

Passing the Baton

Deuteronomy 6:4-7

A Relay Race is Won or Lost in the Transfer of the BATON...

Many Christian Parents FEAR or FEEL we're LOSING the Race.

"How important is "Next Generation" Thinking?"

We can STILL Win This Race!

Three Basic STEPS to Pass On our Faith & Values to young people.

1. BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS WITH OUR CHILDREN. (Deuteronomy 6:4-5)

- Our Relationship with Jesus Christ is the Foundation of Every Other Relationship... ESPECIALLY with Our Children.
- YOUR Relationship with the Lord WILL Inspire you to have a Closer Relationship with your Child.
- Biblical Truths & Godly Values can't be Learned apart from a Close Relationship...

2. BEING AN EXAMPLE TO OUR CHILDREN. (Deuteronomy 6:6)

- The Way you ACT Communicates How you FEEL about what's Right & Wrong.
- For our Sons & Daughters to Accept God's Absolute Standards, WE must Believe them Ourselves...
- We should live Consistent lives...lives that Model Biblical Standards.

3. BESTOWING TRUTH TO OUR CHILDREN. (Deuteronomy 6:7 NLT)

- As a Christian, What does GOD Want from me?...GENERATIONAL COMMITMENT!
- Instilling Biblical Values Requires YOUR Commitment.
- We must TEACH that GOD is the Source of all TRUTH. (De 32:4)
- We must WALK as Children of the Light & Be Willing to TEACH the Next Generation to do the same...