

Ephesians 6:1-3 “A Christian Home pt. 5: Obedient Children”

Main point: The Apostle Paul turns his focus from addressing the adults in a Christian home, to now instructing the children of Christian parents concerning God’s designs, commands, and promises for them.

I. The _____ God _____ of Children

A. _____ in Accord with His _____

B. _____ in Accord with His _____

C. _____ in Accord with His _____

II. The _____ God _____ of Children

A. _____ who you _____

B. _____ Who _____ you

III. The _____ God _____ to Children

A. The _____ of the _____

B. The _____ of the _____

Additional Notes:

Key Points of Consideration & Application:

1.) How have the experiences of my upbringing, my behaviors, and the attitudes I have had towards my parents, influenced and shaped my life?

2.) How does my understanding of God, the Bible, mankind, and the Gospel of Jesus Christ influence my perspectives on marriage, family, and child-rearing?

3.) How can God use His Word, Spirit, Church, and providential circumstances to redeem and restore people who have experienced the effects of sin in marriages, families, and children?

Key Passage to Memorize & Meditate Upon: Col 3:18-21 (LSB) Wives, be subject to your husbands, as is fitting in the Lord.¹⁹ Husbands, love your wives and do not be embittered against them.²⁰ Children, obey your parents in all things, for this is pleasing to the Lord.²¹ Fathers, do not exasperate your children, so that they will not lose heart.

Sermons to Listen to for Further Study:

John MacArthur: Children, Obey Your Parents

Richard Caldwell Jr.: Parents and Children

