

The Matter of Mothers Matter
2 Timothy 1:5

Most Behavioral Characteristics are Caught More than Taught

Luke 6:39-40 – **39** And he spake a parable unto them, Can the blind lead the blind? shall they not both fall into the ditch? **40** The disciple is not above his master: but every one that is perfect shall be as his master.

- 2 Timothy 3:14-17 – **14** But continue thou in the things which thou hast learned and hast been assured of, knowing of whom thou hast learned *them*; **15** And that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus. **16** All scripture *is* given by inspiration of God, and *is* profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: **17** That the man of God may be perfect, throughly furnished unto all good works.
- Matthew 4:21 – And going on from thence, he saw other two brethren, James *the son* of Zebedee, and John his brother, in a ship with Zebedee their father, mending their nets; and he called them.
- Galatians 6:1 – Brethren, ^uif a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted.

Connection that Precedes Correction Determines Direction

1 Thessalonians 2:7-8 – **7** But we were gentle among you, even as a nurse cherisheth her children: **8** So being affectionately desirous of you, we were willing to have imparted unto you, not the gospel of God only, but also our own souls, because ye were dear unto us.

- Ephesians 5:29 – For no man ever yet hated his own flesh; but nourisheth and cherisheth it, even as the Lord the church:
- Galatians 6:10 – As we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all *men*, especially unto them who are of the household of faith.

What We Do In Moderation, Kids Will Do In Excess

2 Timothy 1:5-7 – **5** When I call to remembrance the unfeigned faith that is in thee, which dwelt first in thy grandmother Lois, and thy mother Eunice; and I am persuaded that in thee also. **6** Wherefore I put thee in remembrance that thou stir up the gift of God, which is in thee by the putting on of my hands. **7** For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.

- Genesis 45:25-28 – **25** And they went up out of Egypt, and came into the land of Canaan unto Jacob their father, **26** And told him, saying, Joseph *is* yet alive, and he *is* governor over all the land of Egypt. And Jacob's heart fainted, for he believed them not. **27** And they told him all the words of Joseph, which he had said unto them: and when he saw the wagons which Joseph had sent to carry him, the spirit of Jacob their father revived: **28** And Israel said, *It is enough*; Joseph my son *is* yet alive: I will go and see him before I die.
- 1 Thessalonians 5:19 – Quench not the Spirit.