

Ten Biblical Truths I have learned by being a Parent

1. A father and a mother are vital to the growth of a child
This is God's design and anything else is tragic.
God can be a father to the fatherless...
2. If a parent is to be effective, they need to "be there".
3. Quality time really is more important than quantity of time.
4. Sin must be dealt with properly.
Small issues should be dealt with appropriately.
If everything is a big deal, nothing is a big deal, but there are "big deals".
5. Prayer is vital to our family's spiritual relationship.
6. There is no "time off" from being a biblical parent.
7. It really is (as Jesus said) better to give than to receive.
8. LOVE is the most important element of a Christian home.
9. When you make a mistake, you must sincerely apologize to your child.
Your children see your mistakes.
They need to know that you can see them too (model humility).
10. Raising children has taught me that I need Christ for everything.