

What Shall We Leave Our Children

Proverbs 22:6 Train up a child in the way he should go, And when he is old he will not depart from it.

I. The Physical Needs Of Life

1 Timothy 5:8 But if anyone does not provide for his own, and especially for those of his household, he has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever.

2 Corinthians 12:14 Now for the third time I am ready to come to you. And I will not be burdensome to you; for I do not seek yours, but you. For the children ought not to lay up for the parents, but the parents for the children.

Proverbs 13:22 A good man leaves an inheritance to his children's children, But the wealth of the sinner is stored up for the righteous.

II. A Good Work Ethic

Proverbs 14:23 All hard work brings a profit, but mere talk leads only to poverty.

Ecclesiastes 9:10 Whatever your hand finds to do, do it with your might; for there is no work or device or knowledge or wisdom in the grave where you are going.

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III. Memories Of A Good Home

Titus 2:4-5 that they admonish the young women to love their husbands, to love their children, 5 to be discreet, chaste, homemakers, good, obedient to their own husbands, that the word of God may not be blasphemed.

Colossians 3:19 Husbands, love your wives and do not be bitter toward them.

Colossians 3:21 Fathers, do not provoke your children, lest they become discouraged.

Luke 15:17-18 "But when he came to himself, he said, 'How many of my father's hired servants have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger! 18 I will arise and go to my father, and will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you,

IV. Wisdom To Make The Proper Decisions In Life

Proverbs 22:15 Foolishness is bound up in the heart of a child; The rod of correction will drive it far from him.

Proverbs 29:15 The rod and rebuke give wisdom, But a child left to himself brings shame to his mother.

Proverbs 4:7 Wisdom is the principal thing; Therefore get wisdom. And in all your getting, get understanding.

Proverbs 1:8-9 My son, hear the instruction of your father, And do not forsake the law of your mother; 9 For they will be a graceful ornament on your head, And chains about your neck.

Proverbs 3:1-2 My son, do not forget my law, But let your heart keep my commands; 2 For length of days and long life And peace they will add to you.

V. Knowledge Of The Word Of God And Faith To Serve Him

3 John 4 I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth.

Ephesians 6:4 And you, fathers, do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord

Joel 1:3 Tell your children about it, Let your children tell their children, And their children another generation.

2 Timothy 1:5 when I call to remembrance the genuine faith that is in you, which dwelt first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice, and I am persuaded is in you also.