



- Intentionally Disciple

- Cultivate Relationships



## **25 Ways to Provoke Your Children to Anger\***

1. Lack of marital harmony
2. Establishing a child-centered home
3. Modeling sinful anger
4. Consistently disciplining in anger
5. Scolding
6. Being inconsistent with discipline
7. Having double standards
8. Being legalistic
9. Not admitting when you are wrong
10. Constantly finding fault
11. Reversing the God-given husband and wife roles
12. Not listening to the Child's opinion or side of the story
13. Comparing them to others
14. Not having time to talk
15. Not praising the child
16. Failing to keep promises
17. Correcting him/her in front of others
18. Giving too much freedom
19. Not giving enough freedom
20. Making fun of the child
21. Abusing them physically
22. Calling them names
23. Having unrealistic expectations
24. Showing favoritism toward one child
25. Using child training methods that are not biblical

\*Taken from "The Heart of Anger" by Lou Priolo



## SHEPHERDING CHILDREN PART 2 [D2 - THE HOME]

### Deuteronomy 6:6-9 — TEACH DILIGENTLY

- 6 *These words, which I am commanding you today, shall be on your heart.*
- 7 *And you shall repeat them diligently to your sons and speak of them when you sit in your house, when you walk on the road, when you lie down, and when you get up.*
- 8 *You shall also tie them as a sign to your hand, and they shall be as frontlets on your forehead.*
- 9 *You shall also write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.*

### Proverbs 1:7 – FEAR THE LORD

- 7 *The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge;  
Fools despise wisdom and instruction.*

### Ephesians 6:4 — PARENTING

- 4 *Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord.*



**SEMESTER 4 - WEEK 3**

## **SHEPHERDING CHILDREN [D2 - THE HOME]**

### **QUESTIONS FOR CONSIDERATION**

1. What truths from God's word are most encouraging to you when you find yourself faint-hearted in parenting?

2. Which of the principles for parenting above do you need to give more attention to? How will you seek to grow in that/those areas?

