



1. Honor your child's personality;
2. Remind yourself your child/ren are ultimately God's children - we are entrusted with His precious gifts;
3. Embrace their questions;
4. Be consistent in expectations of their behavior, as well as consistent in consequences;
5. Allow for flexibility - in your schedule, routines, or plans;
6. Do less scolding, and more molding of desired behaviors;
7. Build your child/ren up. Every day is a new, blank slate;
8. Remember children are sponges - watch what you say, how you say it, and your actions;
9. Don't forget the other half of the parenting team - if you are married, nurture that vocation!
10. Remember to cut yourself some slack - none of us have all the answers!