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**Making Kids Great Again!**

Eph 6:4; Col. 3:21

1. If you are a Christian father, you are the father of children who have the full attention of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

“*Fathers...”*

God the Father establishes the identity of the family, delegating the father role to human men... Eph. 3:15

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1. Don’t mess up your children by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your position of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

“*Do not provoke /stir up discontent in your children...they will become angry/lose heart”*

Bad fathering produces significant emotional \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_... *These results reflect an absence of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*

1. Do set up the right \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ space for your children to give them every opportunity to physically, emotionally, and spiritually succeed.

“...*instead bring them up in the discipline and instruction...”*

Balanced fathering... *How the Lord builds us.* (2 Tim. 3:16-17)

* Healthy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_correction “paideia”—discipline, training through material (physical) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Heb.12:7)
* Healthy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_direction “nouthesis”—instruction, admonition

... “of the Lord”

Father your children in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_-approved ways

* Be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ first!
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your kids
* Know \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ways
* Pick the right \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* Choose the right \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_; sharpen your family \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.