

BUILDING A HEALTHY HOME

Ten Biblical Principles to help build a healthy home:

- 1) Need a strong foundation!
 - a) God – our Rock, Fortress and place of refuge (Psalms 18:2, 19:14, 71:1-3, 92:15)
 - b) God's word (Mat 7:24-27; Luke 6:46-49)
 - c) Prayer (Phil 4:6-7)
 - d) Church & Truth (I Tim 3:14-15; 2 Tim 2:19)
- 2) Fear of the Lord (Prov 14:26)
- 3) Righteousness in the home (Prov 3:33, 12:7, 20:7)
- 4) Wisdom, knowledge & understanding (Prov 14:1; 24:3-4)
- 5) Listening to advice of others (IF godly and wise) (Prov 12:15, 13:10, 15:22, 24:5-6)
- 6) Hard work & commitment (Proverbs 31, especially verse 27)
- 7) Positive modeling & training (Eph 6:4; Prov 22:6; Duet 6:4-9)
- 8) Placing relationships over money/things (Prov 15:16-17, 17:1)
- 9) Good communication (James 1:19-20; Eph 4:29)
- 10) Biblical grace & love (Luke 10:25-37; I Peter 4:8)

Bonus Principle ☺

- 11) Shared experiences & time together (Duet 6:4-9)