



Train During Non-Conflict

Children are the most teachable during times of non-conflict. We need to take advantage of those times for training. The worst time to try to lecture and teach our children is during a conflict. That is probably the time they will listen the least.

Take time to teach your children during the meal times, during play time, on a walk, or just while relaxing or watching TV. That's when it sinks in, and will have the most impact.

Girls for the most part like one on one talk with no distractions, and boys prefer to have a third item in conversation. Playing catch or during play time is the best time for boys.

Deut. 6:7-9

⁶And you must commit yourselves wholeheartedly to these commands I am giving you today. ⁷Repeat them again and again to your children. Talk about them when you are at home and when you are away on a journey, when you are lying down and when you are getting up again. ⁸Tie them to your hands as a reminder, and wear them on your forehead. ⁹Write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.