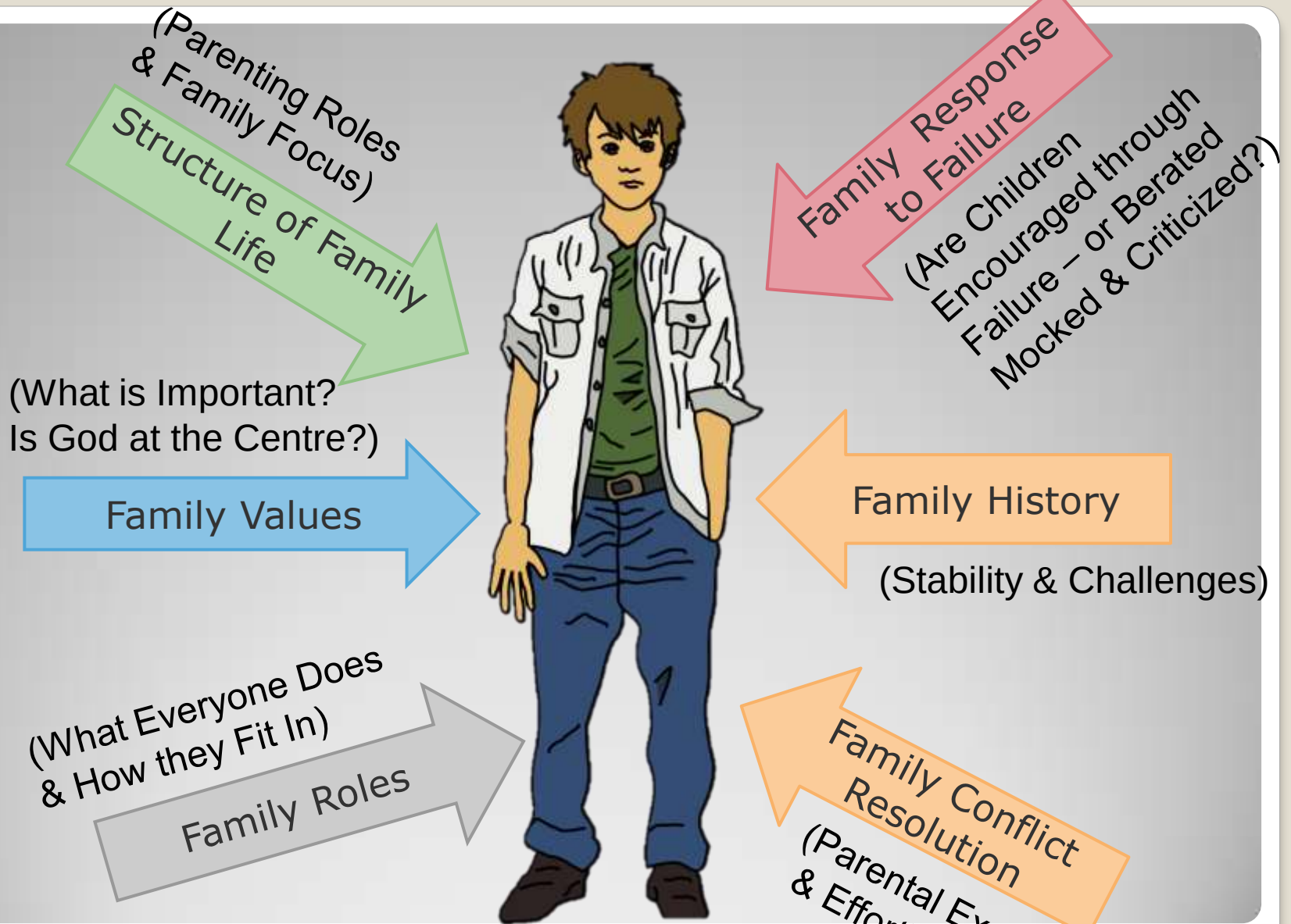




Practical Parenting in the Last Days

Growing Godly Families – WCBS 2017

“How blessed are those servants
whom the master finds watching for
him when he comes!”

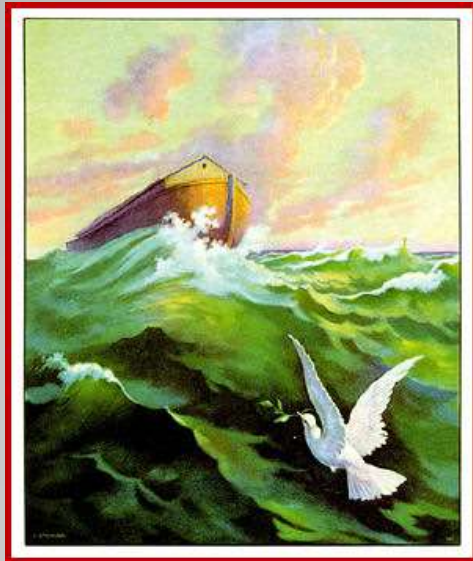


Shaping Influences

- Just as it was in the days of Noah, so will it be in the days of the Son of Man.

.....Likewise, just as it was in the days of Lot.....

Luk 17



Noah and Lot

God's Purpose

Hab 2:14 "For the earth will be filled With the knowledge of the glory of the LORD, As the waters cover the sea.



Gods Glory

- Exo 34:6 Then the LORD passed by in front of him and proclaimed, "The LORD, the LORD God, compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in lovingkindness and truth;

- Conscience
- Making good choices
- Not being selfish and self – centred
- Resisting the Lust eyes, lust flesh pride of life



- Ja 4:7 (Roth) Range yourselves, therefore, under God, but withstand the adversary, and he will flee from you:

Guarding the Heart

- Psa 103:13 Like as a father pitieth his children, so the LORD pitieth them that fear him.



- Eph 5:1 Be ye therefore followers of God as dear children:

God is our Example

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Noah's Family



Lot's Family

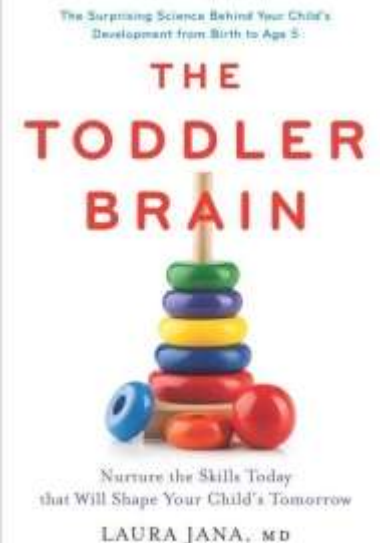
- Gen 13:10 And Lot lifted up his eyes and saw *[Sodom]*
- Gen 13:11 So Lot chose for himself all the Jordan Valley....
- Gen 13:12, and **Lot** dwelled in the cities of the plain, and **pitched *his* tent toward Sodom.**
- Gen 14:12 They also took **Lot**, ..., who was dwelling in Sodom,
- **Gen 19:1**, and **Lot** was **sitting in the gate of Sodom**

Drifted into Sodom

Beware the Disturbing Effects of Background Television



Young children placed in a room where the TV was on in the background and tuned to a program chosen specifically for its distinct lack of kid appeal (i.e., *Jeopardy*) were nevertheless found to be less focused on their play and played for about half as long.²⁷



No Screens for Under Twos



Drifting Along?



Try: Quiet Time



Media on Demand.....



Computer Coupon

has earned

15 minutes

to use the computer or
play a video game. Use it wisely!



Suggestion: Screen Time?

- Safe Search & Safe Image Search



safesearchkids.com

Tune Out, Tune In

Microsoft



Parenting Challenge :
Provide Alternatives to screens
Set a Good example



Positive Family Alternatives



Mobile Phones



Lot's Family



Couch time

- 1Tim 2:15 ... she shall be saved in *childrearing*, if they continue in faith and love and holiness with self control.



Motherhood – a Work of Salvation

"The best gift you can give your child is to love their mother"



Make time for the two of you



Lot's Family



**Create a safe environment
around Gods Word**

Presenting...

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Make sure
you Plan
Ahead

If this is
your Plan



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Titanic (1997)

12 194 min - Drama | Romance - 23 January 1998 (UK)

Top 500



Your rating: ★★★★★★★★ -/10

Ratings: **7.7/10** from **604,237 users** Metascore: **74/100**

Reviews: **2,458 user** | **312 critic** | **34** from **Metacritic.com**

A seventeen-year-old aristocrat, expecting to be married to a rich claimant by her mother, falls in love with a kind but poor artist aboard the luxurious, ill-fated R.M.S. Titanic.

Director: [James Cameron](#)

Writer: [James Cameron](#)

Stars: [Leonardo DiCaprio](#), [Kate Winslet](#), [Billy Zane](#) |

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Sex & Nudity

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6/10:

Drawings of nude women are seen. Some are partial, while others include full frontal nudity.

A drawing of a woman wearing only a necklace is shown. This is seen at the beginning of the movie several times and the middle half where a man draws her. Her bare chest and backside can be seen briefly for a minute.

The main deuterogamists kiss passionately throughout.

The man and woman get into a car and proceed to have sex. Her hand slams against the window of the vehicle and we see him lying on top of her. It is obvious they are nude, although, nothing inappropriate is shown. The man kisses her once, and in response, she kisses his temple. He lay his head down on her chest as she holds and strokes him.

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Violence & Gore

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9/10:

Throughout the two hour sinking sequence, people are shown being killed in a variety of ways; They are seen drowning, being crushed, jumping from great heights, freezing to death, and being electrocuted. When the ship splits in half, hundreds of people underneath it are crushed. Various people are shown preparing to die including a mother and two young children sleeping and an elderly couple lying in bed. None of these deaths are shown

Movie Review

TITANIC

Pride Comes Before A Fall



Content -2 "EXTREME CAUTION"

Quality ★★☆☆

	None	Light	Moderate	Heavy
Language	☐	☐	☐	☒
Violence	☐	☐	☒	☐
Sex	☐	☒	☐	☐
Nudity	☐	☐	☒	☐

What the Ratings Mean

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Titanic (1997)

Directed by James Cameron. Leonardo DiCaprio, Kate Winslet, Billy Zane, Kathy Bates, Frances Fisher, Gloria Stuart, Bill Paxton, Bernard Hill, David Warner. Paramount.

ARTISTIC/ENTERTAINMENT VALUE

★★★★

MORAL/SPIRITUAL VALUE

-2

AGE APPROPRIATENESS

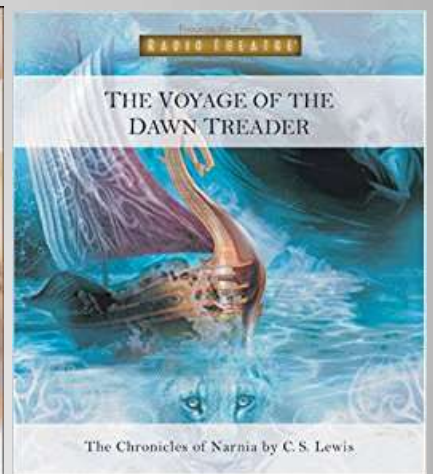
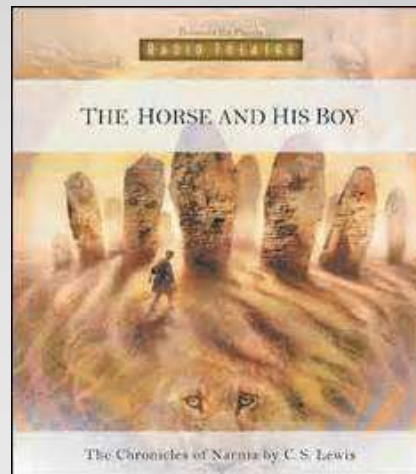
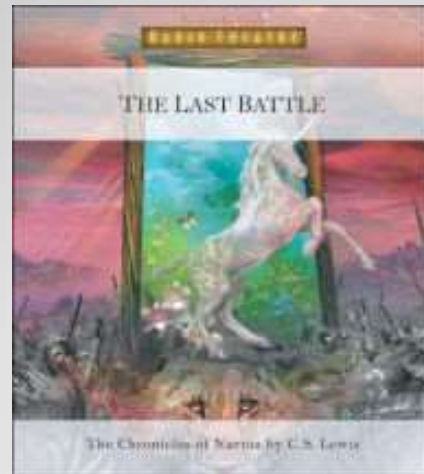
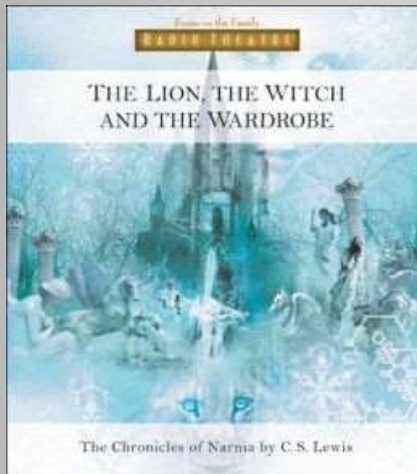
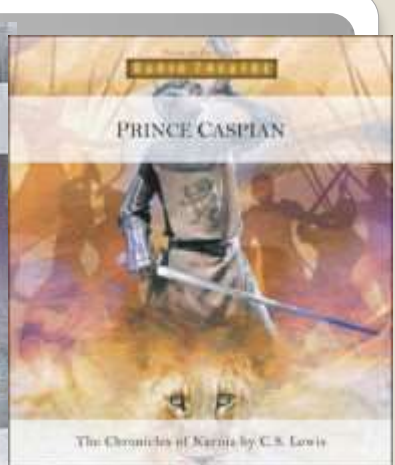
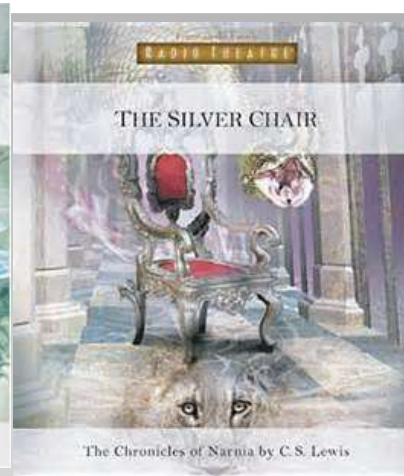
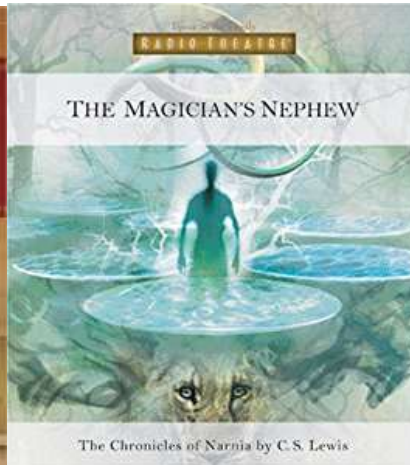
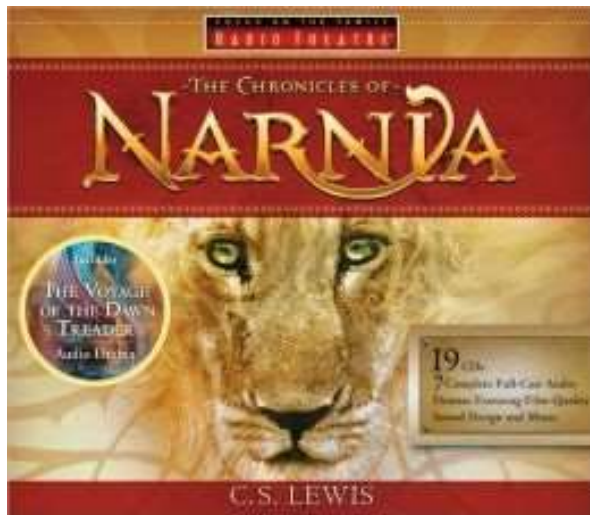
Adults

MPAA RATING

PG-13

CAVEAT SPECTATOR

Large-scale disaster menace and carnage; problematic sexually themed content including an offscreen illicit affair; a suicide; some profane and obscene expressions.



- Focus on the family dramatized series

Shared Experiences



**Build a sense of ecclesial community
in our children**



Independent

Family



Interpendent

Family



Fathers

– be comfortable dependable and attentive

- Gen 6:22 Thus did Noah; according to all that God commanded him, so did he.



- Gen 7:5 And Noah did according unto all that the LORD commanded him.

Noah was Obedient

- Col 3:20
Children,
obey *your*
parents in all
things: for
this is well
pleasing unto
the Lord.

First Time Obedience

1. Call your child to you and expect a “Yes Mummy” or “Yes Daddy”.
2. The child must come to you immediately.
3. Maintain eye contact.
4. Give instruction clearly in 1 or 2 sentences.
5. Expect a verbal response.
6. Child must action instruction and confirm to you that it is done.
7. Encouragement - “Well Done” and a hug.



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Obedience



Mat 5:16 In the same way, **let your light shine before others**, so that they may see your good works and **give glory to your Father** who is in heaven.

1Pe 2:12 **Keep your conduct among the Gentiles honorable**, so that when they speak against you as evildoers, they

may **see your good deeds and glorify God** on the day of visitation.



Showing Gods Glory in our Families

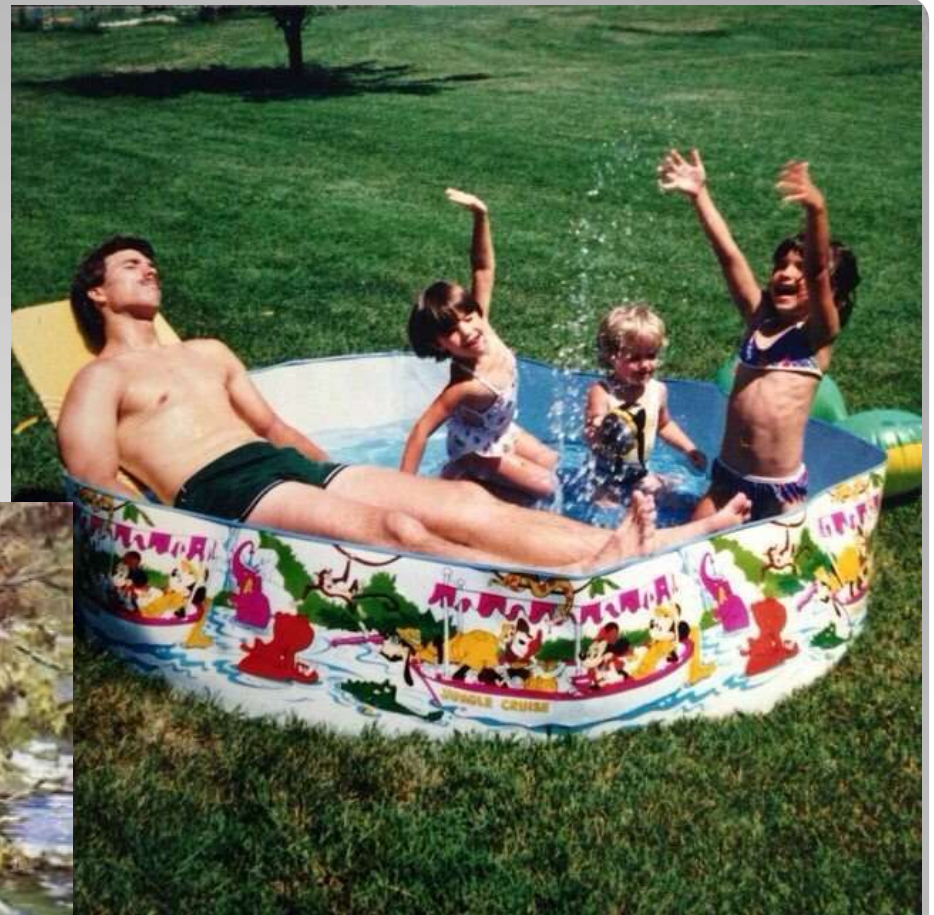
- 1Pe 3:20 ... the **Divine longsuffering** waited in the days of Noah, while *the* ark was being prepared, in which a few, that is, **eight souls**, were saved through water.
- 1Pe 3:21 There is also an **antitype** which now saves us—**baptism** (not the removal of the filth of the flesh, but the **answer of a good conscience** toward God), through the resurrection of Jesus Christ,

Noah cultivated Consciences?

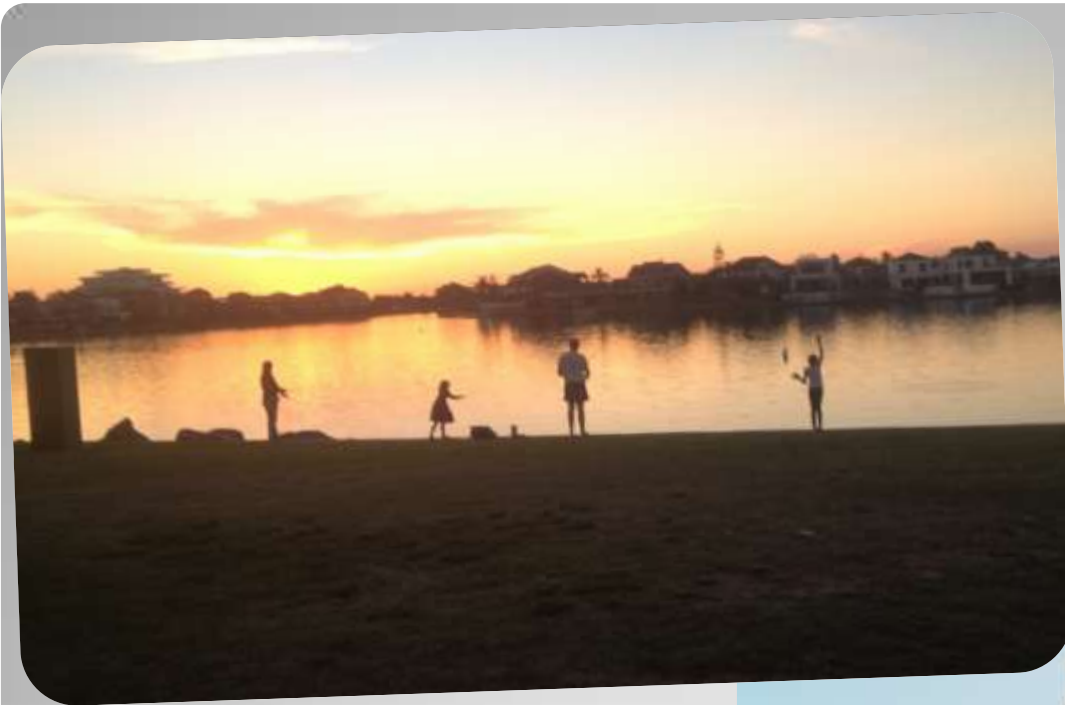




Family Identity



Family is Fun



Memorable Moments as a Family

Each Family is A Unique Combination





Values Shared Example - Our Family



Chores are Children's Commitment to Family

- Lam 3:22 *It is of the LORD'S mercies that we are not consumed, because his compassions fail not.*
- Lam 3:23 *They are new every morning: great is thy faithfulness.*



Don't be frustrated by failures

- Eph 4:32 And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you.

I'm Sorry
I was wrong,
Please forgive me
I love you



- 2Ti 3:1 But know this, that in the last days perilous times will come:
- 2Ti 3:2 For men will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy,
- 2Ti 3:3 unloving, unforgiving, slanderers, without self-control, brutal, despisers of good,
- 2Ti 3:4 traitors, headstrong, haughty, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God,

Counter-culture Christadelphians !

- Heb 11:7 **By faith Noah**, being warned by God concerning events as yet unseen, in **reverent fear** constructed an ark for the **saving of his household**. By this he condemned the world and became an heir of the righteousness that comes by faith.



**Noah Condemned the world
– by obeying God**

- 2Co 6:17 Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you,

2Co 6:18 And will be a Father unto you, and ye shall be my sons and daughters, saith the Lord Almighty.

2Co 7:1 Having therefore these promises, dearly beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God.

- Jas 2:17 So also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead.



**OBEDIENCE IS AN
ACT OF FAITH;
DISOBEDIENCE IS
THE RESULT OF
UNBELIEF.**

Edwin Louis Cole

Challenge = Parenting as an act of Faith

But the Lord is faithful, who shall stablish you, and keep *you* from evil.

And we have confidence in the Lord touching you, that ye both do and will do the things which we command you.

And the Lord direct your hearts into the love of God, and into the patient waiting for Christ.

2 Thess 3:3-5

God Working with Us and Our Families

we love
we are family
we do really loud
we forgive

we give hugs

we have fun

we give
second chances

we say I'm sorry

we make mistakes

we are real

In this house