

# Parenting Part I - Passage List

- [1 Timothy 3:14–15](#) [14](#) I am writing these things to you, hoping to come to you before long; [15](#) but in case I am delayed, *I write* so that you will know how one ought to conduct himself in the household of God, which is the church of the living God, the pillar and support of the truth.
- [Proverbs 22:15](#) Foolishness is bound up in the heart of a child; The rod of discipline will remove it far from him.
- [Psalm 127:3–5](#) [3](#) Behold, children are a gift of the Lord, The fruit of the womb is a reward. [4](#) Like arrows in the hand of a warrior, So are the children of one's youth. [5](#) How blessed is the man whose quiver is full of them; They will not be ashamed When they speak with their enemies in the gate.
- [Ephesians 6:1–4](#) [1](#) Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. [2](#) Honor your father and mother (which is the first commandment with a promise). [3](#) so that it may be well with you, and that you may live long on the earth. [4](#) Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord.
- [Colossians 3:20–21](#) [20](#) Children, be obedient to your parents in all things, for this is well-pleasing to the Lord. [21](#) Fathers, do not exasperate your children, so that they will not lose heart.
- [Hebrews 12:5–11](#) [5](#) and you have forgotten the exhortation which is addressed to you as sons, “My son, do not regard lightly the discipline of the Lord, Nor faint when you are reprov'd by Him; [6](#) For those whom the Lord loves He disciplines, And He scourges every son whom He receives.” [7](#) It is for discipline that you endure; God deals with you as with sons; for what son is there whom *his* father does not discipline? [8](#) But if you are without discipline, of which all have become partakers, then you are illegitimate children and not sons. [9](#) Furthermore, we had earthly fathers to discipline us, and we respected them; shall we not much rather be subject to the Father of spirits, and live? [10](#) For they disciplined us for a short time as seemed best to them, but He *disciplines us* for *our* good, so that we may share His holiness. [11](#) All discipline for the moment seems not to be joyful, but sorrowful; yet to those who have been trained by it, afterwards it yields the peaceful fruit of righteousness.
- [Mark 7:21–23](#) [21](#) “For from within, out of the heart of men, proceed the evil thoughts, fornications, thefts, murders, adulteries, [22](#) deeds of coveting *and* wickedness, *as well as* deceit, sensuality, envy, slander, pride *and* foolishness. [23](#) “All these evil things proceed from within and defile the man.”
- [Luke 6:45](#) “The good man out of the good treasure of his heart brings forth what is good; and the evil *man* out of the evil *treasure* brings forth what is evil; for his mouth speaks from that which fills his heart.
- [Jeremiah 17:9](#) “The heart is more deceitful than all else And is desperately sick; Who can understand it?