

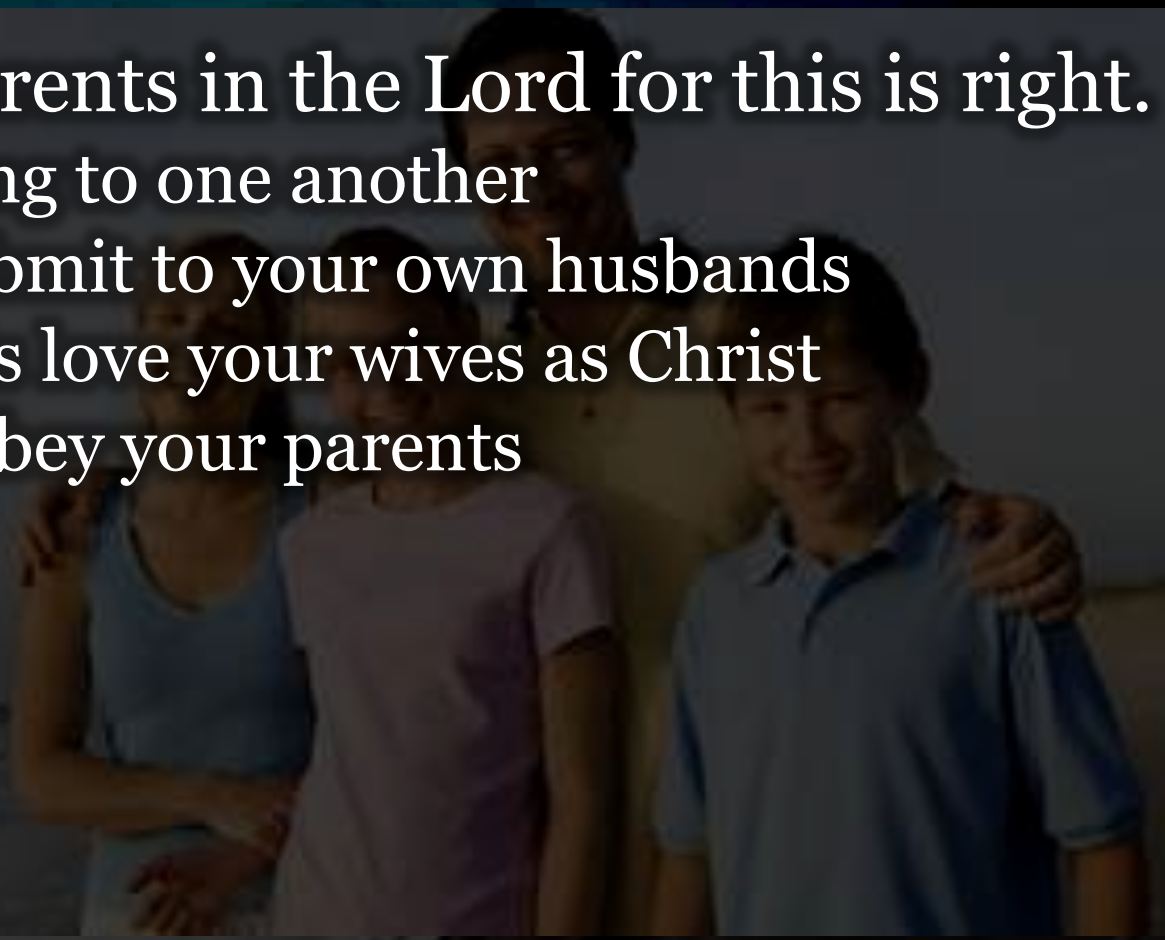
# God's Plan for Happy Families



Ephesians 6:1-4

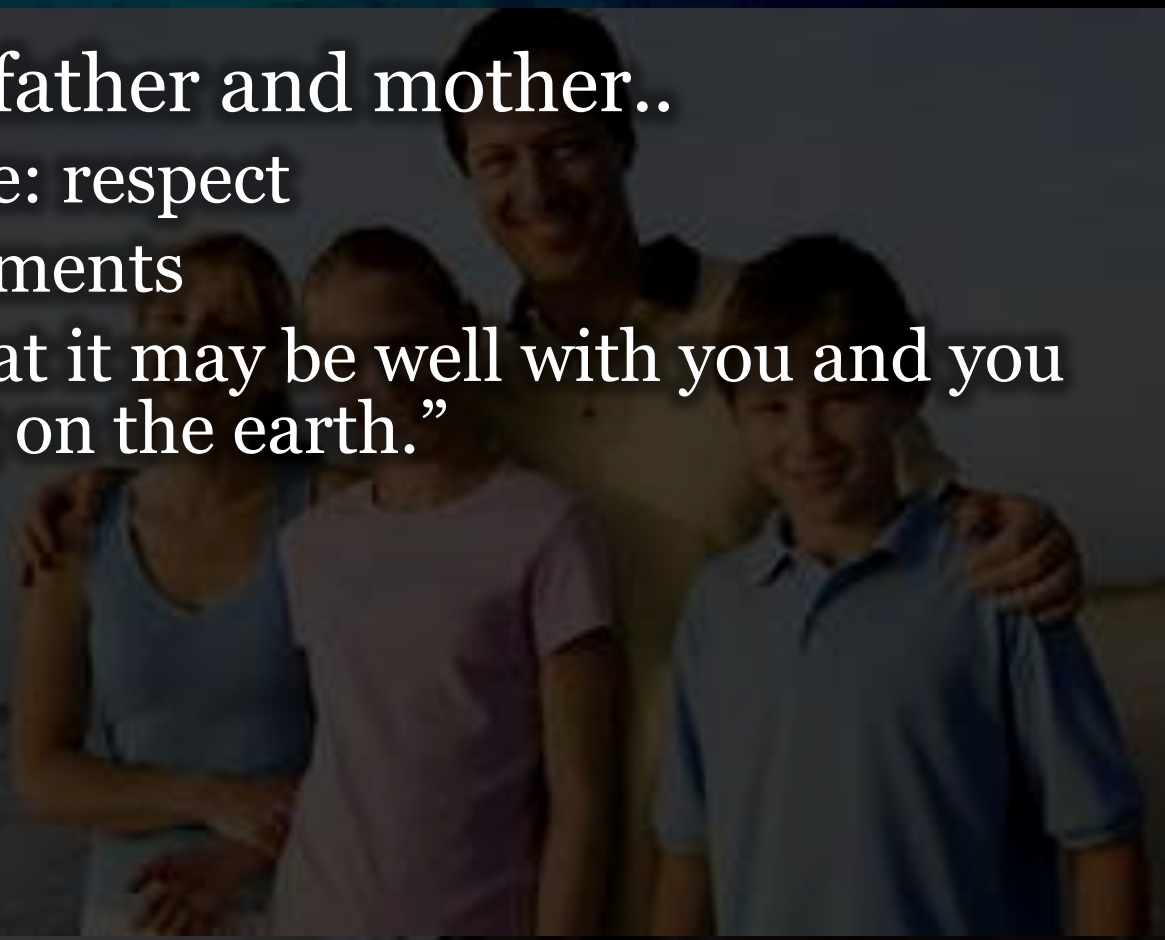
## Children.. (vs 1-3)

- 1 Obey your parents in the Lord for this is right.
  - 5:21 submitting to one another
  - 5:22 wives submit to your own husbands
  - 5:25 husbands love your wives as Christ
  - 6:1 children obey your parents



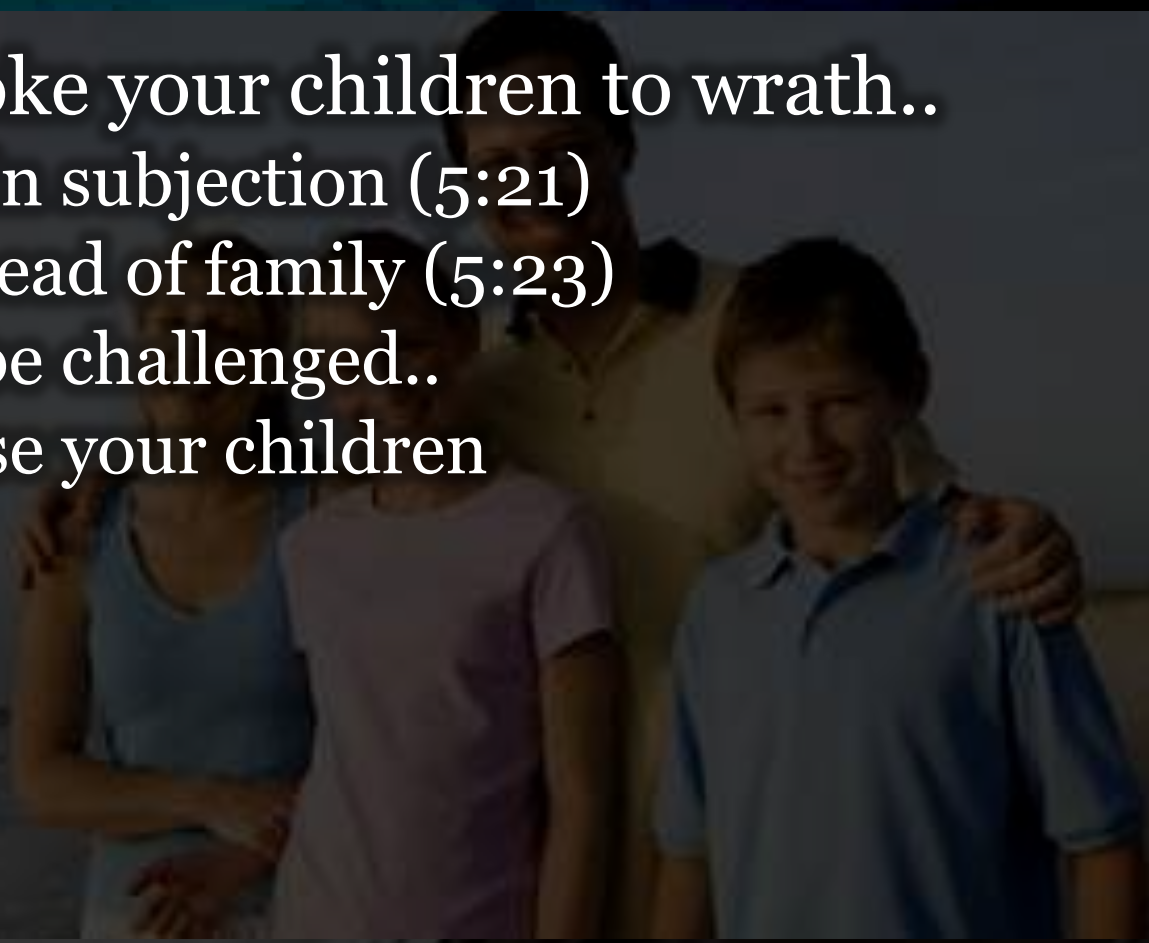
# Children..

- 2 Honor your father and mother..
  - Inner attitude: respect
  - 10 commandments
  - Promise: “that it may be well with you and you may live long on the earth.”



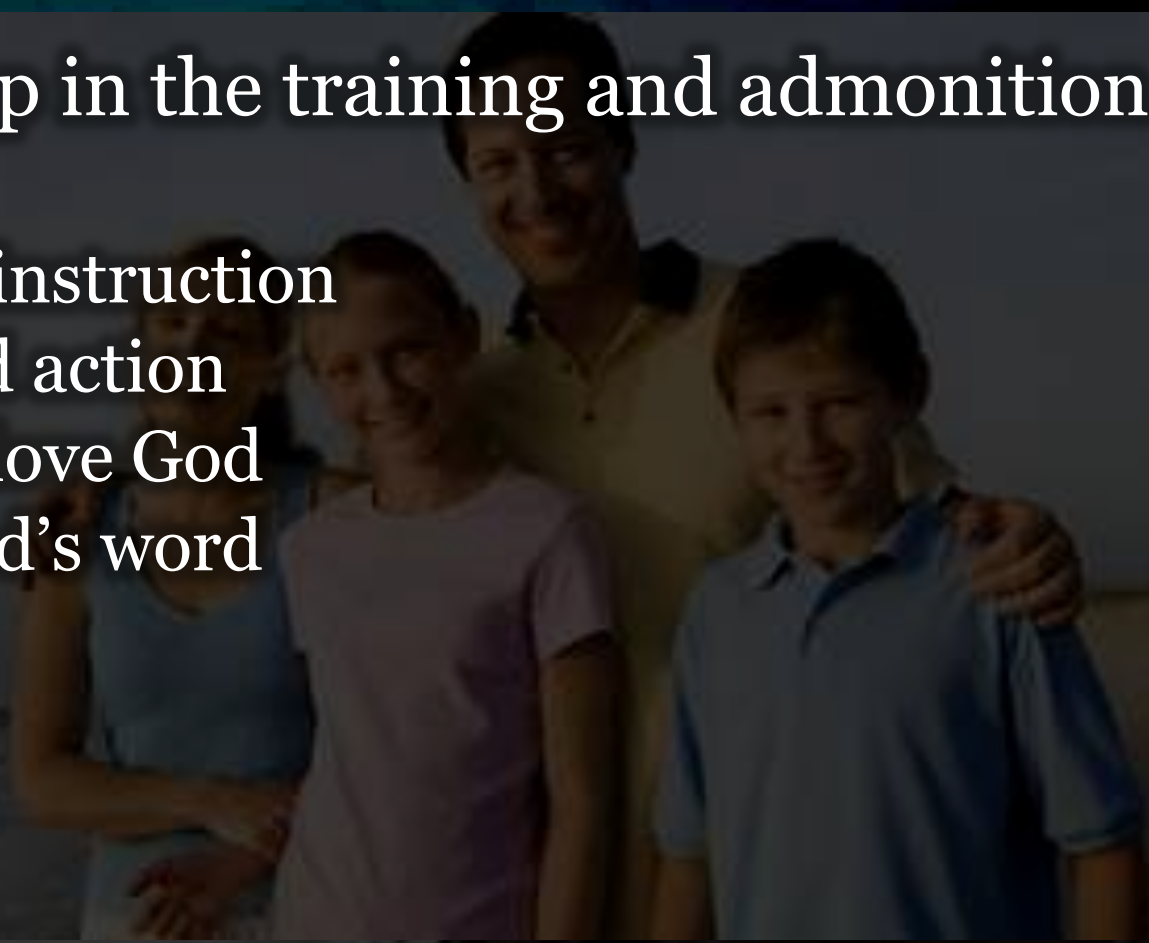
## Fathers.. (vs 4)

- 4 do not provoke your children to wrath..
  - Fathers also in subjection (5:21)
  - Fathers are head of family (5:23)
  - Fathers will be challenged..
  - Fathers .. raise your children



# Fathers..

- 4b bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord.
  - Discipline and instruction
  - Both words and action
  - Teach them to love God
  - Teach them God's word





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