

*Moreover if thy brother shall trespass against thee, go and tell him his fault between thee and him alone: if he shall hear thee, thou hast gained thy brother. But if he will not hear thee, then take with thee one or two more, that in the mouth of two or three witnesses every word may be established. And if he shall neglect to hear them, tell it unto the church: but if he neglect to hear the church, let him be unto thee as an heathen man and a publican.* MATTHEW 18:15-17

C. Be \_\_\_\_\_ involved in your children's friendship choices

*My son, hear the instruction of thy father, and forsake not the law of thy mother:* PROVERBS 1:8

*Whoso curseth his father or his mother, his lamp shall be put out in obscure darkness.* PROVERBS 20:20

*And, ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath: but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.* EPHESIANS 6:4

**Conclusion:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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Lesson: **SATAN'S FOURTH STRATEGY—BEFRIEND AND BEWILDER PART 2**

*Two are better than one; because they have a good reward for their labour. For if they fall, the one will lift up his fellow: but woe to him that is alone when he falleth; for he hath not another to help him up. Again, if two lie together, then they have heat: but how can one be warm alone? And if one prevail against him, two shall withstand him; and a threefold cord is not quickly broken.* ECCLESIASTES 4:9-12

**Introduction:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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## 1. GOD'S PLAN FOR RIGHT \_\_\_\_\_

*A man that hath friends must shew himself friendly: and there is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother.* PROVERBS 18:24

A. Teach your family to choose the friendship of \_\_\_\_\_

*Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you. Henceforth I call you not servants; for the servant knoweth not what his lord doeth: but I have called you friends; for all things that I have heard of my Father I have made known unto you.* JOHN 15:13-15



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*But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. ROMANS 5:8*

*There is therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit. ROMANS 8:1*

*Draw nigh to God, and he will draw nigh to you. Cleanse your hands, ye sinners; and purify your hearts, ye double minded. JAMES 4:8*

*His mouth is most sweet: yea, he is altogether lovely. This is my beloved, and this is my friend, O daughters of Jerusalem. SONG OF SOLOMON 5:16*

## B. Teach your family to choose the friendship of \_\_\_\_\_

*For rulers are not a terror to good works, but to the evil. Wilt thou then not be afraid of the power? do that which is good, and thou shalt have praise of the same: For he is the minister of God to thee for good. But if thou do that which is evil, be afraid; for he beareth not the sword in vain: for he is the minister of God, a revenger to execute wrath upon him that doeth evil. ROMANS 13:3-4*

## C. Teach your family to choose the friends of \_\_\_\_\_

*If ye love me, keep my commandments. JOHN 14:15*

*Faithful are the wounds of a friend; but the kisses of an enemy are deceitful. PROVERBS 27:6*

*And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works: HEBREWS 10:24*

*And Jonathan Saul's son arose, and went to David into the wood, and strengthened his hand in God. 1 SAMUEL 23:16*

*I am a companion of all them that fear thee, and of them that keep thy precepts. PSALM 119:63*

*Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful. But his delight is in the law of the Lord; and in his law doth he meditate day and night. And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper. PSALM 1:1-3*

## 2. HOW TO HANDLE WRONG \_\_\_\_\_

*Now I beseech you, brethren, mark them which cause divisions and offences contrary to the doctrine which ye have learned; and avoid them. For they that are such serve not our Lord Jesus Christ, but their own belly; and by good words and fair speeches deceive the hearts of the simple. For your obedience is come abroad unto all men. I am glad therefore on your behalf: but yet I would have you wise unto that which is good, and simple concerning evil. ROMANS 16:17-19*

### A. The wrong \_\_\_\_\_

*Can two walk together, except they be agreed? AMOS 3:3*

*Now we command you, brethren, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye withdraw yourselves from every brother that walketh disorderly, and not after the tradition which he received of us. 2 THESSALONIANS 3:6*

*He that walketh with wise men shall be wise: but a companion of fools shall be destroyed. PROVERBS 13:20*

*Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths. Be not wise in thine own eyes: fear the Lord, and depart from evil. PROVERBS 3:5-7*

*He that walketh with wise men shall be wise: but a companion of fools shall be destroyed. PROVERBS 13:20*

*I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread. PSALM 37:25*

### B. How can I \_\_\_\_\_ my old friends?

*Then Peter and the other apostles answered and said, We ought to obey God rather than men. ACTS 5:29*

*Take heed unto thyself, and unto the doctrine; continue in them: for in doing this thou shalt both save thyself, and them that hear thee. 1 TIMOTHY 4:16*

*Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted. GALATIANS 6:1*