

Dr. Jim Dempsey's Parenting UnChained Audio Series

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#001 – Parenting UnChained - Introduction to Parenting UnChained

One of Dr. Jim Dempsey's A HA moments is about deceptions. One example of such deceptions is that GOD cares more about rules than he does about relationships. When parents use a behavior modification approach, which is rampant today, children think parents only care about behavior. Since GOD cares more about the heart than outward behavior, parents should follow His lead.

#002 – Parenting UnChained - Introduction to the National Center for Biblical Parenting

Today Dr. Dempsey shares the very best source for parenting resources: The National Center for Biblical Parenting. Learn how Jim came to work with the NCBP, and how their approach opened Jim's eyes.

#003 – Parenting UnChained - Three Tests

Parents must be wise because not all advice is good. Learn to tell the difference between good and bad parenting advice on today's show. Join Dr. Dempsey to discover the three tests that uncover good parenting advice.

#004 – Parenting UnChained - A Simple Twist In a Common Parenting Technique

Many parents use time out as their primary discipline technique. But how you use this technique can spell the difference between punishment and discipline, between success and failure in touching the child's heart.

#005 – Parenting UnChained - Your Motive for Discipline

Isn't it enough simply to get your kids to obey? In today's Parenting Unchained, Jim shares insight on parents' motive for discipline, and why this matters.

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#006 – Parenting UnChained - Poison Praise

Are you poisoning your kids? The self-esteem movement gripped our country starting in the 1980's. Learn about the damage done to children by praising them too much and for the wrong reasons.

#007 – Parenting UnChained - Internal Motivation

Praise is a means of providing external motivation for your kids. But what parents really want is for their kids to develop the internal motivation to do the right thing. Learn more about internal motivation on today's show.

#008 – Parenting UnChained - When Parents Reach The End Of The Rope

Many parents try every trick in their book to motivate their children, but still they resist. When parents are at the end of their rope, they need a plan. Today's show gives them that plan.

#009 – Parenting UnChained - Have You Been Deceived

Satan deceives us by getting our focus on the wrong things as parents. Learn about the most important deception, the one that affects everything you do. Equip yourself with great Bible verses to set you free as parents.

#010 – Parenting UnChained - Interview With Dr. Scott Turansky

Author Scott Turansky joins us today on Parenting Unchained. He shares about his new book, Motivate Your Child—Action Plan. Learn key steps to help move your child from point A (where they are) to point B (where you need them to be.)

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#011 – Parenting UnChained - The God of Personal Freedom

One of the greatest traps in modern life is the belief that personal freedom is the greatest virtue. Learn how we worship personal freedom and how that destroys the work parents do to train their children.

#012 – Parenting UnChained - The Secret Ingredient to Family Life

We want our children to obey, but sometimes that is a short term goal that doesn't change the hearts of our kids. Learn the secret ingredient that changes hearts while changing the whole atmosphere in our homes.

#013 – Parenting UnChained – Applying Honor to Sibling Conflict

We talked about honor as the secret ingredient to family life in our last show. Today we apply honor to the all-too familiar situation in many families: when brothers and sisters fight. If you have more than one child, you know what we mean.

#014 – Parenting UnChained – School Choice

As parents, we must let our children move little by little into the world where they receive guidance from others. Schools, especially public ones, have an agenda that might not be in line with yours. Learn about the risks your kids face today.

#015 – Parenting UnChained – A Christian Response To Bullying

Bullying is a common experience in the public schools, and in life. What should you do as a Christian parent if your child is bullied? Learn the Biblical response to others who treat us unjustly.

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#016 – Parenting UnChained – Must Be Present to Win

How we spend our time with our kids is one of the most important choices we make. Your presence in your child's life is critical, and once they've grown, the door of opportunity closes. Quality Time versus Quantity Time? How about both?

#017 – Parenting UnChained – Help Your Child Love The Bible

Our American culture is becoming less religious and more hostile to the Bible. It's not enough just to have your child memorize Scripture. Help them learn to love it so that they will live by its precepts when they leave home.

#018 – Parenting UnChained – Interview With Lori Wildenberg

I enjoyed interviewing author Lori Wildenberg, who shares her extensive wisdom as a family coach and parenting counselor. One of her statements during the interview is a quote I'll keep; "Home is the training ground, not the battlefield."

#019 – Parenting UnChained – Gay Marriage And The Christian Parent's Response

A Christian Response To Same Sex Marriage - The Supreme Court decision to recognize same sex marriage as a right has moved some Christians to anger, resignation, or confusion. Christian parents need guidelines to help their children respond Biblically to this far-reaching change.

#020 – Parenting UnChained – Handling Anger in the Family

Anger is good for identifying problems but not good for solving them. Learn how to control your own anger while helping your children learn to manage this basic human emotion.

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#021 – Parenting UnChained – Walk the Walk

Modeling is an unavoidable part of parenting. What kind of model will you be? Find out God's 'model' for modeling on this episode of Parenting UnChained.

#022 – Parenting UnChained – Helping Children To Tell The Truth

Children learn how to lie before they learn to walk. Lying is a problem because it affects trust and relationship. But when we respond harshly to their lies, we drive them further toward hiding the truth. Parents need a comprehensive plan to teach honesty.

#023 – Parenting UnChained – The Problem of Porn

#024 – Parenting UnChained – Win The Battle Against Pornography

Our society is falling headlong into the sin of pornography, taking our kids with it. Parents must understand the size of the problem before we can defeat it. Today's show paints with the dark colors of sin to help us know the enemy.

In the early days of WWII, Winston Churchill told his countrymen: "We have before us an ordeal of the most grievous kind...You ask, What is our aim? I answer in one word: Victory..." This is our aim too: Victory over the noxious stench of pornography. Christians have the resources in Scripture, in Christ, and in practical tools. Learn to use them in your home, for yourself and for your children.

#025 – Parenting UnChained – Education, Kids and Love For Life

Life is a gift. Unwrapping it requires the hard work of education. Help your children develop a zest for life and a zest for education will follow. Education is Biblical, and Jesus provided a great model of zest for life.

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#026 – Parenting UnChained – I Think My Family is Broken Interview with Dr. Forrest Watson

The American family is no longer typical. More children come from single and blended families exist today than from intact, original, two-parent families. How are these changes affecting children, parenting, and schools? Dr. Forrest Watson joins us to explore these and other issues.

#027 – Parenting UnChained – Help Your Children Become Peace Makers

Peace is more than just the absence of fighting. Real peace comes when we have internal rest, and when our kids learn to seek the best for others, not just themselves. Learn Biblical, practical, and long-lasting recipes to help kids become peacemakers.

#028 – Parenting UnChained – Interview with Debbie Chavez

Keeping one's marriage strong is one of the greatest gifts a parent can give her children. Hear author and radio personality Debbie Chavez on this episode of Parenting Unchained as she shares from her successes and failures on how to protect your marriage and bless your children.

#029 – Parenting UnChained – Support Your Spouse's Parenting

Parenting is hard, so it's no surprise that moms and dads sometimes disagree. But even so, it's important to validate and support our spouses when they do a good job. Hear my tribute to my spouse as I recall several of her successes as a parent.

#030 – Parenting UnChained – End Your Discipline Times Positively

Parents simply must discipline their children. But don't let negative feelings weaken the relationship you build with them. Learn how to end your discipline times with encouragement, even when you have to administer a consequence.

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#031 – Parenting UnChained – The Deception Than Silences

One of the deceptions that cripples Christian parents is this: You don't need to talk about your faith—your actions will do the job. Actions are important but you also must tell your children what you believe and why. Learn how in this episode.

#032 – Parenting UnChained – Uncovering The Roots of Intelligence, Interview with Roger Stark and Betsy Hill

The Bible says much about being good stewards of what we have, and one of our greatest gifts is our amazing mind. Learn about the profound ramifications of training the brain to function at its best from today's guests, Roger Stark and Betsy Hill, hosts of the radio show The Roots of Intelligence.

#033 – Parenting UnChained - Give Your Child Instructions that Work

Sometimes parents bark out instructions that are unclear and ineffective. When kids don't obey, that starts a cycle of anger and frustration for all. Learn how to give a clear instruction that makes children both more accountable and more likely to obey. Don't miss this opportunity to increase the cooperation in your home.

#035 – Parenting UnChained - Escape The Lie: Interview with Walker Moore

We often hear an inner voice that tell us "You don't matter to God." Those inner voices often begin when a parent tells us hurtful things in anger. Satan tells us that when we disobey, God disowns us. Whatever the source, these voices hinder us from experiencing all that God has for us. Learn more as we interview Walker Moore, author of Escape The Lie.

#036 – Parenting UnChained - Who Made You?

Some Christians feel that science is an attack on our faith. To the contrary, science is a wonderful way to know about God. Learn how to support the existence of God with scientific knowledge on today's show: Who Made You?: Science, Creation, and Faith.

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#037 – Parenting UnChained - Family Devotions That Work: Interview With Kirk Weaver

Most Christian parents know they should do family devotion times, but don't. With the right tools, any family can have a fun and meaningful family devotion time in just 20 minutes a week. Learn how on today's show as we speak with Kirk Weaver, founder of Family Time Training.

#038 – Parenting UnChained - Islam, ISIS, and A Christian Response

Some say that Islam is a peaceful religion hijacked by radical elements. The truth is that ISIS is showing us the true nature of Islam, and we must be clear in understanding its implications. We must teach our children the truth about Islam, ISIS, and our response as Christians. Find out more in this revealing podcast.

#039 – Parenting UnChained - A War On Men?

One political party claims there's a war on women. But the facts say our culture is waging an active and debilitating war on men. Boys are under attack, as is masculinity. How do we fight back and encourage authentic, Biblical manhood? Find out on this week's Parenting Unchained.

#040 – Parenting UnChained - Divorce Care For Kids: Interview with Linda Ranson Jacobs

If you or someone you know is going through divorce, and there are kids involved, DC4K can help. This week we interview Linda Ranson Jacobs, author of this wonderful program to help children process the many changes precipitated by divorce. DC4K stands for Divorce Care 4 Kids, and you'll want to hear from Linda as she shares her heart

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#041 – Parenting UnChained - Rules Over Relationship - Satan's First, Worst Lie

Many people claim God only cares about rules. But the Bible shows clearly that God cares about relationship more than rules. Parents must learn to put relationship over rules with their kids, but Satan wants to keep you from it. Learn the truth about Satan's lie, and how you can teach your kids rules without destroying relationship.

#042 – Parenting UnChained - What Are Your Parenting Goals?

For ancient mariners, a lighthouse provided the direction needed to arrive safely. What is the primary goal you have for your kids? Today's show examines survey data to help us understand the priorities of American parents. Are they Biblical? Are yours?

#043 – Parenting UnChained - Consistency is Over Rated

The world tells parents "always be consistent" yet sometimes we can be so consistent we fall into a rut. While consistency in parenting has its place, it can go too far. The Bible coaches us to use creativity when we parent our unique kids, and God is there to help. Learn when to be consistent and when to be creative on today's show.

#044 – Parenting UnChained - Helping Your Child Process Tragedy

One of Satan's most destructive lies to parents says "Life should be easy for your kids." When parents fall for this, they try to protect children from every disappointment. The truth is that life is hard, but difficulties can produce strong character, if we will work with God rather than against Him. Find out more about helping your kids with this important concept.

#045 – Parenting UnChained - Keeping Our Children SAFE from Predators

Sexual predators choose 'soft target' institutions like youth camps and church ministries. Is someone trying to get close to the kids in your ministry? Learn to recognize the threat and protect the kids around you. We interview expert and founder of Ministry Safe, attorney Dr. Gregory Love.

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#046 – Parenting UnChained - Common Parenting Questions

I always get specific discipline related questions from parents when I conduct a parenting seminar. Here are a few of the most common ones I get, and a sample of the answers I give. Perhaps some will relate to your situation as a parent.

#047 – Parenting UnChained - Teach Your Kids To Value Marriage

Marriage has an image problem. Many in the younger generation consider it outmoded, or too difficult. We need to teach our kids to give it the value that God gives it. He created it. It's good for us, and God knows that. Learn how beneficial it is on this episode of Parenting Unchained.

#048 – Parenting UnChained - Interview With My Big Brother: Major General Robert E. Dempsey (USAF retired)

Join me as my big brother shares about his exciting career as a pilot in the Air Force, which included work with a number of Reagan/Bush Administration officials. All Americans should appreciate our military heroes, whether retired or active duty, one stripe or two stars!

#049 – Parenting UnChained - Is Your Home Gospel Centered?

Is salvation the central goal you have for your kids? It should be, because eternal life with Christ is much more valuable than any earthly attainment. Learn how to make your home gospel focused in this episode of Parenting Unchained.

#050 – Parenting UnChained - How to Raise a 21st Century American Christian interview with Stacy Shore

These are trying times for our country. Christian parents fear for the future of their children in this increasingly hostile culture. Find out how to Raise a 21st Century American Christian as we interview Stacy Shore, a mom, an activist, and a committed Christian.

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#051 – Parenting UnChained - My Personal Testimony of Repentance

God's mercy is sometimes found in the big stick He uses to get our attention, and bring us back to Himself. That's my story, and I'm sharing it this week on Parenting Unchained. Losing an infant son was the toughest time of my life, yet it was exactly what I needed.

#052 – Parenting UnChained - Parenting is A Modeling Job

Parenting is more than just pouring information into your kids. Proper modeling is required--living out your beliefs in front of your kids. Listen to this week's show for the Biblical truth behind modeling, and where to find role models for this most difficult of tasks.

#053 – Parenting UnChained - Importance of Play in Childhood

Parents, do you know how play benefits your child? Sometimes we think child's play is unimportant or wasteful, but it's not. Of course, our kids need a balance between work and play, but we tend to push our kids out of childhood too soon. Learn the benefits of play on today's Parenting Unchained.

#054 – Parenting UnChained - Living with "Hurry Sickness"

Life can move so fast that parents feel incredible stress. That stress complicates the job of good parenting. When we let our busy pace compromise our lives, and the lives of our kids, we often come down with "hurry sickness." Learn how to prevent this debilitating disease and get off the treadmill this week on Parenting Unchained.

#055 – Parenting UnChained - That Blazing Fast Technology Just Might Burn You

Technology in the hands of a mature person can serve us well. But in the hands of the immature, all sorts of abuses take place, and we can become slaves to it. Beware of the risks that cell phones and computers have for your kids, and learn how to prepare and protect them.

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#056 Parenting UnChained - Building Honor into Your Family DNA

When we learn the Biblical concept of honor and put it to work in our routines, amazing things happen. This is one attitude you'll be glad to see in your kids! Learn more about this 'secret ingredient' on this week's episode of Parenting Unchained.

#057 - Parenting UnChained - The Most Important Parenting Seminar Ever

Parents tend to think they can do a good job as a parent without training. Some can, but most of us need help learning the key skills needed to train our unique and complex kids' hearts. That's a big job, and I'm happy to let parents know there is great training available. In fact, it's the most important parenting seminar EVER! Find out more today on Parenting Unchained.

#058 – Parenting UnChained – Why Do You Believe?

Are you able to answer the question “Why do you believe in God?” Can you give a good defense of your faith? Your kids need to know what you believe, and why. Take this challenge seriously, and help your child prepare to answer this for himself on this episode of Parenting Unchained.

#059 – Parenting UnChained – The Character of Jesus Christ

When you study Christ's life, you see many character traits that speak of His humanity, but in surprising ways. Everyone knows Jesus was loving, but did you know He loved a good party, He was broadminded, and He was really smart? He was a man's man, living outdoors most of the time. There's so much in Christ's life to model after, and to point your kids to.

#060 – Parenting UnChained – The Biblical Foundations of Parenting – Part 1

Foundations aren't very exciting to look at, but they're absolutely necessary. Have you given any thought to the foundations you laid for the job of parenting? The Bible provides you with foundational principles for all the important jobs of life. Check out this podcast of Parenting Unchained as we help you understand how to think Biblically and correctly about the job of parenting.

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#061 – Parenting UnChained – The Biblical Foundations of Parenting – Part 2

Ever bought a house with a failing foundation? Problems abound, and they're hard to fix. The same is true when we try to parent without a strong Biblical foundation. Hear Part Two of The Biblical Foundation of Parenting so that you can build a trustworthy foundation for the important job of parenting.

#062 – Parenting UnChained – Guest Attorney David Gibbs III

Life and liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. These basic rights spawned the birth of our nation, but are attacked by today's culture. How do Christians respond? Learn about a critical resource through today's interview with Supreme Court Certified Attorney David C. Gibbs III of the National Center for Life and Liberty.

#063 – Parenting UnChained – Re-Visiting Parenting UnChained

The name of our show comes from the title of my book, Parenting Unchained. The book began as a tribute to my parenting successes, but God turned it into an admission of my parenting failures. Now you can learn from my mistakes, and avoid the ten deceptions that shackle Christian parents. Learn about my journey and God's perfect model for parenting.

#064 – Parenting UnChained – Activities for Building Relationships with Your Kids

We say we value relationships with our kids more than the rules we teach. But how do we build strong relationships? Here are five categories of activities that build and maintain strong relationships with your kids. This week's Bonus Time shares how relationship is the key to preventing Same Sex Attraction from developing in male children.

#065 – Parenting UnChained – Motivation Homework and Praise

How do parents get involved with their children's education when it comes to their homework? Can you do too much for them? If we're not careful, parents can actually do harm when they help their kids with their homework. Learn how to be involved the right way, helping and not hurting, on this week's Parenting Unchained broadcast.

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#066 – Parenting UnChained – Valuing the LIFE of the Unborn Child

Abortion is a divisive issue, but the Bible and science are making it increasingly difficult to remain on the sideline in this epic culture battle. What can we do to train our own kids to value the life of the unborn child? How can we argue convincingly, yet with gracious words toward those who disagree? Learn how in today's show.

#067 – Parenting UnChained – Biblical Discipline

The Bible has much to say about discipline, both our need to receive it as adults and our need to give it as parents. Since God is a loving father, and He has to discipline us, He knows a thing or two about it. Today's show gives a number of principles to help us understand and administer discipline God's way.

#068 – Parenting UnChained – Parenting Teenagers is About the Mission

Raising teen-agers has unique challenges, but unique blessings, too. Learn the right way to define adulthood for your teen-ager. By doing so you give him or her the right target to aim for as they move toward independence.

#069 – Parenting UnChained – The God Given Roll of Grandparents

Grandparents are sometimes confused about their role in their grandkids' life. But the Bible has quite a bit to say. Learn 7 Biblical principles and 7 implications that will guide us toward The God-Given Role of Grandparents.

#070 – Parenting UnChained – Politics and The Bible

The Bible doesn't tell us which party to vote for, but it has much to say about human leadership and ethics. These principles teach us about politics, and we need to share them with our kids. Learn more today on Parenting Unchained.

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#071 – Parenting UnChained – A Bible Hero but a BAD Father

A good Christian can fail tragically as a parent. That's the warning we should receive from the life of King David, a true Bible hero, but a bad father. Learn exactly what mistakes he made, and how you can avoid them as a parent in this episode of Parenting Unchained.

#072 – Parenting UnChained – Fostering and Adopting = Pure Religion

We all have a responsibility for orphans in this world. In this interview, I speak with pastor and friend Clint Neighbors, a father of a natural born son, an adopted daughter, and a foster-to-adopt daughter. Hear his inspiring story, and learn how you and your church can support the foster-to-adopt movement.

#073 – Parenting UnChained – Preparing Servant Leaders

Parents often fall for the lie that we should make life easy for our kids. Actually, our duty is to prepare our kids to become servant leaders, and that's not an easy life. We must prepare our kids for the big mission of loving and serving others. This is a mission like no other, and every follower of Christ is called to it.

#074 – Parenting UnChained – Your Tool Box of Consequences

Parents need many different consequences to choose from when they discipline their kids. Consequences are like the tools in a master mechanic's toolbox. In today's show we present the seven categories of consequences, and guidelines for using each one. As any mechanic knows, tough jobs are easier when you have the right tools.

#075 - Parenting UnChained - The Softest and Hardest Verse in Scriptures

Proverbs 22:6 can send us on a guilt trip or give us a false sense of security—"Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it." Is it a guarantee? If it is, then when a child becomes a prodigal, parents experience tremendous guilt. Find out if this guilt is warranted, and more importantly, what it means to train a child Biblically.

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#076 – Parenting UnChained - Parenting In a Second Family

1 in 3 Americans is part of a step family. A step family can be a wonderful redemption story, but it has unique and serious challenges. Learn how to prepare for and negotiate the sometimes treacherous waters of a second family in today's episode of Parenting Unchained

#077 – Parenting UnChained - Importance of Fathers

Fathers have gone missing in too many families. Today's show explains both the negative consequences to children and society when fathers are absent, along with the positive consequences when fathers are present. Fathers are important, because God has given them a key role in the world and in the family.

#078 – Parenting UnChained – The 5 Habits of Honor Based Parents - Is Your Parenting Honor Based

Honor based parents 'boost' their children rather than repress or coddle them. Learn their five habits (and more) on today's episode of Parenting Unchained.

#079 – Parenting UnChained – Trick or Treat

Today's show introduces one great parenting style, after sharing two corrupted and dangerous ones. They're like trick (two bad styles) or treat (the one good style.) So stay away from these two scary parenting styles, but gobble up all you want of the great parenting style I describe. Check out this Trick or Treat episode of Parenting Unchained.

#080 – Parenting UnChained – Develop an Effective Instruction Routine

Parents must give kids lots of instructions. It's a normal part of parenting. Learn to do it with confidence and control, setting aside anger or ineffective language. Learn the 5 step routine we teach at the National Center for Biblical Parenting. It works!

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#081 – Parenting UnChained – Hard Questions That Kids and Adults Ask About God – Why do good people suffer

Atheists love to ask the 'hard questions' about God, like "How could God send anyone to hell?" But it's not just atheists who have these questions. Your children will too. So, don't be afraid of hard questions, embrace them, and prepare for them. That's what we do in today's episode of Parenting Unchained.

#082 – Parenting UnChained – 10 Suggestions for Parents When Kids Resist Church

Christian parents who go to church want their kids to learn to love the church too. Learn why and how to help your kids love church, plus some responses that will help you when your kids resist going to church. All on today's episode of Parenting Unchained radio.

#083 – Parenting UnChained – Why and What You Must Teach Your Kids About Your Faith

Now is the time to share your faith. Satan's lie says "You don't need to talk about your faith. Just let your kids see it." But kids need to hear the truth while they see you live it out. Fathers, especially, are targeted by Satan for this lie, and it's hurting our families. We need men who will speak up about their faith. Hear more on today's broadcast.

#084 – Parenting UnChained – Help Your Child Learn and Love God's Word

The Bible is our single reliable source for understanding who Jesus is and why He came to earth. It's critical for us as Christian parents to help our children love the Bible. We want them to learn it so our children will grow up strong in faith, and obedient to God's good and protective rules. Learn how to help this important process in today's show.

#085 – Parenting UnChained – Your Relationship with GOD

The foundation of your parenting as a Christian is your own personal relationship with God through Jesus Christ. You can't share what you don't have, so be sure you are on the right path so you can lead your child correctly. Get your foundation set on today's show.

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#086 – Parenting UnChained – Levels of Thinking and the Conscience

Kids thinking is undergoing normal changes as they mature. Parents need to be aware of these changes to help kids move toward mature thinking. Parents also need to be aware of the role of the conscience in helping children think correctly and make good decisions. Learn about levels of thinking and the conscience today on Parenting Unchained.

#087 – Parenting UnChained – 5 Faulty Thinking Patterns

If we're not careful, we can let our kids fall into wrong thinking patterns. Today's show deals with five particularly harmful wrong thinking patterns, and how parents can help their children think both correctly and righteously.

#088 – Parenting UnChained – Who is Jesus ?

"Who Is Jesus?" is the title of today's show, and it's the most important question you can ask or answer. You need to have a firm, clear, and convincing conviction about Jesus, and you need to be able to share that conviction with your kids. Learn what and how to share on today's Parenting Unchained.

#089 – Parenting UnChained – Cultivating Responsibility

A responsible child is a gift to the world. Find out how to cultivate responsibility in several key areas of life as your parent your child. Your child, and the world, will thank you for it!

#090 – Parenting UnChained – Prodigals and Proverbs; a message to hurting parents and grandparents

Proverbs 22:6 is a well known Bible verse, but it's not well understood. Is it a promise, or simply a probability? What does it mean to 'train up a child in the way he should go?' Find out on today's episode of Parenting UnChained.

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#091 – Parenting UnChained – Quality Time Verse Quantity Time: Call It Draw

Some researchers in child development tell us that quality is all that matters in terms of spending time with our kids. That's a lie. Quantity matters. And quality does too. It's not an either/or proposition. I cut through the politically correct research for today's show, and remind you of the Bible's perspective as well.

#092 – Parenting UnChained - Using Natural and Creative Consequences To Teach Your Kids

Sometimes parents run out of ideas for consequences that will help children change their behavior. Check out these fresh ideas that use natural and logical consequences to get your child's attention.

#093 – Parenting UnChained – Discipline Like Jesus

Wouldn't you like to know how Jesus would discipline a child? We can't see Jesus in the exact role of parent, but we can find principles from His interaction with the disciples. Check them out here on today's show of Parenting Unchained.

#094 – Parenting UnChained – What Easter Tells Us About Ourselves

Easter celebrates the greatest event in history. It tells us so much about ourselves and our God. Help your children understand the big picture of God's plan and His revelation of Himself through the Bible.

#095 – Parenting UnChained – Language Is Evidence For God

I studied children's acquisition of language in my doctoral studies. What a gift God has given mankind? We speak and understand language because God put this extraordinary capacity in us, as part of the image of God given to all humans. Learn more about this great and awesome gift in today's show.

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#096 – Parenting UnChained – Biblical Response to Immigration

Immigration is a sticky subject and we need to understand it from a Biblical perspective. Hear what the Bible has to say about loving the 'stranger' among us while being wise and protective of our national uniqueness.

#097 – Parenting UnChained – Generating Generosity

We all want our kids to become generous, but how do we encourage this wonderful character trait? They don't start out that way. In fact, kids are notoriously egotistical. Find out how to move them toward a generous heart in today's episode.

#098 – Parenting UnChained – Parenting Like Christ Involves Teaching

Jesus was a master teacher, in addition to being the Savior of the World. He provides a number of model strategies as we learn to see His interactions as a teacher with His 12 disciples. We examine several of those strategies in this episode of Parenting Unchained.

#099 – Parenting UnChained – The 5 Deceptions That Fathers Fall For

Fathers have a unique role and unique strengths to share in the parenting partnership. Sometimes however, those strengths are what leads us to certain mistakes. Find out in this episode how fathers are deceived by Satan in ways that damage their important contribution to raising Godly kids.

#100 – Parenting UnChained – The 5 Deceptions That Shackle Christian Moms

Moms are God's gifts to children, and Satan knows this. That's why he uses deceptions to get moms off track in the job of parenting. Today's show discusses five particular lies Satan uses to shackle Christian moms.

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#101 – Parenting UnChained – Common Questions About Parenting Young Kids

I love it when parents send me their parenting questions to answer before I come to do my seminars. I love having time to prepare. Here are some classic questions and the answers I gave.