



HEART CONNECTIONS

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LESSON 4: **Raise The Bar**

That our sons may be as plants grown up in their youth; that our daughters may be as corner stones, polished after the similitude of a palace: PSALM 144:12

INTRODUCTION: _____

1. Invest _____

My son, give me thine heart, and let thine eyes observe my ways.
PROVERBS 23:26

2. See their _____

Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us, EPHESIANS 3:20

For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them. EPHESIANS 2:10



Quote: "Some people are murderers of their own gifts. They wait and see their dreams suffer from deficiency of actions. The end result is that the world is robbed as the baggage their dead dreams for the cemetery."—**Israelmore Ayivor**

Now as touching things offered unto idols, we know that we all have knowledge. Knowledge puffeth up, but charity edifieth. 1 CORINTHIANS 8:1

3. _____ over talent

But the Lord said unto Samuel, Look not on his countenance, or on the height of his stature; because I have refused him: for the Lord seeth not as man seeth; for man looketh on the outward appearance, but the Lord looketh on the heart. 1 SAMUEL 16:7

A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and loving favour rather than silver and gold. PROVERBS 22:1

Definition: character "integrity and virtue—the decision to do right even when you don't feel like it"

Quote: "The measure of a man's character is what he would do if he knew he never would be found out."—**Thomas Macaulay, British writer and politician**

Quote: "There are too many people who think that the only thing that's right is to get by, and the only thing that's wrong is to get caught."—**JC Watts**

Quote: "Character is living your life so that when you die they can give your pet parrot to the town gossip."—**Will Rogers**

Quote: "History is made at night because character is what you are in the dark."—**DL Moody**

His own iniquities shall take the wicked himself, and he shall be holden with the cords of his sins. PROVERBS 5:22

Quote: "Men's passions forger their fetters."—**Edmund Burke**

Quote: "I cannot consent to place in control of others one who cannot control himself."—**General Robert E. Lee**

4. _____ equals extra

But I say unto you, That ye resist not evil: but whosoever shall smite thee on thy right cheek, turn to him the other also. And if any man will sue thee at the law, and take away thy coat, let him have thy cloke also. And whosoever shall compel thee to go a mile, go with him twain. Give to him that asketh thee, and from him that would borrow of thee turn not thou away. Ye have heard that it hath been said, Thou shalt love thy neighbour, and hate thine enemy. But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you; MATTHEW 5:39-44

That ye may be the children of your Father which is in heaven: for he maketh his sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust. For if ye love them which love you, what reward have ye? do not even the publicans the same? And if ye salute your brethren only, what do ye more than others? do not even the publicans so? Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect. MATTHEW 5:45-48

CONCLUSION: _____

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