


**H.E.A.R.T. Exam for Dads**  
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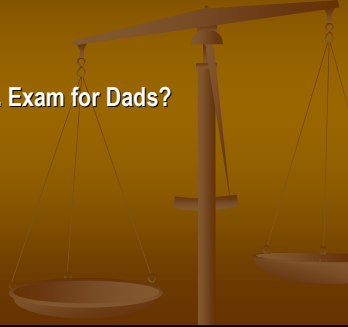
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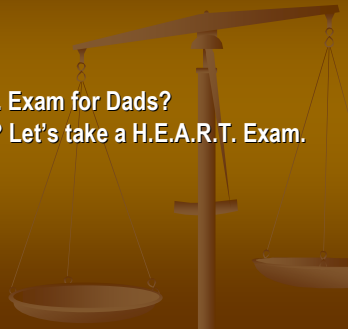
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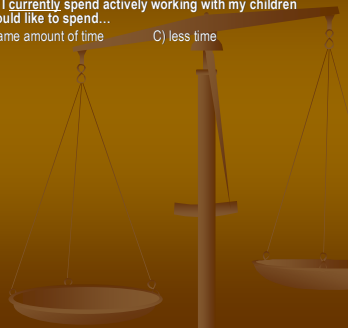
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- Since I've become a parent, my marriage is...  
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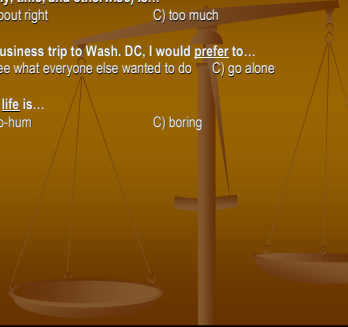
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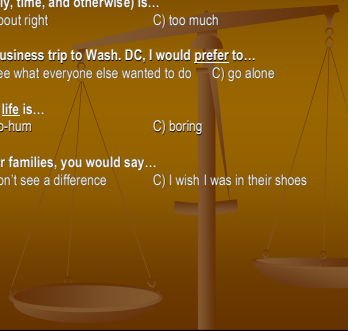
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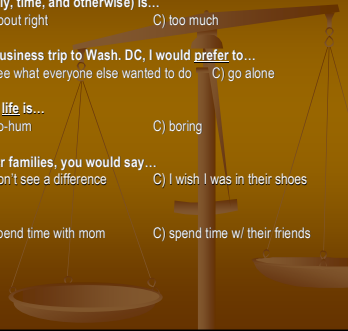
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- Would your kids rather...  
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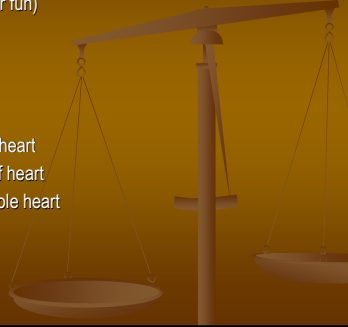
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- Your Exam Score (just for fun)
  - 3 points for each "A"
  - 2 points for each "B"
  - 1 point for each "C"
- 10 – 15 points → no heart
- 16 – 24 points → half heart
- 25 – 30 points → whole heart



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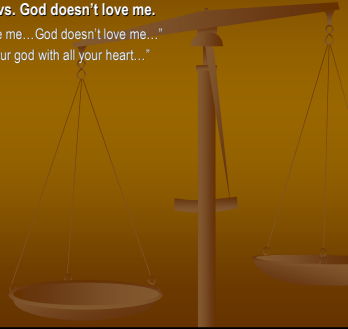
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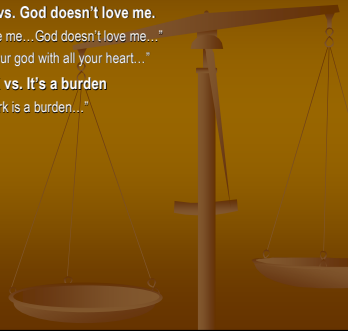
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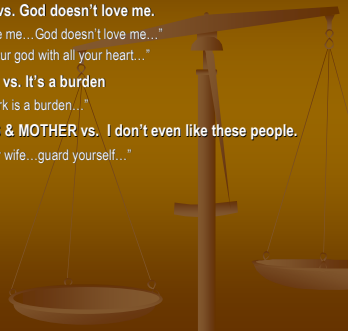
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## H.E.A.R.T. Exam for Dads

- This is not just a homeschooling movement. It is a family movement, of which homeschooling is a big part. However, I've observed that this is not just a family movement. It is a revival with men and women turning their hearts to God and His glory, of which family is a huge part.

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