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 5 - Your Child's Conscience

- 1. a) Read Chapter 5 in your workbook
 - b) Answer questions in your workbook
- 2. Continue having couch time 4-5 times a week.
- 3. Review the prohibitive conscience test with your spouse or friend, if you are single. Honestly share how you can help each other grow towards a healthy conscience.
- 4. Be prepared to share with the class some examples of negative and positive training that took place at home.
- 5. Take inventory of your own moral warehouse and stock the shelves that are empty so that you can then stock the shelves of your children's moral warehouse, as well. Ask God to place His wisdom in your heart while you study the book of Proverbs on a regular basis to help you stock those shelves or your own heart as well as those of your children.
- 6. Supplementary Reading for BLENDED Families: Read Chapter 5 "The Other Household" of Blending Families by the Book.

Questions for Review - Chapter 5 - Your Child's Conscience

- 1. The lower conscience provides the sense of right and wrong and the higher conscience provides the standards. Explain the difference.
- 2. Explain the relationship between the moral warehouse and the search mechanism of the conscience.
- 3. Explain the importance of the transition process in moral training.
- 4. Is a prohibitive conscience a guilty conscience? Explain your answer.
- 5. What must happen before you have a morally responsible child?
- 6. List three negative parenting practices that lead to a prohibitive conscience.
- 7. Summarize three responses that will help someone with a prohibitive conscience