Welcome to:

"Biblical Parenting Made Practical"

We are so glad you're here!

What is THE MOST important thing in parenting?

We'll cover the 2 MOST important things!

Session #1 - What is THE MOST important thing in parenting?

- #1 We need to make God & His word the absolute standard for our homes.
 - #1.1 We need to determine once and for all, God is infinitely wiser that we are.
 - #1.2 We need to resolve we will FEAR the Lord so we can have the wisdom He has to share with us.
 - #1.3 We need to resolve man is so very foolish compared to God.
 - #1.4 We need to determine the Word of God is what we need for raising our children.

Session #1 - What is THE MOST important thing in parenting?

- #2 We must live what we teach and preach...NO hypocrisy.
 - Tips for dealing with hypocrisy since we all see & experience it.
 - #2.1 Acknowledge the hypocrisy our kids encounter and talk honestly with them about it.
 - #2.2 Encourage our kids to consider what Jesus thinks about the hypocritical behavior they've experienced.
 - #2.3 Ask God to help us and our kids see hypocritical people from the right perspective.
 - #2.4 Pray with our kids about hypocrisy.
 - #2.5 Fight hypocrisy in our own lives.
 - #2.6 Apologize to our kids for anything we've said or done that is hypocritical.

What NOT TO DO in parenting?

Session #2 – What NOT TO DO in parenting

- #1 Do NOT be a hypocrite in life.
- #2 Do NOT parent out of fear in anything or any decision making.
- #3 Do NOT neglect to discipline your children as needed.
- #4 Do NOT discipline your children in anger, ever.
- #5 Do NOT discipline without a Biblical reason or basis.
- #6 Do NOT be your child's friend at the cost of being their parent.
- #7 Do NOT control your children, especially as time goes on.
- #8 Do NOT lecture your children.
- #9 Do NOT compare your children to one another, ever.
- #10 Do NOT pick battles on the big 3: Diet/food, potty training, & sleeping.

What TO DO in parenting?

Session #3 – What TO DO in parenting

- #1 We need to make God and His word the standard in our homes.
- #2 We need to live what we teach & preach.
- #3 We need to be the first to tell our children about everything important, including SEX.
- #4 We need to take time to teach our children self-control.
- #5 We need to parent with a very long-range vision.
- #6 We need to teach our children to think critically.
- #7 We need to discipline behavior, and not the child.
- #8 We need to give our children freedom, even to make mistakes.
- #9 We need to openly love on our spouse, at all times.
- #10 We need to be ready to tell our children when we are wrong.

<u>Breakout Session – Men & Women Separate Sessions</u>

Session #4 – What MEN need to do in Parenting

- #1 Men need to acknowledge we are under authority (the Father & Son).
- #2 Men need to be growing in our relationship with Him & His word.
- #3 Men need to figure out what we are aiming at.
- #4 Men need to ensure our wives know what we are aiming at.
- #5 Men need to never force our wives to fight us over holiness (or the the purity standard) in our homes.
- #6 Men need to ensure we know our priorities as defined by God.
- #7 Men need to ensure our children know mom is a greater priority.
- #8 Men need to take our wife's input very seriously.
- #9 Men need to engaged and involved in our children's lives.

Session #4 – What WOMEN need to do in Parenting

#1 – What about our relationship with the Lord?

#2 - Do our children know they matter?

#3 - Do we want our children's heart and what are doing to build trust?

#4 – How do we persevere?

Breakout Session - Men's Q&A time

Technology in the Home

Do we have things under control?

Session #5 — Technology in the home Let's consider the following for EVERY piece of technology in our homes

- #1 Have we prayed over every single item for us & the children?
- #2 Do we know exactly how much access each item has to the internet?
- #3 Do we have complete control over each item?

 Do we even know what that is?

 And do we know if our children can override the access?
- #4 Do we know how much time, if any, each child can handle?
- #5 Do we know exactly where each item will be used?
- #6 Do we know how others can access our children's technology?
- #7 Do we have a regular time to audit all of our technology to reassess?
- #8 Do we have the child pay for the technology?
- #9 Are our children prepared for technology when they leave our homes?

Question & Answer

Questions you have asked during our conference

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Text your questions to 209.896.7102