

FIGHT FOR YOUR CHILDREN WEEK 4 DISCUSSION GUIDE

OVERVIEW

This week in the series, *Fight For*, we will discover how to **Fight For Your Children**.

DISCUSSION

All it takes for families to grow closer together is intentionality and a roadmap. Being intentional and having an annual family meeting time can define and reaffirm values, share vision and self-discovery, overcome challenges and fears, and set out on a mission to fulfill all God has created you to do both individually and as a family.

Consistent correction is a desire killer. It's hard to kiss the lips that chew you out every day.

 How can we be more aware of what we say and speak life in every situation?

Allies are experts in strengths. Enemies are experts in one another's weaknesses.

- How can we affirm the strengths in our families instead of criticizing their weaknesses?
- Share some things you currently do that help you grow as a family.

You husbands, likewise, live with your wives in an understanding way, as with a weaker vessel, since she is a woman; and grant her honor as a fellow heir of the grace of life, so that your prayers may not be hindered. 1 Peter 3:7

- How can we show honor and understanding in our relationships?
- 1. Be present.
- 2. Be intentional.
- 3. Make yourself available.
- 4. Don't buy into "Happy Happy".
- 5. Perfection is not the goal.
- 6. Develop a bond as a family.
- How has this message influenced the way you think as a guardian?
- What were your biggest takeaways from this message?
- What are you going to do today to be a better caregiver tomorrow?

LIFE CHALLENGE

This week, take some time to evaluate your family dynamic and values. Ask God to give you fresh vision and goals for your family, and write down some action steps to move towards unity and where God wants you to be as a family. *The Family Meeting Guide* by Lee and Laura Domingue can be purchased on Amazon.com to learn more about growing as a family.

PRAYER REQUESTS & CLOSE IN PRAYER