

# ★ The Christian Home

Lesson 10

Love, Submit, & Obey

## The Teacher's Preparation

**Scripture Passages to Study:** Ephesians 5-6:20

**Study Guide:** Read "The Christian Home: *Love, Submit, & Obey*" from *New Testament Highlights - Part 1*.

**Lesson Objective:** A Christian home begins with, ends with, and is centered upon the Lord Jesus Christ. In addition to Jesus and His Word, every Christian home needs three key ingredients to be successful: love, submission, and obedience.

**Lesson Application:** Like musicians in an orchestra obeying the conductor, the children in a home must obey their parents.

**Memory Verse:** I Corinthians 3:11



"THY WORD HAVE I HID IN MINE HEART..."

*For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ.*

—I Corinthians 3:11

## The Teacher's Checklist

- Activity Worksheets and Pencils
- Attendance and Record Notebook
- Lesson Plan
- Cue Card
- Memory Verse Card
- Music Player
- Visual Illustrations for the Lesson
- Attention Getter: Heaven on Earth

### Teacher Tips

Good teaching is about listening, questioning, being responsive, and remembering that each student and class is different.

# The Teacher's Lesson Plan

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## Materials:

Cookbook or a Recipe

## What You Could Say:

Charles Spurgeon, a famous preacher from long ago, once said, “When home is ruled according to God’s Word, angels might be asked to stay with us; and they would not find themselves out of their element.” Some of the words in the sentence—ruled and element and a few others—may be difficult to understand; but the point is very clear. Our homes should be “heaven on earth.” Of course, nothing is perfect in this world because of sin; but that does not mean that you and I cannot work to make our homes as wonderful as they could be.

Today, I brought a cookbook with me. The great thing about these books is that we can read exactly how to bake our favorite pie or make our most mouthwatering Spanish dish. [Show the students one recipe from the book and list the different ingredients.] In order for this dish to taste good, we need to use these exact ingredients and follow the directions.

In your home, you need to put in the right ingredients, and you need to follow God’s directions for a happy home. In today’s lesson, I will tell you what those ingredients and directions are.

## Teacher's Notes

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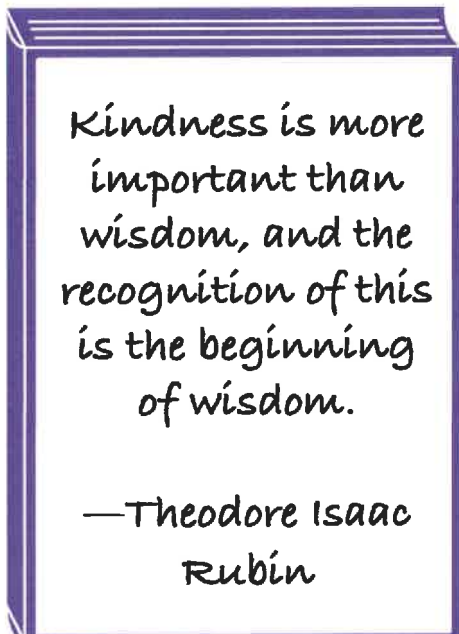
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Kindness is more important than wisdom, and the recognition of this is the beginning of wisdom.

—Theodore Isaac Rubin