

GOD LEFT OUT OF THE FAMILY LIFE - WRECKING THE HOME

All too often a home which begins happily does not continue so. The book of Proverbs mentions four things which may rob the home of its happiness, and even break up the home itself. Read the following to learn about these four things:

A. Disobedient Children:

1. What are some of the things children may do to rob the home of happiness?
 - a. Proverbs 15:5, 20 _____
 - b. Proverbs 30:17a, 20:20a, 28:24a _____
 - c. Proverbs 19:26a _____
 - d. Proverbs 28:7b _____
 - e. Proverbs 29:3b _____
2. What will be the result to the parents of such children?
 - a. Proverbs 10:1b _____
 - b. Proverbs 17:21 _____
 - c. Proverbs 17:25 _____
 - d. Proverbs 19:13a _____
 - e. Proverbs 19:26 _____
 - f. Proverbs 29:3b _____
3. What will be the result to such children themselves? Proverbs 30:17, 20:20
 - a. _____
 - b. _____

B. Slothfulness:

1. Look up the meaning of the word “*slothful*” in a dictionary, and write it out:

2. What is the name given to a person who is slothful? Proverbs 6:6, 10:26, 26:16

3. What are some of the characteristics of the slothful person?
 - a. Proverbs 6:10, 24:33, 19:15a, 10:5b, 26:14 _____
 - b. Proverbs 19:24, 26:15 _____
 - c. Proverbs 10:4, 21:25 _____
 - d. Proverbs 12:27a _____
 - e. Proverbs 20:4a _____
4. What are some of the results of being slothful?
 - a. Proverbs 10:4, 20:13, 24:34, 6:11 _____
 - b. Proverbs 20:4, 13:4a, 19:15b _____
 - c. Proverbs 10:5b _____
 - d. Proverbs 12:24b _____

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5. From what could the slothful person take a lesson? Proverbs 6:6
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C. Strong Drink:

1. What kind of person will fall into this evil habit? Proverbs 20:1
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2. What are some of the results of this sin?

- a. Proverbs 23:21, 21:17 _____
b. Proverbs 23:29- 30 _____
c. Proverbs 23:31-33 _____

D. Lust and Sensuality:

1. What kind of person will fall into this sin?

- a. Proverbs 7:7, 9:16, 6:32a _____
b. Proverbs 9:13, 7:11 _____

2. What are some of the results of this sin?

- a. Proverbs 6:26a _____
b. Proverbs 5:11 _____
c. Proverbs 6:32b, 33, 7:26-27 _____

QUESTIONS FOR ME TO THINK ABOUT:

1. Am I guilty of anything which could rob my home of happiness or break it up?
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2. If so, what can I do about it? See Proverbs 28:13.
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