

BECOMING WHO YOU ARE

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Series: "Becoming Who You Are" - Part 5 of 8

Message: "Be A Great Family"

Text: Ephesians 6:1-4

Big idea

Our identity in Jesus empowers us to be a great family.

Principles for a godly family

1. Children should respond to their parents as God desires.

A. Children should respond in their actions with _____.

Truths about discipline from Hebrews 12

- i. Everyone needs to be _____.
- ii. Discipline is _____.
- iii. Discipline is for the _____ of the person who is being disciplined.
- iv. Our short-term discipline as parents prepares our children for God's _____ discipline.

B. Children should respond in their attitude with _____.

2. Parents should nurture their children as God desires.

A. Parents should not _____ their children.

What exasperates a child?

- i. Unclear _____
- ii. Inconsistent _____
- iii. Unbalanced _____

B. Parents should _____ and _____ their children in the Lord.

Tools for nurturing our children

- i. The _____
- ii. Our _____

Resources for parents

Grace Based Parenting by Tim Kimmel
Spiritual Parenting by Michelle Anthony
Parenting conference on October 5-6 at Stafford Crossing
"At Home" kickoff on September 9 at Stafford Crossing

MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS TO:

- ☐ Memorize Ephesians 6:1-2,4
- ☐ Children, how would you rate yourself in terms of your action of obedience? How would you rate yourself in your attitude of honor.
- ☐ Parents, how would you rate yourself when it comes to not exasperating your child? How would you rate yourself in the area of training and instructing in the Lord?
- ☐ Read Ephesians 6:5-9 for the message next week.
- ☐ Trust and follow Jesus today.

We exist to help people trust and follow Jesus.