

Parenting Tools:

Wise Friendships



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Bless your child that they will choose wise friends who will faithfully challenge them in their relationship with God.

“Whoever walks with the wise becomes wise, but the companion of fools will suffer harm.” Proverbs 13:20

“Better is open rebuke than hidden love. Faithful are the wounds of a friend; profuse are the kisses of an enemy. One who is full loathes honey, but to the one who is hungry everything bitter is sweet. Like a bird that strays from its nest is a man who strays from his home. Oil and perfume make the heart glad and the sweetness of friend comes from his earnest counsel. Do not forsake your friends and your father’s friend, and do not go to your brother’s house in the day of your calamity. Better is a neighbor who is near than a brother who is far way.” Proverbs 27:5-10

1. In what ways does my child already develop wise friendships?

2. In what ways do I hope my child will develop wise friendships?

3. What challenge will my child likely be facing this year in regards developing wise friendships?

4. How will I commit to helping my child face this challenge?

5. When will be the best time to give my child this blessing?

6. Is there a “meaningful marker” that you can give to your child to make the blessing memorable?
