesus kept increasing in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and men.

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Obey your parents

Act 5:27 When they had brought them, they stood them before the Council. The high priest questioned them,

Act 5:28 saying, "We gave you strict orders not to continue teaching in this name, and yet, you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and intend to bring this man's blood upon us."

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Obey your parents

Act 5:29 But Peter and the apostles answered, "We must obey God rather than men.

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Obey your parents

Mat 10:37 "He who loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me; and he who loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me.

Mat 10:38 "And he who does not take his cross and follow after Me is not worthy of Me.

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Honor your parents

Eph 6:2 HONOR YOUR FATHER AND MOTHER (which is the first commandment with a promise),

Eph 6:3 SO THAT IT MAY BE WELL WITH YOU, AND THAT YOU MAY LIVE LONG ON THE EARTH.

Eph 6:4 Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord.

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Honor your parents

Exo 20:12 "Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be prolonged in the land which the LORD your God gives you.

Deu 5:16 'Honor your father and your mother, as the LORD your God has commanded you, that your days may be prolonged and that it may go well with you on the land which the LORD your God gives you.

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Honor your parents

Mar 7:6 And He said to them, "Rightly did Isaiah prophesy of you hypocrites, as it is written: 'THIS PEOPLE HONORS ME WITH THEIR LIPS, BUT THEIR HEART IS FAR AWAY FROM ME.

Mar 7:7 'BUT IN VAIN DO THEY WORSHIP ME, TEACHING AS DOCTRINES THE PRECEPTS OF MEN.'

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Honor your parents

Mar 7:8 "Neglecting the commandment of God, you hold to the tradition of men."

Mar 7:9 He was also saying to them, "You are experts at setting aside the commandment of God in order to keep your tradition.

Mar 7:10 "For Moses said, 'HONOR YOUR FATHER AND YOUR MOTHER'; and, 'HE WHO SPEAKS EVIL OF FATHER OR MOTHER, IS TO BE PUT TO DEATH';

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Honor your parents

Mar 7:11 but you say, 'If a man says to his father or his mother, whatever I have that would help you is Corban (that is to say, given to God),'

Mar 7:12 you no longer permit him to do anything for his father or his mother;

Mar 7:13 thus invalidating the word of God by your tradition which you have handed down; and you do many things such as that."

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Honor your parents

1Ti 5:3 Honor widows who are widows indeed;

1Ti 5:4 but if any widow has children or grandchildren, they must first learn to practice piety in regard to their own family and to make some return to their parents; for this is acceptable in the sight of God.

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Honor your parents

1Ti 5:5 Now she who is a widow indeed and who has been left alone, has fixed her hope on God and continues in entreaties and prayers night and day.

1Ti 5:6 But she who gives herself to wanton pleasure is dead even while she lives.

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Honor your parents

1Ti 5:7 Prescribe these things as well, so that they may be above reproach.

1Ti 5:8 But if anyone does not provide for his own, and especially for those of his household, he has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever.

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Honor your parents

1Ti 5:16 If any woman who is a believer has dependent widows, she must assist them and the church must not be burdened, so that it may assist those who are widows indeed.

Children

1. Obey your parents
2. Honor your parents