

**“ONE FAMILY UNDER GOD”**

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**“THE KINGDOM PARENT”**

4 I will make boys their leaders,  
and toddlers their rulers.

5 People will oppress each other—

man against man,

neighbor against neighbor.

Young people will insult their elders,  
and vulgar people will sneer at the honorable.

Isaiah 3:4-5, NLT

1 But know this, that in the last days perilous times will come:  
2 For men will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boasters,  
proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy,  
3 unloving, unforgiving, slanderers, without self-control, brutal,  
despisers of good,  
4 traitors, headstrong, haughty, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers  
of God.

2 Timothy 3:1-4, NKJV

“Every other institution in society is built and predicated upon the family. If the family disintegrates, then those institutions that depend on strong families disintegrate as well.”

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# 1. A STRONG KINGDOM FAMILY

Then God said, “Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth.”

Genesis 1:26, NKJV

The goal of the kingdom family is the replication of the image of God in history and not merely a happy place to call home.

## **2. THE IMPORTANCE OF KINGDOM FEATHERS**

18 “For Abraham will certainly become a great and mighty nation,  
and all the nations of the earth  
will be blessed through him.

19 I have singled him out so that he will direct his sons and their  
families to keep the way of the Lord by doing what is right and just.  
Then I will do for Abraham all that I have promised.”

Genesis 18:18-19, NLT

You shall not bow down to them nor serve them. For I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children to the third and fourth generations of those who hate Me.

Exodus 20:5, NKJV

### 3. ENCOURAGE OUR CHILDREN

“A parent who is not known for encouragement, but rather discourages their children speaks failure and curses into their future. Rather, as parents, we are called to give encouragement.”

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Death and life are in the power of the tongue,  
And those who love it will eat its fruit.

Proverb 18:21, NKJV

Fathers, do not provoke your children, lest they become  
discouraged.

Colossians 3:21, NKJV

## 4. DISCIPLINE OUR CHILDREN

Train up a child in the way he should go,  
And when he is old he will not depart from it.

Proverb 22:6, NKJV

The rod and rebuke give wisdom,  
But a child left to himself brings shame to his mother.

Proverb 13:15, NKJV

He who spares his rod hates his son,  
But he who loves him disciplines him promptly.

Proverb 13:24, NKJV

And you, fathers, do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord.

Ephesians 6:4, NKJV