



***What Every  
Family Needs:  
Discipline***  
**Hebrews 12:5-11**

# 1. Discipline Starts With Me

- Hebrews 12:5
- Galatians 5:22-23



## 2. If We Love Our Children, We'll Discipline Them

- Hebrews 12:6
- The Blessings of Discipline:
  - 1. It's Evidence of Love (12:6)
  - 2. It Nurtures Respect (12:9)
  - 3. It Correct and Encourage – 12:10
  - 4. It Prepares for Heaven (12:10)
- Hebrews 12:11



# James Dobson, *Dare to Discipline*

- 1. Be Early
- 2. Be Prompt
- 3. Be Consistent
- 4. Be Appropriate
- 5. Be Fair, Not Partial
- 6. Be the Parent, Not a Friend
- 7. Be Prepared to Teach



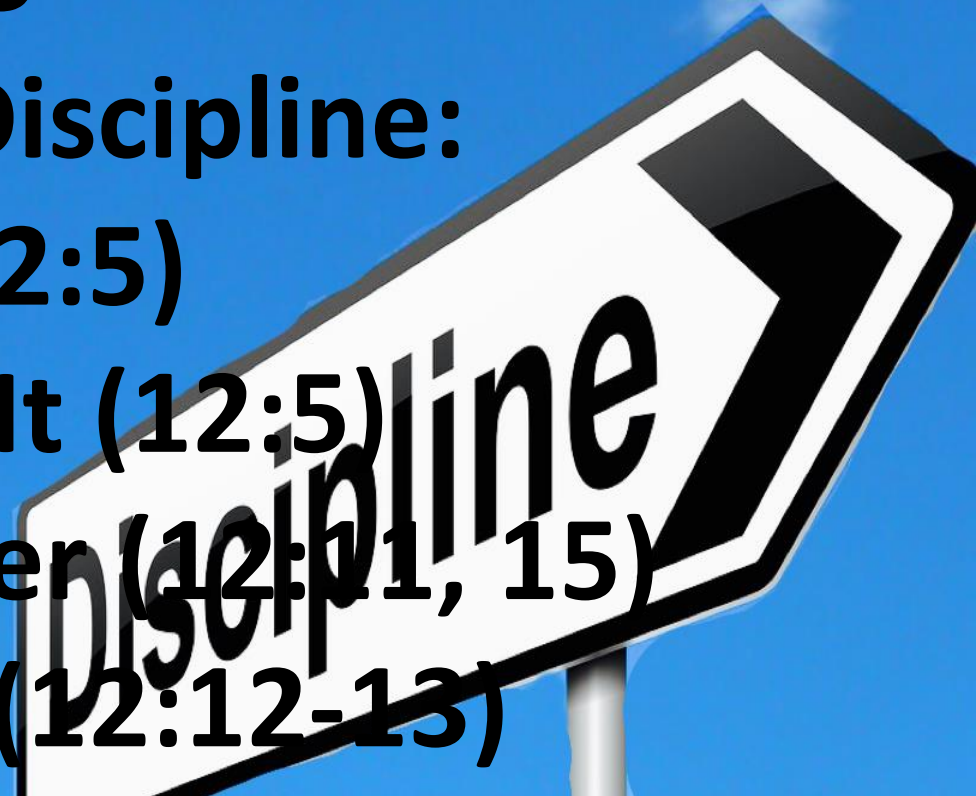
# **3. God Expects Parents to Discipline their Children**

- **Hebrews 12:7**
- **Ephesians 6:4**
- **1 Samuel 3:13**



# 4. Faithful Children Obey/Honor their Parents

- Hebrews 12:9
- Ephesians 6:1-3
- Responses to Discipline:
  - 1. Despise It (12:5)
  - 2. Faint Under It (12:5)
  - 3. Become Bitter (12:11, 15)
  - 4. Better for It (12:12-13)



# What Must I Do To Be Saved?

## Would We Be Baptized Today For The Forgiveness Of Sins?

Hear Him (Romans 10:17)

Believe Him (Mark 16:16)

Repent Of Sins Against Him (Acts 2:38)

Confess Him (Acts 8:37)

Be Baptized Into Him (Acts 22:16)

Live For Him (Galatians 2:20)

## Would We Be Restored Today If An Erring Christian?

Come Back To Him (Matthew 11:28-30)

Repent (Acts 8:22)

Pray (James 5:16)



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