Intro: The Scriptures are slim in the area of giving us a blueprint on how to raise kids. Yes, we have the word of God. Yes, we teach them the do's and don'ts in instructing them on the word of God. But it does not say that they must be in at a certain time or is whether or not to take that last shot, there are some decisions God has left to the parents of that child, and where the Bible has given us some nuggets on how we can raise our kids - TAKE IT!!! Moses’ parents are listed among these great people of faith. Through their faith they recognized that God’s hand was on Moses and that he was an unusual child (see Exodus 2; 12; 14). Moses’ parents disobeyed the king by faith, not being afraid of what the king might do to them if he discovered that they had been hiding their child for three months. Pharaoh had commanded that all male children born to the Hebrew slaves were to be killed. God used these parents’ courageous act to place their son, the Hebrew of his choice, in the house of Pharaoh.

I. She will Protect her children - "when he was born, was hidden for three months by his parents".

a. Mothers protect them from the world (king)

• The one thing that we do as parents is to protect them, as best we can, from the hurtful world outside our doors. It really makes you wonder what the Lord saw on that mountain in Lk. 4:5. What all the Lord saw is still can be seen today. Protect you kids from the world.

° 5 And the devil took him up and showed him all the kingdoms of the world in a moment of time, 6 and said to him, “To you I will give all this authority and their glory, for it has been delivered to me, and I give it to whom I will. Luke 4:5, 6

b. Mothers protect them from themselves

• In Lk. 13:34 the idea is the Christ would have protected Jerusalem from themselves if they would just have asked and turned to him. Just as a hen protects her chicks, Christ would have protected Jerusalem. There is nothing wrong with parents taken their kids under their wings, in fact it is biblical.

° 34 O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often would I have gathered your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you would not! Luke 13:34

c. Mothers protect them from Satan

• As parents we should always have “and lead them not into temptation but deliver them from evil” in our prayer life (Mt. 6:13). Job had a protection around his kids, a force field of faith, you may call it. Never underestimate the power of your prayers protects your children. Never, think for a moment your prayers don’t matter. Ask Pastor Mike how his grandma prayer changed his life.

° 10 Have you not put a hedge around him and his house and all that he has, on every side? You have blessed the work of his hands, and his possessions have increased in the land. Job 1:10

II. She See what their children can become – It is not that my child is better than yours. All parents think that their child is special, and they should.

a. Moses’ mother saw God’s special gifts in him

• This has to do with the spiritual world. Faith parents can see things that others may not: like have some of the spiritual gifts early in life (love, joy, peace, patience, gentleness, kindness, etc.) They knew that he may have some difficulties, but God will use him and his spiritual gifts for His service.

° 14 But when Jesus saw it, he was indignant and said to them, “Let the children come to me; do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God. 15 Truly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it.” 16 And he took them in his arms and blessed them, laying his hands on them. Mark 10:14-16

b. Moses’ mother knew he was going to do better than her - (he was bound to do great things)

• We want our children to do better than what we did, especially when it comes to serving God. We want our children to succeed where we didn’t, we want them to do better than what we did, we them to have greater success in their goals than we did. We just want better for our kids in every way possible. Especially when it comes to serving God.

° 18 Where there is no prophetic vision the people cast off restraint, but blessed is he who keeps the law. Proverbs 29:18

c. While she saw positives, work through the negatives, for a better life for the children

• They knew that God had great things for their son Moses. So, do you think that they were happy when he killed someone, no. Do you think that they were happy when he left for the desert, no. Do you think they were happy when he disobeyed God when he struck the rock instead of speaking to it, no. But they instilled in him the promises of God, they support their son through all his life, good and bad. You see parents are bound by love to their children and not by duty.

° 3 Though an army encamp against me, my heart shall not fear; though war arise against me, yet I will be confident (*positive*). Psalms 27:3

III. She Stood on Certainty and not doubt

• It is the irony of all ironies that last plague was the death of the first-born males, see that the last Pharaoh had the killing of the all the male born to the Hebrews. Pharaoh may have thought he had the power of life and death, but God showed that He has that power, and the Hebrews didn’t lift a figure to do it.

a. Mom’s need to teach their kids on how to believe in Christ promises

• The best way for us as parents, to teach our children how to stand on the promises of God is by example. We should train up a child in the way his should go by showing and teaching the wonderful promise of God and living by the fruit of the Spirit.

° 6 Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old he will not depart from it. Proverbs 22:6

° 22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, 23 gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. Galatians 5:22, 23

b. Mom’s need to teach their children to stand on the Love Christ

• Our understanding of God’s love is tainted by the fact that he loves us unconditionally. Therefore, not matter what I do or say God will never stop loving me. But we do not teach the whole doctrine, we stop at how God loves us. In fact, God may love us deeply some would say unconditionally, but how much do you love Him? He loves us so much that He gave us the ultimate sacrifice for payment of our sins, and we will not obey, listen, or even accept Him as our Savior and Lord. So, the question from me to you is “how much do you love the Lord?

° 15 “If you love me, you will keep my commandments. John 14:15

c. Mom’s should teach their children to stand on their faith

• Parents if you do not teach your children to stand on their believes then the world will teach them to stand on theirs. Just ask the public-school teachers if they are teaching children LGBTQ+ doctrine or Christian doctrine. The fact is this you don’t teach them Christ to help counter this sinful garbage that is coming from our society then they will teach them to despise God, family, and Judao Christian values.

° 24 Not that we lord it over your faith, but we work with you for your joy, for you stand firm in your faith. 2 Corinthians 1:24

° 13 Be watchful, stand firm in the faith, act like men, be strong. 1 Corinthians 16:13

IV. Moms must trust God when her children are no longer her - Ge. 2:10. She no doubt trained him while he was at home. He knew He was a Hebrew. He knew who God was and why He was allowed to live in the Egyptian house. We must train our kids in the ways of the Lord, knowing we have to send them off every day to an anti-God, anti-Christ school, work, world, praying that our training will keep them grounded.

a. She will trust God even when she is kept are in the dark

• When do you think that you children see that you trusted God the most? I can tell you; it is not when everything is all sunshine and lollypops. It is when the bills are high and the money is low they see you faith, it is when you have lost you wife or husband of 50 years they see you faith, it is when your chips a down and life has taken the turn for the worse, and then you turn to the Lord they see your faith.

° 15 Though he slay me, I will hope (*trust*) in him; yet I will argue my ways to his face. Job 13:15

b. She must trust God to continue watching over our children

• I want us to notice something in Luke that us rarely bought out. We have taught for years that you have to humble yourself as a little child to enter the kingdom of Christ. But it was the parents that brought those children to Christ. Why? For Salvation, and to watch over them will they are growing up.

° 15 Now they were bringing even infants to him that he might touch them. And when the disciples saw it, they rebuked them. 16 But Jesus called them to him, saying, “Let the children come to me, and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God. 17 Truly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it.” Luke 18:15-17

c. She must trust her kids to put their faith in Christ

• It is from childhood that we teach our children the word of God, to “make them wise for salvation through faith in Jesus Christ. Our trust is that we teach them enough word that they will make the right decision when Christ comes knocking of their heart’s door.

° 14 But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it 15 and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. 2 Timothy 3:14, 15