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Macy the Dog



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- ◉ Leads/ is responsible
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The atmosphere of
your school should be
one of encouragement
rather than criticism.

1 Peter 4:8

● Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins.



CAUTION:

**Writing in This Book
Might Be fun!**

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Ecclesiastes 12:12

- Of making many books there is no end, and much study is a weariness of the flesh.



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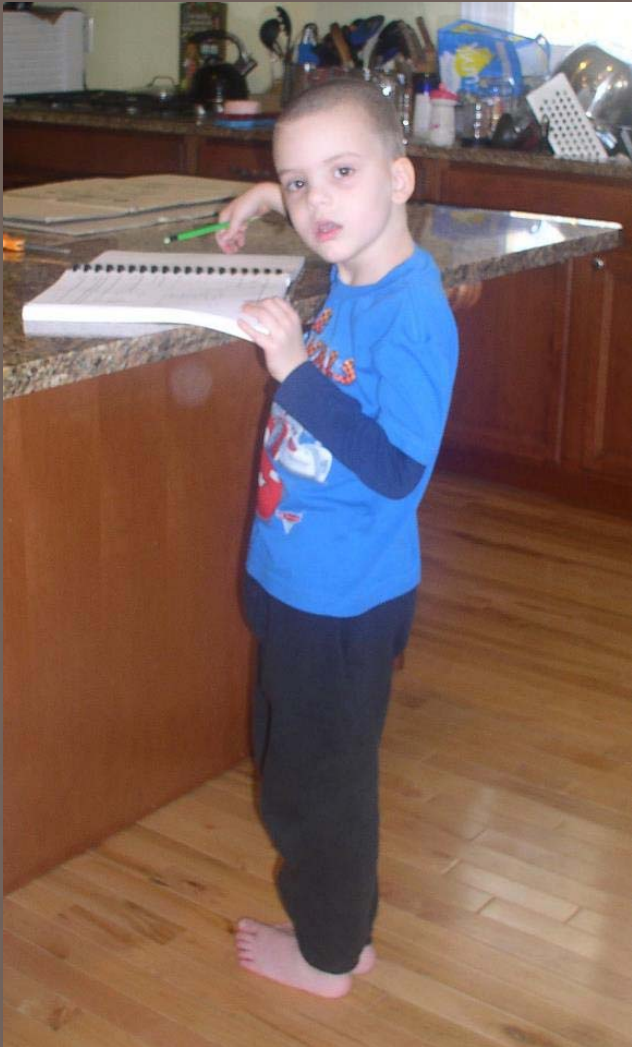
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Joshua 1:9

- Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go.

Doing school actively...



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Nagging women

What the Bible has to say...

- It is better to live in a desert land
than with a quarrelsome and fretful woman.
~Proverbs 21:19
- A continual dripping on a rainy day
and a quarrelsome wife are alike;
to restrain her is to restrain the wind
or to grasp oil in one's right hand.
~Proverbs 27:15-16

Love Your Son

1 Corinthians 13:4, 7

Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant

Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

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Boys serving



Model a good work ethic...

“...Nor did we eat anyone's bread without paying for it, but with toil and labor we worked night and day, that we might not be a burden to any of you. It was not because we do not have that right, but to give you in ourselves an example to imitate.” ~2 Thessalonians 3:8-9

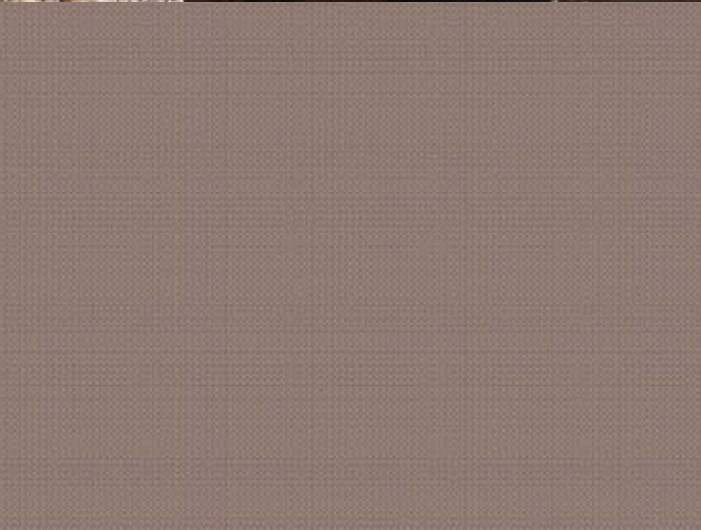
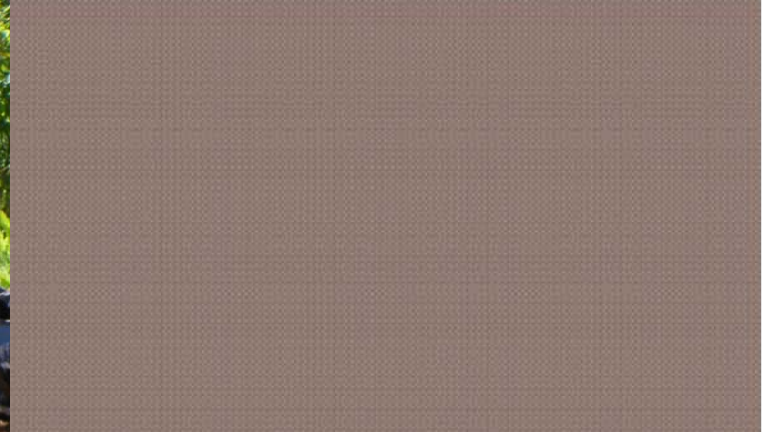
- Have a servant's heart (Phil. 2:5-9)
- Serve joyfully (Deut 28:47)
- Take pleasure in your work (Ecc 5:19)
- Work heartily as if it's for God (Col 3:23)

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- Encourage your boys to excel in something – not necessarily school.

A work ethic

- If you make a mess,
you clean the mess.

- Don't berate them when they don't do things according to your standard. Train cheerfully. Encourage.
- Don't make work into a punishment. Make it a rewarding experience.
- Demonstrate a cheerful work ethic. Do you serve your husband and children cheerfully? Are you a good example?
- If you make a mess, you clean a mess. Discuss what this will look like for each project.



Define “man” by his godliness,
work ethic, teachability,
leadership, and courage –

not by his degree and income.

Book list

- ◉ Anything by Frank Peretti (“Monster,” “The Oath,” “Cooper Kids Adventures,” “Hangman’s Curse,” etc.
- ◉ Little Britches series
- ◉ Wally McDoogie Series
- ◉ Anything by Ted Dekker (“Black,” “Red,” “White,” etc.
- ◉ Sign of the Beaver
- ◉ My Side of the Mountain
- ◉ Farmer Boy (Little House on the Prairie)
- ◉ Light in the Forest
- ◉ Left Behind series (kids/adults)
- ◉ Hardy Boys
- ◉ Lion, Witch, and the Wardrobe series
- ◉ Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, James and the Giant Peach (Roald Dahl)
- ◉ Lord of the Rings series
- ◉ Calvin and Hobbs