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ORDERING OUR LIVES WITH
THE BOOK OF PROVERBS

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Priority of Parenting

PROVERBS 1:8 ESV

⁸ “Hear, my son, your father’s instruction,
and forsake not your mother’s teaching”



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PROVERBS 3:1 ESV

¹ “My son, do not forget my teaching but let your heart keep my commandments”



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DEUTERONOMY 6:7-9 ESV

⁷ You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. ⁸ You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. ⁹ You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.



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PROVERBS 23:26 ESV

²⁶ Give me your heart, my son, and let your eyes delight in my ways



“God didn’t give you your children to build your reputation but to publicly proclaim his.”

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Practice of Parenting

PROVERBS 24:3-4 ESV

- ³ By wisdom a house is built,
and by understanding it is established;
⁴ by knowledge the rooms are filled
with all precious and pleasant riches.



1. Our example is to be godly

1. Example
2. Instruction
3. Correction



1. Our example is to be godly

PROVERBS 14:26 ESV

²⁶ In the fear of the Lord one has strong confidence and his children have a refuge.



1. Our example is to be godly

PROVERBS 20:7 ESV

⁷ A righteous person acts with integrity, his children who come after him will be happy.



2. Our instruction is to be intentional

PROVERBS 22:6 ESV

⁶ Train up a child in the way he should go;
even when he is old he will not depart from it.



“The point is that this proverb encourages parents to train their children, but does not guarantee that if they do so their children will never stray”

TREMPER LONGMAN



2. Our instruction is to be intentional

PROVERBS 7:7 ESV

⁷ I have seen among the simple, I have perceived among the youths, a young man lacking sense.



2. Our instruction is to be intentional

PROVERBS 22:15 ESV

¹⁵ Folly is bound up in the heart of a child,
but the rod of discipline drives it far from him.



2. Our instruction is to be intentional

PROVERBS 29:15 ESV

¹⁵ The rod and reproof give wisdom,
but a child left to himself brings shame to his mother.



3. Our Correction is to be loving

PROVERBS 13:24 ESV

²⁴ Whoever spares the rod hates his son,
but he who loves him is diligent to discipline him.



“Folly is bound up in the heart of a child, It will
take more than words to dislodge it”

DEREK KIDNER



3. Our Correction is to be loving

HEBREWS 12:5-6 ESV

⁵ And have you forgotten the exhortation that addresses you as sons?

“My son, do not regard lightly the discipline of the Lord, nor be weary when reproved by him.

⁶ For the Lord disciplines the one he loves, and chastises every son whom he receives.”



“God never calls you to a task without giving you what you need. He never sends you without going with you.”

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In every moment when you are parenting, you are being parented. In every moment when you are called to give grace, you are being given grace. In every moment when you are rescuing and protecting your children, you are being rescued and protected. In every moment when you feel alone, you are anything but alone because he goes wherever you go.

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