Teaching Our Children

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# Use The Bible

#### 2 Timothy 3:14-17

<sup>14</sup>But you must continue in the things which you have learned and been assured of, knowing from whom you have learned them, <sup>15</sup>and that from childhood you have known the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus. <sup>16</sup>All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness, <sup>17</sup>that the man of God may be complete, thoroughly equipped for every good work.

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- Memorize The Verses
- Instruct From
   The Doctrine

# Move Toward Maturity I Peter 2:2

#### as newborn babes, desire the pure milk of the word, that you may grow thereby

#### Move Toward Maturity Hebrews 5:12-14

<sup>12</sup>For though by this time you ought to be teachers, you need someone to teach you again the first principles of the oracles of God; and you have come to need milk and not solid food. <sup>13</sup>For everyone whopartakes only of milk is unskilled in the word of righteousness, for he is a babe. <sup>14</sup>But solid food belongs to those who are of full age, that is, those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil.

## Move Toward Maturity

#### <u>2 Peter 3:16</u>

as also in all his epistles, speaking in them of these things, in which are some things hard to understand, which untaught and unstable people twist to their own destruction, as they do also the rest of the Scriptures.

## Move Toward Maturity I Corinthians 13:11

When I was a child, I spoke as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child; but when I became a man, I put away childish things.

## The Infant Stage

- Age: Newborn To Beginning Of Speech
- Begin Reading Bible Stories
- Tell Them That God Loves Them
- Tell Them How Much You
   Love God
- Sing



# The Parrot Stage

- Age: I-5
- Memorize Scriptures & Lists
- Read Bible Stories From The Bible
- Train Them To Sit & Listen
- Ask Simple Fact Questions

### The Grammar Stage

- Age: 6 9
- Have Them Begin Using Their Own Bible
- Have Them Relate The Stories To You
- Start Working On Timelines & Maps



# The Logic Stage

- Age: 10 13
- Begin Asking "Why" Questions
- Teach Them To Use Reference Material
- Teach Them To Judge Everything They Read By The Bible
- Have Them Answer Their Own Questions From The Bible
- Challenge & Include

## The Rhetoric Stage

- Age: 14 Adult
- Have Them Express
   What They've Learned
- Give Assignments
- Have Them Make Presentations
- Introduce Them To Teaching

what Are You Teaching Them?