

# Show Me, Lord

WHERE MY FAITH & FEET DON'T AGREE

*In My Family Life*

## Pre-Adult (YOUTH) Edition

I hope this message spoke to you today. Anytime we jump into the Word of God, the Holy Spirit has something for us to hear. So, what is the Lord saying to YOU?

When Paul wrote, "***Children***" in Ephesians 6:1, who was he talking to?

Verse 1 goes on to say, "...***Obey your parents.***"

The Greek word translated here as ***obey***, in the Greek literally means "***to hear under***." Pre adults were to choose to listen and put themselves under the authority of their parents, to obey.

So, brothers and sisters in Christ, how's that going?

**On a scale from 1-10 rate yourself, specifically your actions, when it comes to being obedient to your parents:**

1 (lowest) ----- 5 ----- 10 (highest)

If you fall short of a ten, what's holding you back?

"...***Obey your parents in the Lord,***" means to choose obedience, because of your commitment to Jesus Christ as your Lord. Verse 1 goes on to say, "***for this is right,***" in His sight.

Does knowing that Jesus places your obedience to your parents as a part of your commitment to Him make any difference? Why or Why not?

If verse 1 speaks to our actions (obedience to our parents), what does verse 2 speak to?

Do you honor your mom and dad (or the person looking over you) with your **attitude**?

Paul adds here (verses 2 & 3) that to honor our parents is a commandment (not a suggestion) that comes with a promise. What is that promise?

Write below where you might need to make a fresh commitment in your relationship with your mom and/or dad.

**Be specific:**

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Knowing that this is a commandment given to you by the One you call Savior and Lord, turn the list you just made above into a written prayer of commitment to God.

*Thank you, Lord, for hearing our prayers, and empowering us to live for You in our home life!*