



Lesson 4

Series A

Training Our Children

Child rearing is one of the greatest jobs that we do today. And yet we usually receive no training for it!

1. Amram and Jochebed risked their lives to save their baby!

Exodus 1:22; 2:1-3. True (T) or False (F)

- Despite Pharaoh's decree, they hid their infant for three months.
- They put the baby on the river in a plastered basket.
- They enclosed a petition to the Egyptian princess.

2. How should we care and nurture our children?

Psalm 144:12. "That our sons may be as plants grown up in their youth; that our daughters may be as pillars, sculptured in palace style."

3. Moses was returned to his parents for a few precious years. What did they do for him?

Exodus 2:9, 10. "The woman took the child and _____ him."

Not only did she nurse him physically, she also nursed him spiritually. Those parents trained him to love and serve the God of heaven. And no power on earth could change him!



4. How carefully should we teach our children the Word and the will of God?

Deuteronomy 6:6, 7. "You shall teach them _____... when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you _____ up."

5. When Moses faced life's most important decision, what was his choice?

Hebrews 11:24-26. True (T) or False (F)

- He decided to become a Pharaoh of Egypt—the superpower.
- He chose to be a servant of the God of heaven.
- He placed his Israelite heritage above Egyptian glory.

And what was the result? Moses became immortalized as emancipator, statesman, law-giver, health reformer, poet, historian, and philosopher. The power of parenting is eternal.

6. God is our Father. How does He give us nurture and training?

Matthew 4:4. “Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every _____ that proceeds from the mouth of God.”

7. Like earthly parents, our heavenly Parent has two types of children. How does one group respond to God’s instruction?

Isaiah 1:20. “If you refuse and _____ you shall be devoured by the sword.”

8. How do others respond to God’s commands?

Isaiah 1:19. “If you are willing and _____, you shall eat the good of the land.”

9. Moses responded positively to the guidance of his parents and he attained success. What will be my reward when I submit to the Word and will of God?

Deuteronomy 28:13. “The Lord will make you the _____ and not the tail; you shall be above only and not be beneath if you heed the _____ of the Lord your God.”

10. My Response

- I will take the time and care to love and train my child.
- I am willing to submit to the nurture of my loving Father.
- I will be obedient to His commands and experience His blessings.

Check your answers: 1. T,T,F; 3. nurse; 4. diligently, rise; 5. F, T, T; 6 word; 7. rebel; 8. obedient; 9. head, commandments.

My Name _____

My Address _____

My Phone: Home _____ Work _____

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