- Some parents choose to home school their children instead of sending them to public school
  - It is a decision that each parent must make based on what they feel is best for their children
  - There is not a right or wrong answer.
- There is a sense in which all children should be home schooled
  - There are some things that they cannot learn in public school.
  - They can't even learn everything they need to be taught in Bible class at church.





#### **All Children Should Be Homeschooled**

# You shall teach them diligently to your children – Deut.6:6-9

- "They shall be in your heart" v.6
- diligently "to sharpen, to pierce"
  - \* NIV "impress them on your children"
- constantly teach sit, walk, lie, rise up
- we must be guided by what we teach vs.8 9



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- Train Up A Child in the Way He Should Go Prov.22:6
  - train "to train, dedicate, inaugurate" BDB;
    Barnes "initiate, and so, educate"
  - "the way he should go" K&D "Give to the child instruction conformably to His way", "the path especially belonging to, especially fitted for, the individual' s character." – Barnes
  - when he is old he will not depart from it



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- "Make Them Known To Their Children" Psalm 78:4-8
  - it was a command v.5
  - Reasons vs.6-8
    - \* so they can teach them to their children
    - \* so they will set their hope in God
    - \* so they won't forget God's works
    - \* so they will keep his commandments
    - \* so they won't be stubborn and rebellious



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"Training and Admonition of the Lord" – Eph.6:1

- Fathers are to be the spiritual leaders in the family
- "training" "education, discipline, and corrective teaching – Heb.12:5-11
- admonition "putting in mind of right"



#### If We Don't Homeschool Our Children

- There Will Arise A Generation That Does Not Know God – Judges 2:10
- His Sons Made Themselves Vile, and He Did Not Restrain Them 1 Sam.3:13
- There Will Be A Breakdown in the Home, In the Community, In Society at Large, and in the Nation – Rom.1:18-32



Homeschooled children should be taught:

- Knowledge of God's Works Psalm 78:3-8; Psalm 106:7-13; 21
- Understanding and Respect for Sacred History and Sacred Appointments – Ex.12:26-27; 13:8, 14; Lev.19:30
- Absolute Authority of the Word of God Deut.4:2; 29:9; Deut.30:10-20; Col.3:17
- Obedience to Parents Prov.1:8; 4:1; 13:1; Rom.1:30-32; 2 Tim.3:2



Homeschooled children should be taught:

- Respect for the Aged Lev.19:32; 2 Kings 2:23-25
- How to Maintain Moral Purity Psalm 1:1-6; Psalm 119:9-11
- Disobedience Has A Price Prov.13:24; Prov.19:18; Prov.22:15; Prov.23:13-14
- Knowledge of the Whole Duty of Man Ecc.12:14



#### CAN IT BE SAID OF US:

HE WILL COMMAND HIS CHILDREN AND HIS HOUSEHOLD AFTER HIM, THAT THEY MAY KEEP THE WAY OF THE LORD, TO DO RIGHTEOUSNESS AND JUSTICE – Gen.18:19