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NEWSLETTER



Teaching my children to fear God

This month we are focusing on teaching your children the importance of fearing God, following last month's topic on obedience. We believe that these 2 are the keys to being happy. Here are a few ways you can help instill this fear in the hearts of your little ones at home:

- Pray with them regularly asking God for guidance before starting your day, etc. This will help them learn that God is first.
- Teach them to hate evil. When they do something wrong immediately remind them that God is watching. As a consequence they should lose something they like.
- Read the bible with them before bedtime or at a convenient time (if possible, daily). If you don't have a children's bible perhaps you can get bible stories online. Go over the lesson learned through the story you read to them.

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A Helping Hand



The CBC is always in need of donations and we kindly ask for your support. If you would like to help, please check with your local CBC teacher what is needed.



January: Learning to be Organized

Our kids in Vancouver decided to take on the challenge of being organized at home and applying what they learned in class. God is organized and plans everything He does. In the same way, we should be organized in everything.



12 Steps you should NOT follow

After conducting a study on juvenile delinquency, the Houston Police Department in Texas created a pamphlet that included "12 steps to raise a juvenile delinquent" and distributed it throughout the city. Their goal was to alert parents that education starts at home - and that this process does not have to end in a "juvenile detention centre". It would be wise to carefully read the list below and if you notice that you are following some of these tips, be sure to stop practicing them immediately.

1. Begin from infancy to give the child everything he wants. This will make him grow up to believe the world owes him a living.
2. When he picks up bad words, laugh at him. This will make him think he's cute.
3. Never give him any spiritual training. Do not teach him about intelligent faith, or the importance of being born of God. Wait until he is twenty-one and then let "him decide for himself".
4. Avoid the use of "wrong". He may develop a guilt complex. This will condition him to believe later, when he is arrested, that society is against him and he is being persecuted.
5. Pick up everything he leaves lying around. Do everything for him so that he will be experienced in throwing all responsibility on others.
6. Take his side against neighbors, teachers, and policemen. They are all prejudiced against your child.
7. Argue with your spouse frequently in the presence of your children. In this way they won't be so shocked when the home is broken up later.
8. Give the child all the spending money he wants. Never let him earn his own.
10. Let him read any printed material, watch anything online, and listen to any music he can get his hands on. Be careful that the silverware and drinking glasses are sterilized, but let his mind feast on garbage.
11. When he gets into real trouble, apologize to yourself by saying, "I could never do anything with him."
12. Prepare for a life of grief. You will likely have it.