

Building a Christ-Centered Home Dr. Bill Wilks
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When you want to build a beautiful house, you first need a blueprint. You must have a clear picture of what you are wanting to build. The same is true for building a healthy home. It doesn't happen by accident. If you want to build a strong family, you must follow God's design.

Thankfully, God's Word provides the blueprint. Though secular books on the subject abound, God gives the foundational information necessary for building a Christ-centered home in just four verses. We are blessed when we follow His blueprint for our homes.

In our text, Paul instructed children and parents on how to build a Christ-centered home and have a blessed family life.

Main Thought…

➔ In a Christ-centered home, children _____ their parents and parents raise their children to love the Lord.

1. **Children play an important _____ (v. 1-2a)**.

   Col. 3:20; Pr. 1:8; 15:5; 17:25

2. **God gives a great _____ (v. 2b-3)**.

   Ex. 20:12; Pr. 6:20-22

3. **Fathers have a unique _____ (v. 4)**.

   - _____ your children godly discipline (v. 4a).
   - _____ your children in God's Word (v. 4b).

   Pr. 3:11-12; 13:24; Deut. 6:4-7; Heb. 10:24-25; 2 Tim. 1:5

Final Thoughts…

➔ Are you keeping Christ at the _____ of your home?

➔ Are you letting spiritual _____ threaten your home?