



## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS



### **HLDY03-Fatherhood: The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly Week Jun 17-23, 2018**

**Scripture References: Ephesians 6:4; Genesis 18:17-19 NKJV**

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#### **EPHESIANS 6:4 NKJV**

*<sup>4</sup> And you, fathers, do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord.*

#### **GENESIS 18:17-19 NKJV**

*<sup>17</sup> And the Lord said, Shall I hide from Abraham that thing which I do ... <sup>19</sup> For I know him, that he will command his children and his household after him, and they shall keep the way of the Lord, to do justice and judgment; that the Lord may bring upon Abraham that which he hath spoken of him.*

1. Ephesians 6:4 cautions fathers not to provoke their children to wrath and instructs fathers to teach their children to follow the Lord.

Discuss.

What are some of the ways that fathers unknowingly provoke their children to wrath?

2. In the message, "The Good, The Bad, and the Ugly," Pastor MGB notes that fathers have a responsibility to train their children to love God, to live for God, and to obey God.

Discuss.

3. Pastor MGB points out that fathers "cannot allow themselves to be too busy or too important to father their children."

Discuss.

4. Pastor MGB points out that fathers “cannot allow guilt or condemnation to prohibit them from fathering their children.”

Discuss.

## **APPLICATION EXERCISE**

1. How can a father who is not living in the house with his children train them to love God, to live for God, and to obey God?

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"Fatherhood: The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly" Message.

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