

Sermon Notes – “The Heritage of the Lord”

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Scripture Reading: Psalm 127:1-3

Since near the dawn of the _____ of this world, the battle that has been waged has not been over the territory of the planet, but over _____ of the hearts and minds of its _____. Very early, as he made humanity the subject of his _____ observation, Satan realized through _____ and his descendants, that if the mind is distracted from the _____ and _____ upon self and the things of this world, his goal of keeping the planet in a state of _____ about whose we are would not be that difficult. What could be done to _____ the enemy’s ploy so that the image and memory of God would not be lost, so that the identity of who we are would be _____, _____, and well-_____ in the minds of our _____? Let us humbly and prayerfully open God’s word today.

Cherishing God’s Heritage

1. What was Moses’ _____ to Israel about rearing children in _____? *Dt. 6:1-9*
2. What _____ practice of idolatry later began to the demise of youth? *1Kg 11:4-11*
3. What duty of parenting must we _____ from Job? *Job 1:4&5*
4. What hope do we have of _____ mistakes of the past? *Jer. 31:16&17*
5. What _____ must we encourage in our children and when? *Ecc. 12:1; Lk. 18:16*

Christ, the Majesty of heaven, said, “Suffer the little children to come unto Me, and forbid them not: for of such is the kingdom of God.” Jesus does not send the children to the rabbis; He does not send them to the Pharisees; for He knows that these men would teach them to reject their best Friend. The mothers that brought their children to Jesus did well.... Let mothers now lead their children to Christ. Let ministers of the gospel take the little children in their arms and bless them in the name of Jesus. Let words of tenderest love be spoken to the little ones; for Jesus took the lambs of the flock in His arms and blessed them.

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Will you lead God’s Heritage to receive Him into their hearts today?