

RESTORATION MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL
Jesus In Your Home video series
The Home

Section 3: Segment 20

Topic 6: Develop Deference First In Your Own Home

- In order to parent the way our Lord calls you to, you need to know the nature of your responsibilities. Discuss with your spouse your understanding of authority in terms of how each of you “commends, corrects, includes and excludes.”

- Are you both on the “same page”? Yes or no? If no, what do each of you need to change?

- Did you give deference to your own parents when you were growing up?

- How did you respond to whatever forms of correction or discipline they administered to you?

- How has the manner in which YOU were commended or corrected by your parents affected your own child-raising?

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- How do you display deference toward others when your children are present? Do you rise when older people enter a room? Describe your interaction with the elderly.

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- How insistent and consistent are you in seeing that your children obey?

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- Do you and your spouse have seams in this area so that your children play you off against each other? Explain.