

# Raising our Children- In One Sentence

Ephesians 6:4

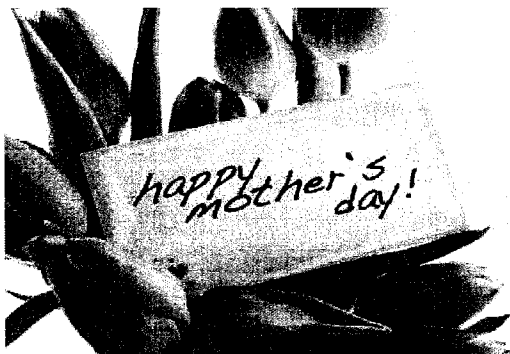
**As our heavenly Father relates to us as His children, so we should relate to our children.**

I. Our overall goal: That our children may grow in love for God and for others as they grow in joyful submission to the lordship of Christ.

- A. Seek to bring your children to genuine \_\_\_\_\_ to Christ.
- B. Help your children grow in \_\_\_\_\_.
- C. Help your children cultivate godly \_\_\_\_\_.
- D. Train your children in life's \_\_\_\_\_.

II. The overall principle: As the heavenly Father relates to us, so we must relate to our children.

- A. Your \_\_\_\_\_ is the primary means for training your children.
- B. \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ should be the defining characteristics of your life.
- C. \_\_\_\_\_ your children to respect you from their youngest ages through proper correction and discipline.
- D. \_\_\_\_\_ your children as unique human beings.
- E. \_\_\_\_\_ on the majors!



For Mother's Day this year it was decided to make a financial donation to help women in our community instead of buying gifts! A donation will be made to 58:12 Rescue in the name of the women of Longenecker.

- ~ In 2014, 58:12 Rescue was formed by Pastor Larry and Kendra Kaufman and a core team of people from Grace Church in Berlin.
- ~ The mission of 58:12 Rescue is to provide Christ-centered hope and healing for vulnerable women and children everywhere.
- ~ The name was taken from Isaiah 58:12 NIV "Your people will rebuild the ancient ruins and will raise up the age-old foundations. You will be called Repairer of Broken Walls, Restorer of Streets with Dwellings."
- ~ They are a 501(c)(3).
- ~ Their local home is located in East Holmes.
- ~ They house women (and their children) for up to a year at no cost to them.
- ~ 98% of their residents are from Holmes and Wayne County.
- ~ 1 in 4 women that come are Amish.
- ~ They have housed over 80 women since they opened.
- ~ The women are primarily domestic violence survivors.
- ~ If there are rooms available they also take other cases, which could be sexual abuse survivors, homeless mothers with children, etc.
- ~ Each case is evaluated and individual support plan is put into place.
- ~ Their licensed social worker meets regularly with each woman (& children) while in their care.
- ~ They have since opened up a 58:12 Thailand and 58:12 Haiti and the three operate as 58:12 Global.
- ~ For more information, you can check out their website: [5812global.org](http://5812global.org). They will always accept donations and items bought off of their Amazon wish list or practical items like laundry soap, feminine products, toilet paper, etc.