

CONNECT Group study questions for April 7, 2019

Title: “Training in the Way to Go”

1. What has been the most difficult part of trying to disciple your children in both faith and obedience? Or, if you don't have children, what do you think *would be* the most difficult part of discipling children?

2. All of the Scriptures on the handout for Sunday presented God's relationship to Israel as a model for how God relates to all people. Being a “godly” parent means being to our children (or anyone we are discipling) as God has been to us. In other words, we should parent our children as God parented us. When we can't see clearly how God has been to us, we should look to Israel as our example.

- What does the fatherhood of God teach his people (us) about being a parent?
- What does Israel's story teach us about being children?

3. What are some practical ways we can teach our children (or any of the people we are discipling) the grace of God, *especially* when we are dealing with bad behavior? How is Jesus an example of this grace of God to all people?