



Who Is Raising The Next Generation?

MAIN THING

Only fools would allow their enemies to educate their children

SCRIPTURE

Judges 2:10-15, Deuteronomy 6:4-6, Romans 16:17-18, Mark 9:42, Proverbs 13:22, Ephesians 6:4

ICEBREAKER

When you were in school, who was your favorite teacher and why?

OPENING THOUGHT

The Culture War is definitely centering around our children/teenagers. Mass media, educational structures, higher education, etc is a juggernaut promoting secular humanism, LGBTQ propaganda, critical race theory, and other things that go against the Word of God.

Not only parents but all people in the church, who don't want to see a generation lost like is described in Judges 2:10-15, need to be concerned about this topic. History has shown us what happens when the covenant between God and His people is broken. More than that, we need to return to making sure that we are making disciples and educating in our homes FIRST before anything else.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What was one thing that stood out to you from this weekend's message?
2. If you come from a Christian family, what were some of the things your family did to gift you a "spiritual inheritance?" What kind of things did your family do that taught you how to walk with Christ, that benefited your growth as a Christian?
3. What would be different about your life if the only thing you feared in life was losing your kids or grandkids to this world?

LIFE APPLICATION

Every one of you in this room has a home. As a group, come up with at least five things that Christians can do, in the home, to disciple the next generation so that Judges 2:10-15 doesn't happen on our watch.

CHALLENGE

Our schools and educational systems are moving in a direction that is against the Word of God. There are plenty of things we can do as a group. Pick one and get into the game:

- 1) Write to the school board of your county and ask that CRT, Transgenderism/Gender Dysphoria, etc be removed from any curriculum and classroom assignments.
- 2) Attend the next school board meeting and let your voice be heard.
- 3) Investigate homeschool co-ops if your child or grandchild's schools are unacceptable. We already host one at our church.
- 4) Write a card to Christian teachers who are doing good work in our schools and encourage them to stand firm.
- 5) Other: _____