



When we recognize our part in God's Story we are able to parent beyond our limitations

Deuteronomy 6:4-7

4 Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. 5 Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. 6 These commandments that I give you today are to be on your hearts. 7 Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up.

1. Widen Your Circle

You weren't made to parent Alone.

2. Imagine The end

What we *give* to our children or what we <u>do</u> for our children is not as important as what we <u>leave</u> in them!

3. Fight For The *heart*

Faith has to be passed down *relationally*.

4. Create A *rhythm*

Rhythm in your home actually *shapes* your family *values*.

TIMES	COMMUNICATION	ROLE	GOAL
Meal Time	FORMAL DISCUSSION	TEACHER	ESTABLISH VALUES
Drive Time	INFORMAL DIALOGUE	FRIEND	INTERPRETLIFE
BED TIME	INTIMATE CONVERSATION	Counselor	BUILD INTIMACY
MORNING TIME	ENCOURAGING WORDS	Соасн	INSTILL PURPOSE

5. Make It *personal*

If you want it to be in *them*, it needs to be in *you*.