

# It Takes Discipline to Raise Godly Children

## Deuteronomy 6:4-7

Parenting godly children requires six things.

### 1. Responsible parenting requires listening to God.

Deuteronomy 6:4

- You cannot \_\_\_\_\_ your child to listen to God if you are not first \_\_\_\_\_ to Him.
- God must first be \_\_\_\_\_.
- Parents must possess \_\_\_\_\_ about God.
  - ⇒ He is the \_\_\_\_\_ God.
  - ⇒ There are no other \_\_\_\_\_.

1 Corinthians 8:5-6

### 2. Responsible parenting requires \_\_\_\_\_ first.

Deuteronomy 6:5

- Love God with your \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ your child more than you love God.

Genesis 22:12

### 3. Responsible parenting requires \_\_\_\_\_ God's \_\_\_\_\_ on your children.

Deuteronomy 6:6-7a

- ⇒ KJV & ESV – “Teach them \_\_\_\_\_”
- ⇒ It is simply one word which can mean: to \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and to be \_\_\_\_\_ in the inner man.

Psalms 45:5

### 4. Responsible parenting requires \_\_\_\_\_ about God's \_\_\_\_\_ with your children.

Deuteronomy 6:7

- \_\_\_\_\_ should parents talk about God's Word with their children?
  - ⇒ When you're just \_\_\_\_\_ around the house.
  - ⇒ When you're \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
  - ⇒ When you're ready for \_\_\_\_\_.
  - ⇒ When you get up in the \_\_\_\_\_.

- In other words – God's Word should be the \_\_\_\_\_ thing on your mind at night; the \_\_\_\_\_ thing on your mind in the morning; and His word should fill in all the \_\_\_\_\_ of the day.

### 5. Responsible parenting means making sure that God's Word is \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ to their children.

Deuteronomy 6:8

- God's Word must become an \_\_\_\_\_ of the child's life.
- Whatever the child does (\_\_\_\_\_) or thinks (\_\_\_\_\_) must be influenced and guided by God's Word.

2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

Colossians 3:17

### 6. Responsible parenting means making sure that God's Word is the \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ that guides your rules and goals.

Deuteronomy 6:9

- God's Word, not \_\_\_\_\_, should be the guiding \_\_\_\_\_ in your home.

Romans 12:2a

- Your home should be a place of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_; a place of healing from a culture that is in opposition to God.

James 4:4

Godly children don't just happen, their \_\_\_\_\_ to the Lord by the \_\_\_\_\_ of their godly parents.