

## **Growing Kid's God's Way – This Week at Home**

*There is a direct relationship between doing the homework and success in applying the principles. You will need more than just a casual understanding of what you are about to learn. You may be asked to share some of your insights and discussions of the following questions.*

### **Chapter 4 - The Father's Mandate**

- 1) a) Read Chapter 3 in your workbook  
b) Answer Questions for Review in your workbook  
c) Read Appendix 2 “Let Them Play” in your workbook
2. Continue having couch time 4-5 times a week.
4. Sit down together and list the eight non-negotiable duties covered in this lesson. Select three duties to specifically work on. Report back next class on what you worked on and how your children responded. This exercise may be completed during one of your couch times.
5. Supplementary Reading for BLENDED Families: Read Chapter 4 “Stepparents’ Mandate” from Blending Families By the Book.

### **Questions for Review - Chapter 4 - The Father's Mandate**

1. Is trust a human emotion? Explain.
2. What is a legitimate benchmark of a father's relationship with his children? Explain your answer.
3. What is family identity and upon what is it based?
4. Why is it critical that you respect your child's private world?
5. What do the authors mean by the following: “Measure your response against the excitement on their faces”?
6. What happens to boys and girls when fathers fail to communicate love through touch?