

Resources for Parents to Disciple their Children

1. Spiritual Foundations

- **Books:**
 - *Shepherding a Child's Heart* by Tedd Tripp
 - *Parenting: 14 Gospel Principles That Can Radically Change Your Family* by Paul David Tripp
 - *Disciple-Making Parent* by Chap Bettis
- **Devotionals:**
 - *Family Worship* by Donald S. Whitney
 - *Long Story Short: Ten-Minute Devotions to Draw Your Family to God* by Marty Machowski
 - *Indescribable: 100 Devotions About God and Science* by Louie Giglio
- **Websites & Apps:**
 - *The Bible App for Kids* (Interactive Bible stories for children)
 - Focus on the Family's Parenting Section (www.focusonthefamily.com)

2. Bible Knowledge

- **Children's Bibles:**
 - *The Jesus Storybook Bible* by Sally Lloyd-Jones
 - *The Action Bible* by David C. Cook
 - *The Big Picture Story Bible* by David R. Helm
- **Bible Study Guides for Families:**
 - *Foundations for Kids: A 260-Day Bible Reading Plan for Children* by Robby Gallaty
 - *The Ology: Ancient Truths Ever New* by Marty Machowski
- **Online Tools:**
 - BibleProject Kids (www.bibleproject.com) – Explains Bible themes through videos.

3. Prayer

- **Books:**
 - *Praying Circles Around Your Children* by Mark Batterson
 - *The Power of a Praying Parent* by Stormie Omartian
- **Guides and Resources:**
 - *Prayer Cards for Kids* by Seeds Family Worship (teaching prayer through Scripture)
 - *31 Biblical Virtues to Pray for Your Kids* by Bob Hostetler (printable guide)
- **Activities:**
 - Create a family prayer journal to document prayer requests and answered prayers.

4. Worship and Devotions

- **Music Resources:**
 - *Seeds Family Worship* (Scripture-based worship songs for kids and families)
 - *Slugs & Bugs: Sing the Bible* by Randall Goodgame
- **Devotionals:**
 - *Thoughts to Make Your Heart Sing* by Sally Lloyd-Jones
 - *Our 24 Family Ways: A Family Devotional Guide* by Clay Clarkson
- **Videos and Podcasts:**
 - *Minno Kids* Streaming Service (faith-based videos for children)
 - *Adventures in Odyssey* (audio dramas with Christian values)

5. Character and Virtues

- **Books:**
 - *Instructing a Child's Heart* by Tedd & Margy Tripp
 - *Raising Grateful Kids in an Entitled World* by Kristen Welch
- **Curriculum:**
 - *Kids of Integrity* (Free online character development lessons)
 - *Character Sketches from the Pages of Scripture* by Institute in Basic Life Principles
- **Activities:**
 - Monthly family challenges focusing on specific virtues like kindness, patience, or honesty.

6. Apologetics and Worldview

- **Books:**
 - *Cold-Case Christianity for Kids* by J. Warner Wallace
 - *Mama Bear Apologetics* by Hillary Morgan Ferrer (Parent resource)
 - *Keeping Your Kids on God's Side* by Natasha Crain
- **Activities:**
 - Discuss tough questions about faith with answers from *Answers in Genesis* (www.answersingenesis.org).
 - Watch apologetics videos from Sean McDowell or Ravi Zacharias International Ministries.

7. Parenting Practicalities

- **Books:**
 - *Boundaries with Kids* by Dr. Henry Cloud and Dr. John Townsend
 - *Raising Kingdom Kids* by Tony Evans
 - *Grace-Based Parenting* by Tim Kimmel
- **Websites:**
 - *Parent Cue* (www.theparentcue.org) – Practical parenting tips aligned with biblical principles.
- **Workshops:**
 - Enroll in *FamilyLife's Art of Parenting* (workshop or video series).

8. Technology and Media

- **Books:**
 - *The Tech-Wise Family* by Andy Crouch
 - *Screen Kids* by Gary Chapman and Arlene Pellicane
- **Guides:**
 - Covenant Eyes (Internet accountability for families)
 - Axis Culture Translator (www.axis.org) – Understanding the impact of media and culture on teens.
- **Resources:**
 - *Plugged In* by Focus on the Family (Media reviews for parents).

9. Service and Missions

- **Books:**
 - *Raising World Changers in a Changing World* by Kristen Welch
 - *Window on the World: An Operation World Prayer Resource for Kids* by Daphne Spraggett
- **Activities:**
 - Partner with local ministries or community outreach programs.
 - Create a family mission project, such as adopting a missionary family to support in prayer and giving.

10. Marriage as a Parenting Model

- **Books:**
 - *Marriage and the Family: Biblical Essentials* by Andreas Kostenberger
 - *Love Like You Mean It* by Bob Lepine
- **Podcasts:**
 - Focus on the Family's *Marriage Podcast*
 - FamilyLife's *Weekend to Remember* resources.
- **Activities:**

- Model biblical conflict resolution and prayer for children to observe.