



Do Not Sin Against The Child

Genesis 42:22



Teach and instruct in the way of the Lord Ephesians 6:4

- Respect
 - Parents
 - Ephesians 6:1-2
 - God
 - 1 Peter 2:17
- Others
 - 1 Peter 2:17



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- Right & Wrong – To the Standard
 - Source
 - Absolute
 - Universal
 - Its necessity
 - Understandable
 - Unchangeable
 - Dependable
 - For all of life



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- ▶ They want to hide this word in their hearts
- ▶ Nurture in them...
 - ▶ Desire for the good
 - ▶ Psalm 27:4; 19:10
 - ▶ Demonstrate the fruits of good
 - ▶ Detesting of evil
 - ▶ Against God
 - ▶ Against man
 - ▶ Against self
 - ▶ Illustrate the consequences



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- ▶ Jesus Christ is the only Way
- ▶ The necessity of obedience to Christ



Practice discipline

Hebrews 12:5-11


- Includes instruction, training, rebuke, correction
- Instructive – Proverbs 22:6
- Corrective – Proverbs 29:17
- Punitive – Proverbs 13:24
- In all, point back to God our Creator, Jesus who is Lord, and the Word of God



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Hebrews 12:5-11

- An example to not follow – Eli
- Sons did not know the Lord – 1 Samuel 2:12-17
- Practiced immorality – 1 Samuel 2:22-25
- He honored his sons more than God – 1 Samuel 2:29
- He did not rebuke/restrain them – 1 Samuel 3:13
- With Eli:
 - Instructive? Perhaps
 - Corrective? No
 - Punitive? No



Be a good example to follow Deuteronomy 6:1-6

- Bad outcome: Teaching without proper example
- Cannot make excuses for own sins
 - They can be just as creative
- Not “do as I say, but not as I do”



Three points about manner of teaching and discipline

- Without favoritism
- With consistency
- With sound words