

Admonitions To Parents --Emmanuel Herald

~Other Speakers S-Z: Classic Christian Writings:

- Never lose sight of the responsibility to be carried as a parent.
- Keep the spiritual welfare and interests of the child uppermost.
- Be more concerned to build character and integrity in the child than to make him merely acceptable to others.
- Seek to keep the atmosphere of the home free from strife and tension.
- Strive to keep the channel of communication open between the parent and the child.
- Encourage what is right and don't be afraid to commend what is commendable.
- Be consistent in discipline.
- Beware of undermining the child's confidence in those who are given responsibility in helping him.
- Guard closely your child's entertainment.
- Don't expect the Sunday school or the Bible school to make up for the deficiency of the home.
- Teach respect for authority.
- Place as much confidence and trust in the child as you safely can.
- Strive to give the child something worthwhile to challenge him.
- Seek to find the path that is safest.
- Don't let the demands of life crowd out the time needed to be devoted to your family.
- Give the child the feeling that he has your interest and support.
- Surround the family with prayer and example.