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WORD LIVING

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WELCOME TO WORD LIVING

LEARNING TO TRUST AND OBEY THE WORD THE MY WAY GENERATION?

We continue to focus this month on the home which is the key. We talked about the teaching and discipline last month, but the role of parents must cover the home and involvement in the community. As parents, we cannot expect the community to be truthful, honest and helpful so the parent(s) must interact with the children so you know what they are being told and you can talk to them if what they are told conflicts with your family values.

A physical life and the eternal home of the soul is too valuable to leave its future in the hands of others.

It is hard work, yes, but it is worth every moment and every tear.

Salvation



Sin

...WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

A PLACE TO START!

We have talked about the home, the foundation and the parent's responsibility from the word. If the home has a solid foundation in the word, the child/children can have a solid foundation to build on which is the true word of God and supported by family who live the word and pray. The Bible says to Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it. Proverbs 22:6. This gives us hope for the future. The road to our eternal home has many ups and downs, but as parents, we remember, God's word never fails. The home should provide stability, in that what is taught is lived and the word is the truth.

OTHER INFLUENCES:

- Sunday school where they learn about their purpose, faith, hope, unconditional love, responsibility, family, and eternity.
- School where they receive information useful in career development and interaction. And
- Peer groups - the in your face daily teachers and trends. Those three (3) are the home, the church, and the school. And there is a 4th called peers, that must be watched at all times for they can promote change like the wind depending on the group.

There are 4,200 religions in the world. It is the parent's responsibility to prayerfully find a church home that teaches the word. The family should attend Sunday School and other classes as possible, so they become strong in your walk with God.



What is taught and lived at home, should match what is taught at Sunday School and the church you attend. This builds unity and trust in the children.

Explain the purpose of Sunday School and worship to your children so they understand the purpose based on the word of God. The more they understand and the deeper the word of truth is planted, the less likely they

are to stray but if they do, they have the word in them and God will recall it to their memory. We have hope Proverbs 22:6

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Our role as parents and community is to encourage our students to excel in school and be a Godly man or woman. How? Some ideas listed.

- ✓ Volunteer to talk with students about your career, job, the importance of education, opportunities, cost of college, scholarships, wise choices, entrepreneurship or other subjects as approved.
- ✓ Hold a fundraiser to take students on a college tour.
- ✓ Have a youth conference and invite state/local representatives from colleges, universities to share information.
- ✓ Volunteer with afterschool programs.
- ✓ Volunteer with after school/Summer programs that work with students that just need a trusted person to talk to.
- ✓ Be available. Some young men just need to talk with a man about man things. How to tie a tie, smile, cry, fail, and start again.
- ✓ Some young girls need to know how to say no, how love themselves, that they are special, and to respect themselves and respect others.
- ✓ If you don't do something, his/her peers will.
- ✓ There are many opportunities like fishing, sharing, eating out, or just listening.
- ✓ Start at home and branch out. It is new for some and it takes time to build a trust – a relationship.
- ✓ Failure is not an option for God cannot fail.

In June we close this newsletter year with a look at why peers become an important influence?

Adolescence is the time when a person is most susceptible to peer pressure because peers become an important influence on behavior during adolescence, and peer pressure has been called a hallmark of adolescent experience.

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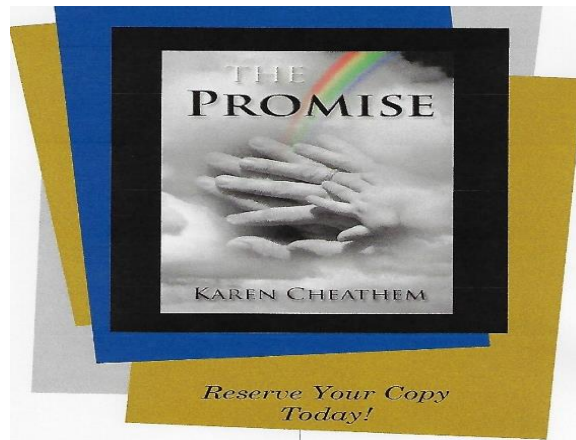
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