

Joy & Success in Homeschooling

Homeschooling for the Glory of GOD!



The Family Farmhouse!

- ◆ Shortcuts?
- ◆ Tearing down?
- ◆ Building up?



What Does it Mean to be Educated?

- ◆ Goal is to Educate/Equip for Life
- ◆ Hebrews
- ◆ Greeks
- ◆ Romans
- ◆ Middle Ages
- ◆ Industrial Revolution
- ◆ Jesus' Model of Education



Goals & Plans



- ◆ Begin with the End
- ◆ When do I start thinking about this?
- ◆ Start & Continue with eyes on the goal
- ◆ Make a plan
- ◆ Plan is adaptable
- ◆ In computer?
- ◆ Always changing

Stay on Course

- ◆ Destination
- ◆ Boat
- ◆ Steer Clear of Obstacles
- ◆ Watch Depth
- ◆ Avoid getting sand, mud, & grass in the engine
- ◆ Ask the right questions
- ◆ Seek first...



Relationships



- ◆ Lives are changed in the context of relationships
- ◆ What relationships will change your child?
- ◆ Terrific Twos to the Tremendous Teens
- ◆ Who will influence your child?

The Great Commission



- ◆ Our greatest ministry is in our homes
- ◆ The Great Commission
- ◆ Mentoring like Jesus did
- ◆ Praying for our children
- ◆ Friendship with our children
- ◆ Family Ministry

If We Get Off Course

- ◆ Example of Peter
- ◆ Feed my Sheep
- ◆ Feed my Lambs
- ◆ Take Care of my Sheep
- ◆ Renew our commitment to homeschool for the glory of God!



An Example from Daniel!

- ◆ At the end of the ten days they looked healthier and better nourished than any of the young men who ate the royal food. So the guard took away their choice food and the wine they were to drink and gave them vegetables instead.
- ◆ **To these four young men God gave knowledge and understanding of all kinds of literature and learning.** And Daniel could understand visions and dreams of all kinds.
- ◆ Daniel 1: 15-17

Enjoy Today!



- ◆ Love your children
- ◆ Enjoy Learning
- ◆ Make Memories
- ◆ Investigate
- ◆ Stir up Curiosity
