

Honor Your Father and Mother

Exodus 20:12; Ephesians 6:1-3

1. The Importance of the Family

Healthy families provide:

- a. Spiritual training
- b. Emotional stability
- c. Relational instruction

2. The Instruction for the Family

Six thoughts on how to honor your father and mother:

- a. Obey
- b. Respect
- c. Appreciate
- d. Forgive
- e. Provide for
- f. Consider

3. The Implication of this Commandment

We are to respect anyone who has rightful authority over us.

4. The Promise of this Commandment Ephesians 6:1-3

- a. Family harmony enriches the quality of life
- b. The principle of honoring parents may affect the quantity of life