

*The statutes of the Lord
are right,
rejoicing the heart;*

*The commandment of the Lord
is pure,
enlightening the eyes;*

*The fear of the Lord
is clean,
enduring forever;*

*The judgments of the Lord
are true and righteous altogether.
More to be desired are they than gold, yea, than
much fine gold; sweeter also than honey and the
honeycomb.*

Reading Assignment

The Bible

Verse by verse; chapter by chapter; book by book

“Faith comes by hearing and hearing by the word of God”

The Three Ps Study

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How to Be the *Parents* God Would Have Us to Be

Review:

I. Two Introductory Words

- A. Love
- B. Consistency

II. One Interesting Set of Verses

Deuteronomy 21:18-21

III. Two Facets of Child Training

- A. Proper Discipline
- B. Soulsh Conversion

IV. A Proper Perspective for Parenting

That children are future adults

V. The Three Purposes of Discipline

- A. The Immediate Purpose
- B. The Eternal Purpose
- C. The Life-long Purpose

VI. The Proper Sequence of Discipline

- A. Instruction
 - The Seven Specific Areas
 - Four important areas of instruction:
 1. Right from Wrong
 2. Respect v. Disrespect
 3. Obedience v. Disobedience
 4. Responsibility vs. Irresponsibility
- B. Warning
- C. Correction

B. Warning

1. Make sure they have understood
2. Clarify the discipline/correction
3. Tell them that they know what proper behavior is.

C. Correction

General Principle: Make the punishment fit the crime.

General Guideline: Never state an item of correction that you _____ not, _____ not, or _____ carry out.

VII. Four Items to Remember

- A. Christ is _____ to everything
- B. Children are _____ the _____ of everything
- C. Train your children to _____ for God
- D. We must be _____

A Look Into Psalm 19

I. Two Perspectives of God

A. As _____

B. As _____

II. Three Recurring Rounds

A. A _____, that creates

B. A _____, that results in

C. A _____

*The law of the Lord
is perfect,
converting the soul;*

*The testimony of the Lord
is sure,
making wise the simple;*