



Scripture Reading Selections from Prov on Parenting

Proverbs 23:13-14

Saying 13

**13 Do not withhold discipline from a child;
if you punish them with the rod, they will not die.**

**14 Punish them with the rod
and save them from death.**

Proverbs 4:3-5

**3 For I too was a son to my father,
still tender, and cherished by my mother.**

**4 Then he taught me, and he said to me,
“Take hold of my words with all your heart;
keep my commands, and you will live.**

**5 Get wisdom, get understanding;
do not forget my words or turn away from them.**



Proverbs 3:11-12

**11 My son, do not despise the Lord's discipline,
and do not resent his rebuke,**

**12 because the Lord disciplines those he loves,
as a father the son he delights in.**


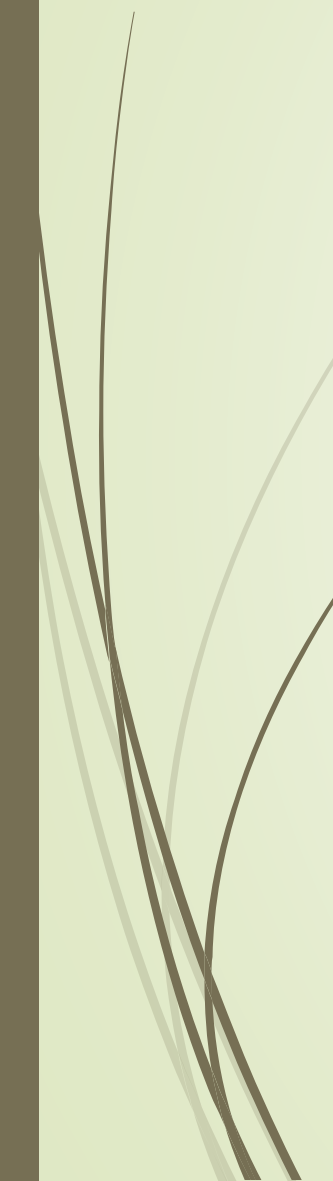
Proverbs 1:8

**8 Listen, my son, to your father's instruction
and do not forsake your mother's teaching.**

Proverbs 9:10

**10 The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom,
and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.**

Proverbs 1:1-3

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- 1 The proverbs of Solomon son of David, king of Israel:**
 - 2 for gaining wisdom and instruction;
for understanding words of insight;**
 - 3 for receiving instruction in prudent behavior,
doing what is right and just and fair**
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1. How

2. What

3. Why

Proverbs 23:13-14

Do not withhold discipline from a child;

if you punish them with the rod, they will not die.

Punish them with the rod

and save them from death.

Proverbs 13:24

Whoever spares the rod hates their children,

but the one who loves their children is careful to discipline them.

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Two Elements of Instruction (Hebrew "Musal") –

A. Verbal instruction

B. Discipline

1. Disciplinarian (0-5)

2. Training (6-12)

3. Coaching (13-17)

4. Friendship (18+)

Proverbs 25:21 “If your enemy is hungry, give him food to eat; if he is thirsty, give him water to drink”.

Proverbs 31:28-29 “Her children arise and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her: “Many women do noble things, but you surpass them all.”

Proverbs 22:9 “A generous man will himself be blessed, for he shares his food with the poor.”

Proverbs 10:12 “Hatred stirs up dissension, but love covers over all wrongs.”

A. What is a family ?

B. The spiritual-ethical dimension of wisdom

Proverbs 22:15

**Folly is bound up in the heart of a child,
but the rod of discipline will drive it far away.**

Proverbs 22:6

**Start children off on the way they should go,
and even when they are old they will not turn from it.**

Proverbs 19:27

**Stop listening to instruction, my son,
and you will stray from the words of knowledge.**

The Spiritual-ethical Dimension of Wisdom

1. Spiritual Dimension

Proverb 9:10

**The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom,
and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.**

Deuteronomy 10:12-13, Fear the LORD

And now, Israel, what does the LORD your God ask of you but to fear the LORD your God, to walk in obedience to him, to love him, to serve the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, and to observe the LORD's commands and decrees that I am giving you today for your own good?

2. The ethical/moral dimension of parenting

Proverbs 1: 1-3 Purpose and Theme

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