

Family Worship

For the week of November 16

"Deceived"
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The Proverbs 22:6 Principle

Proverbs 22:6

Big Idea: A godly _____ DOES NOT
guarantee _____

The nature of a proverb:

-It is not a _____

-It is a _____

The cost of misinterpretation:

-Needless _____

-Foolish _____

3 admonitions from Proverbs 22:6:

I. _____ your children

-Behaviorism:

-Permissive parenting:

-The sin nature:

II. _____ your children

-Where to "train up"

-When to "train up"

-How to "train up"

III. _____ your children

Applications & Conclusions:

Day One

Read: John 8

Prayer requests:
Missionaries

Day Two

Read: John 9

Prayer requests:
Unsaved

Day Three

Read: Exodus 7

Prayer requests:
Pastors and church ministries

Day Four

Read: Proverbs 7

Prayer requests:
Government and military

Day Five

Read: Romans 7

Prayer requests:
Friends and family

Acts 2:42 Community Group Homework

For the week of November 8, 2009

Getting Started:

1. What was something your parent(s) did particularly well in raising you?

Into the Bible:

2. Read the following verses from Proverbs 22.
If they were promises, what would that mean?

Verse 4

Verse 11

Verse 16

3. Why is it so hard for parents to accept that Proverbs 22:6 not a guarantee?

4. How does Paul describe our real problem without Christ in Ephesians 2:1-3?

Application:

5. How do you see the worldly ideas of Behaviorism, *Tabula Rosa* ("blank slate") creep into your own thinking about yourself?

6. How does a proper view of humanity's sin nature challenge your thinking about yourself, others, and parenting?

7. Looking back over last weekend's message, what point, illustration, or idea did you need to hear most?

8. If you misdiagnose the problem, then cure will almost certainly be wrong. Think through the following list of diagnoses and the "cure" that the world often offers.

If the diagnosis is... then the cure is...

Intelligence

Social influences

Past experiences

Genetics

Sin nature

9. How can you as parents think of ways to weave the gospel into parenting on a daily basis?

