

Finding the Faith to Homeschool Through High School

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“Helping parents homeschool through high school”

“Sometimes the only thing separating success from failure is faith and a friend”

Scriptural assurance that you CAN homeschool through high school

Our Reasons for Confidence

1. God’s loving kindness: Psalm 36:7

“How precious is thy loving kindness, O God! And the children of men take refuge under the shadow of thy wings.”

Notes: _____

2. Your Child is Given to You: Psalm 139:13-16

Your child was made for your family, you can’t thwart his plan, He knows what He is doing.

Notes: _____

3. You are Capable: Philippians 4:13

“I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.” It does NOT say “except this”

Notes: _____

4. One Step at a Time: John 2:1-11. Jesus turned water into wine, commanding steps, not results

Notes: _____

5. Love Covers Any Missteps: 1 Peter 4:8

“Above all, love each other deeply, because love covers over a multitude of sins.”

Notes: _____

Scriptural encouragement for every situation – Part 1

- Reluctant Parents: Exodus 4:10-13. Moses said, “Please don’t make me!”

Notes: _____

- The Great Pause: Proverbs 22:6. Pause between training up, and when they are old.

Notes: _____

- The Parenting Cycle: Romans 3:23; Proverbs 22:6; Proverbs 31:28. Sad, promise, blessed.

Notes: _____

- Children Don't Listen: Luke 18:31-34. Neither did the disciples, and Jesus understands.
Notes: _____

- Surviving Storms: Acts 27:25. God's promises are true even in storms or disasters.
Notes: _____

- Negative Feedback: Romans 3:23; Jeremiah 31:3; Psalm 46:10. All have sinned.
Notes: _____

- Morning Meeting: Psalm 143:8. Have a morning meeting with God (quiet time) and children.
Notes: _____

- The Present Evil Age: Galatians 1:3-4. Every age feels like the present evil age.
Notes: _____

- Anxiety: Philippians 4:6a. Wrong interpretation: be anxious. Correct interpretation: pray.
Notes: _____

- Lather, Rinse, Repeat: Matthew 11:28-30. We get upset, rinse our sin, and get back to work.
Notes: _____

- Do Not Be Afraid: John 6:16-21. Jesus walking on the water reminds us of His presence.
Notes: _____

- Everyone Stumbles: Isaiah 40: 29-31. Weariness solution: quiet time with God.
Notes: _____

- Financial Contentment: Hebrews 13:5-6. Be thankful for your homeschool freedom.
Notes: _____

- Children Grow Up: 1 Corinthians 13:11, Mark 16:15. Our children change and grow.
Notes: _____

- Nothing is impossible: Isaiah 41:10. He is with us. "Trust the engineer"- Corrie Ten Boom.
Notes: _____

- Road Signs: Psalm 32:8. Simple solution: tried and true curriculum. Big picture: quiet time.
Notes: _____

- Not Ashamed: Psalm 25: 1-2; 31:1; 71:1; 119:31; Isaiah 50:7. Unashamed because of God.
Notes: _____

- Lessons from Noah: Genesis 6:8. Noah received persecution for 100 years. We are not alone.
Notes: _____

- Driving You Crazy: Ephesians 2:10. Our calling is not their calling.
Notes: _____

- Delight Directed Learning: Romans 12: 6-8. Your child's gift may be annoying.
Notes: _____

Scriptural encouragement for every situation – Part 2

- No Perfect Schools: Romans 12:3. No school or homeschool is perfect. No, not one.
Notes: _____

- Seek Wisdom: Psalm 4:5-6, Prov 3:13-18. Wisdom is precious and profitable.
Notes: _____

- High School Jitters: Matthew 6:25. Do not worry about the unknown.
Notes: _____

- Captain Courageous: Joshua 1:5-9. Be strong and courageous, the Lord is with you.
Notes: _____

- Teenage Rebellion: Job 5: 6-8. Teens can't be perfect. Everyone is born with a sinful nature.
Notes: _____

- Never Compare: 2 Corinthians 10:12. Never compare, someone always gets hurt.
Notes: _____

- Colleges want Passion: Proverbs 22:29, Ecclesiastes 11:9. Passion is the formula for success.
Notes: _____

- One Day at a Time: Matthew 6:34. Focus on the “now” and do not worry about tomorrow.
Notes: _____

- Find Strength: Isaiah 41:10. God will strengthen and uphold you – find friends who do, too.
Notes: _____

- Panic: Deuteronomy 31:6. Be strong and courageous. We are love-givers, not care-givers.
Notes: _____

- Professional Child Raisers: Deuteronomy 6:6-7. We are teaching our children 24/7.
Notes: _____

- Successful Panning: Psalm 16:3. Commit your plans to the Lord and you WILL succeed.
Notes: _____

- Remember: Deuteronomy 8:2. Remember what it was like before? This is just a phase.
Notes: _____

- Facing Criticism with Truth: John 9:24-25. Say what you know to be true. “It works for me.”
Notes: _____

- Feeling Forsaken: Mark 15:34, Psalm 22:1. God understands our feelings more than anyone.
Notes: _____

- Slow Progress: James 5:7, Isaiah 40:6-8. Maturing takes patience, like watching grass grow.
Notes: _____

- Be Humble: Ephesians 4:2-3. Be humble, gentle, patient, loving, and peaceful.
Notes: _____

- Be Faithful: Matthew 25:21. Be faithful with the few things you have been given
Notes: _____

Scriptural Encouragement to Balance Work and Rest

- Remember to Rest #1: Leviticus 23. We are commanded to take rests from our regular work.
Notes: _____

- Remember to Rest #2: Psalm 23. If we don't lie down to rest, He may MAKE us lie down..
Notes: _____

- We Should Work: Genesis 2:15, John 5:17. God created mankind to work, as He also works.
Notes: _____

- Work is Satisfying: Colossians 3:23, Proverbs 13:4. Work hard for the Lord, it is satisfying.
Notes: _____

- Alternate Rest and Work: Leviticus 25:4-7. Alternate rest hard and easy schoolwork.
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“We are where God wants us to be: humble and faithful”

Resources and Homeschool Solutions

Bibles mentioned in this class

- [The One Year Bible](#)
- [The Quite Time Bible](#)
- [Life Application Study Bible](#)
- [The Daily Bible in Chronological Order](#)

Books for the Journey

- Book: [Finding the Faith to Homeschool High School: Weekly Reflections for Weary Parents](#)
- Book: [The HomeScholar Guide to College Admission and Scholarships](#)

Online Resources

- [Gold Care Club](#): individualized support and encouragement with personal coaching
- [High School Solution](#): start high school strong and understand every age and stage
- [College Launch Solution](#): prepare to successfully launch your teen into college and life
- [Total Transcript Solution](#): everything you need to solve your transcript worries
- [Comprehensive Record Solution](#): create records for college admission and scholarships