

God created the home, but He has placed responsibility for it upon the parents. ~~There is much that~~ can be contributed to the happiness of the home by every one of its members, but the parents are the persons most responsible before God. The husband is the head of the home and his wife is his helper. The Bible ^{contains} ~~tells~~ in very specific language ^{about} ~~of~~ their duties with regard to the young people in the home. Each of the following passages contains ^{definite} ~~specific~~ teaching about the duty of the parents. Study the passages and tell what ~~these~~ these duties are:

Ephesians 6:4

Colossians 3:21

Proverbs 22:6

God has given this responsibility to the parents in order that they might help their children to grow. This growth is not limited to physical life by any means. It applies to spiritual life as well.

The home helps us grow in many ways. One of these is the fact that we learn to live with other people. By learning to show respect for other people, and to be agreeable to them in our homes where we have sympathetic understanding, we learn how to get along in later years with people in the outside world. The home helps us to grow in good conduct and good attitudes,

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