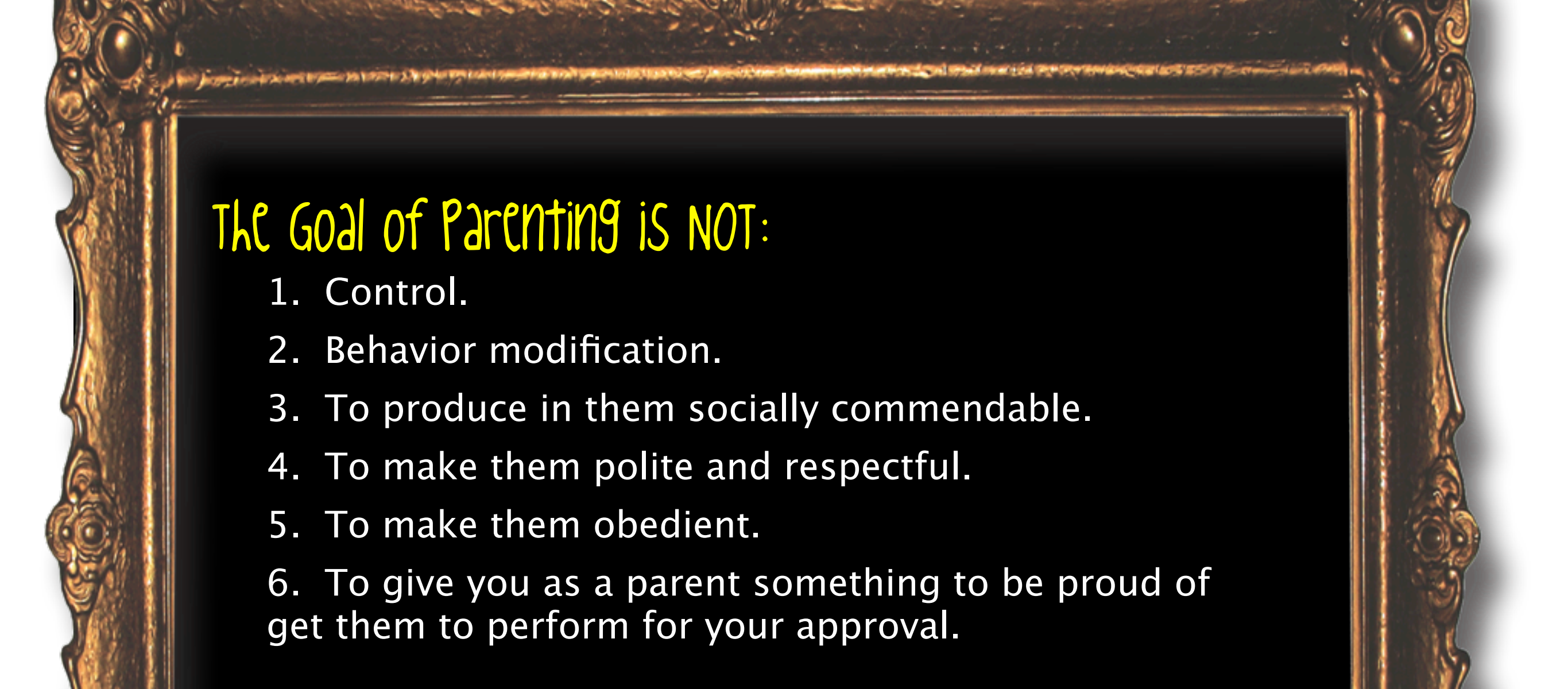


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“Raising PROMISING Kids”- Ephesians 6:1-4

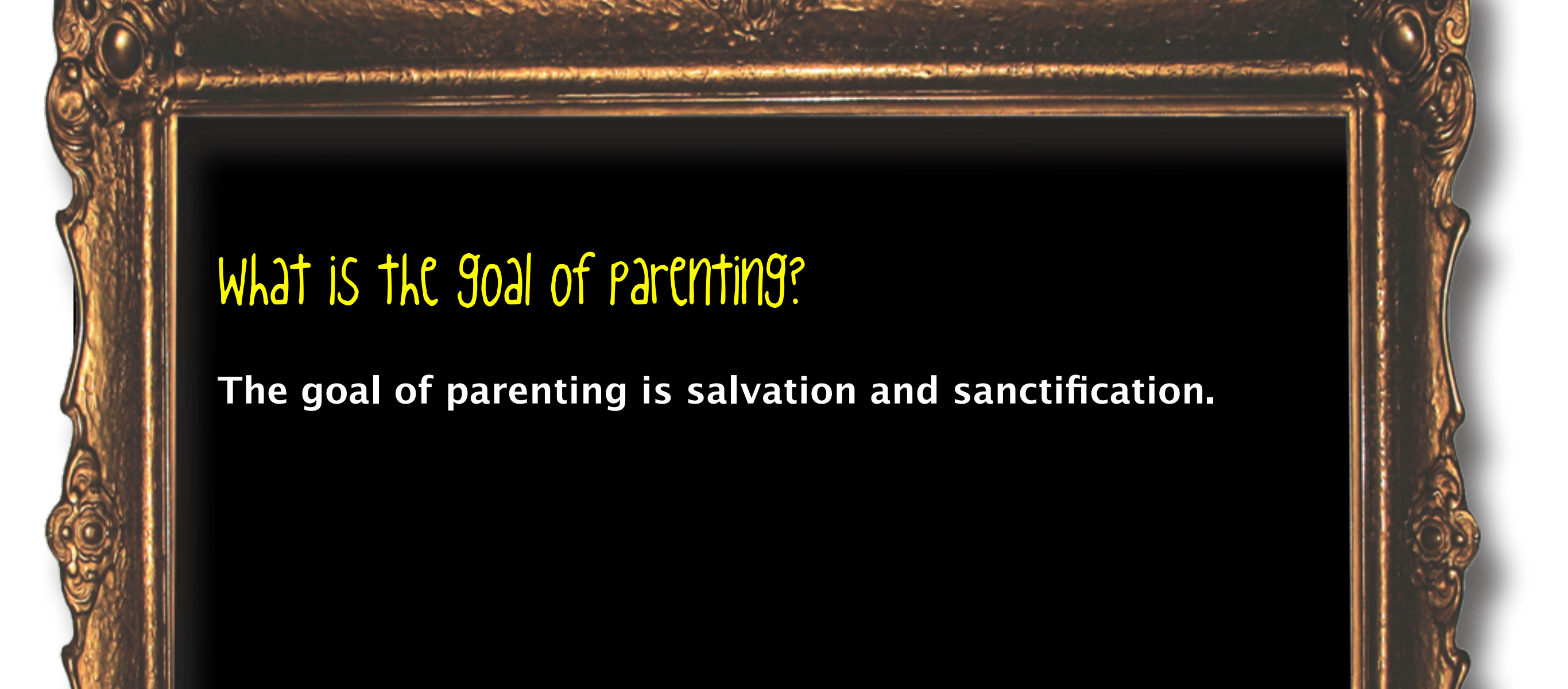
EPHESIANS 6:1-4

“Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right.
2 Honor your father and mother (this is the first
commandment with a promise), 3 that it may go well with
you and that you may live long in the land.” 4 Fathers, do
not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in
the discipline and instruction of the Lord.”

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The Goal of Parenting is NOT:

1. Control.
2. Behavior modification.
3. To produce in them socially commendable.
4. To make them polite and respectful.
5. To make them obedient.
6. To give you as a parent something to be proud of
get them to perform for your approval.

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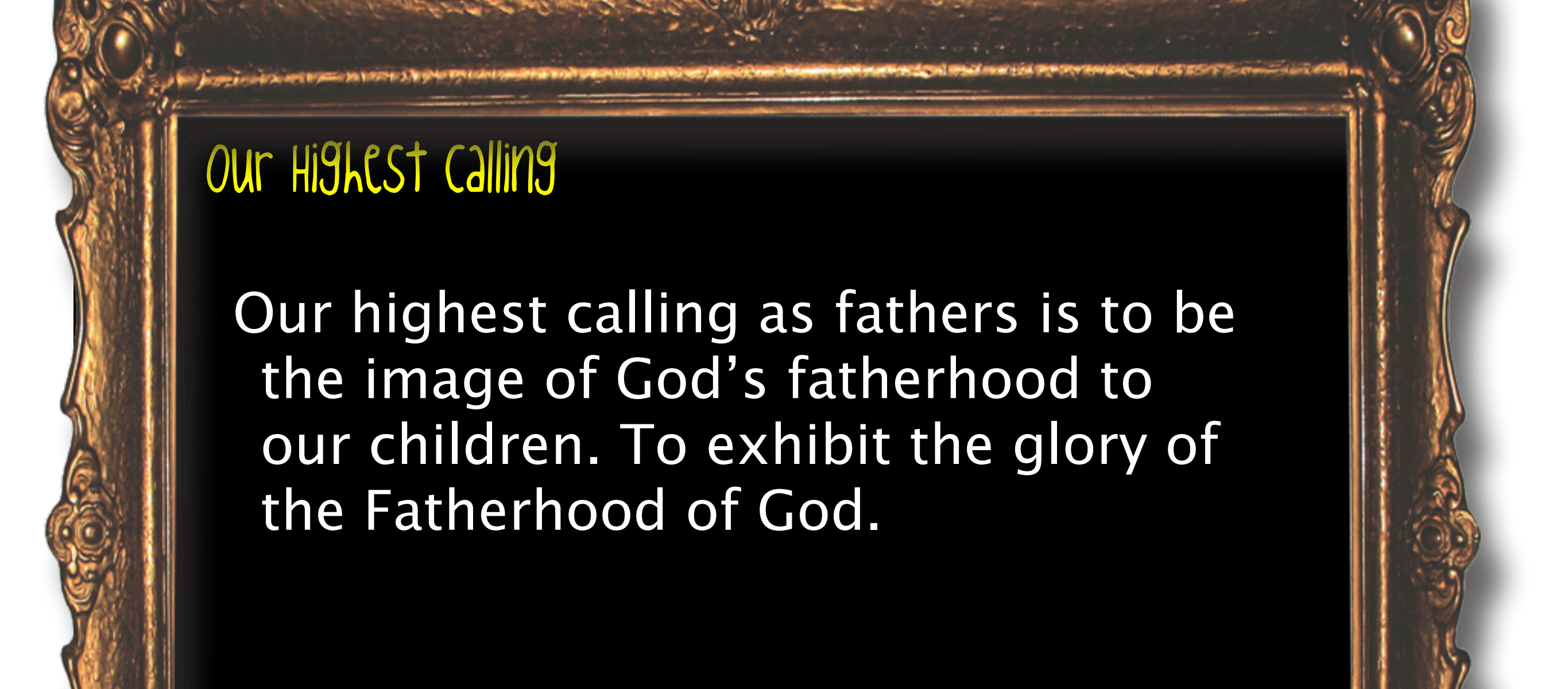
What is the goal of parenting?

The goal of parenting is salvation and sanctification.

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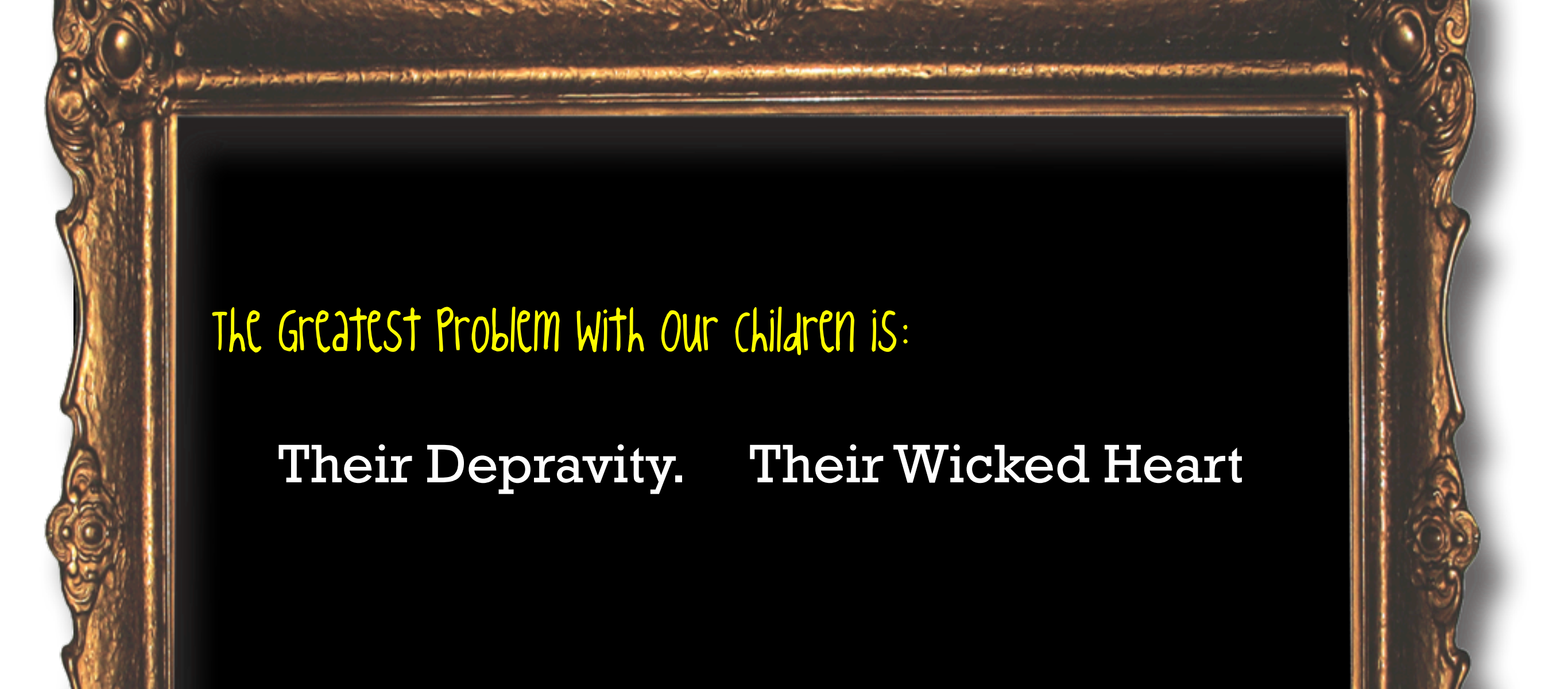
God's program for raising kids to love HIM is:

PARENTS!

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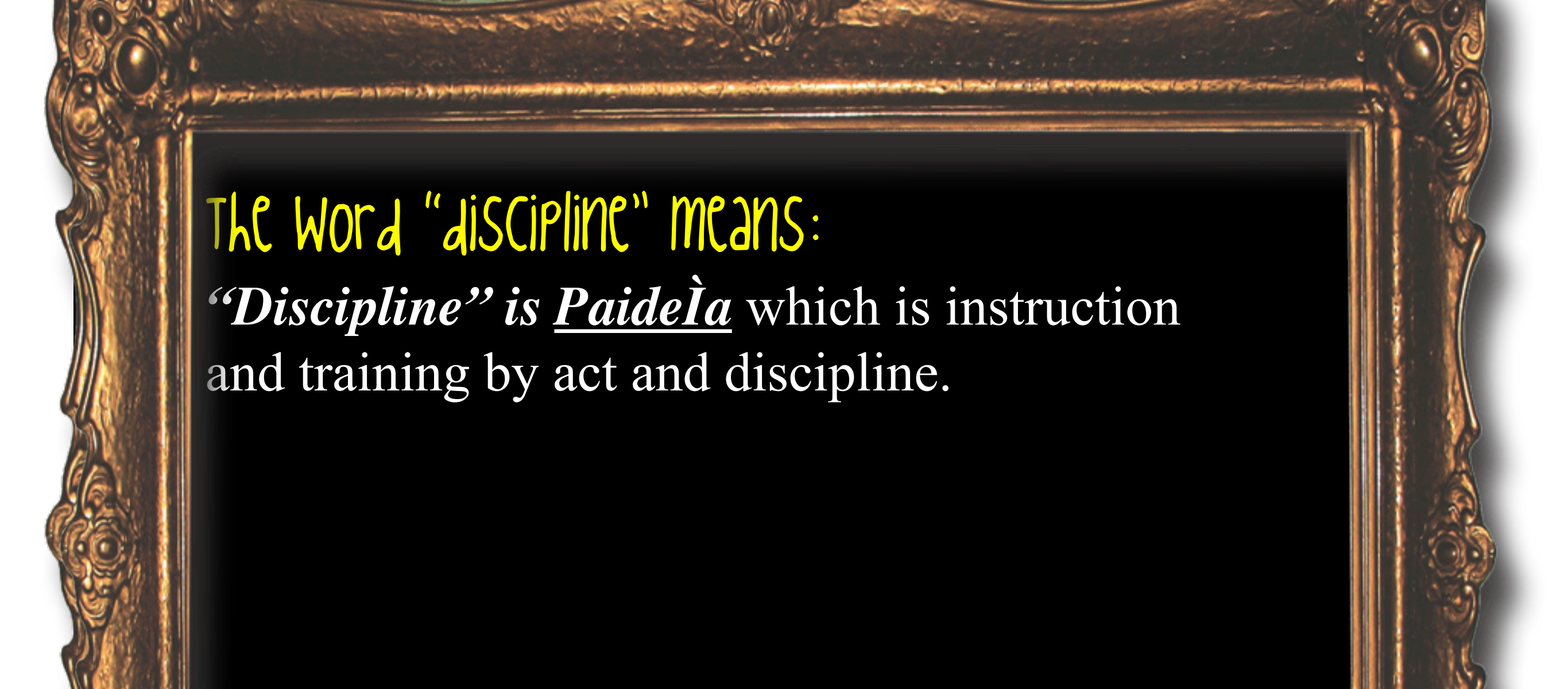
Our Highest Calling

Our highest calling as fathers is to be the image of God's fatherhood to our children. To exhibit the glory of the Fatherhood of God.

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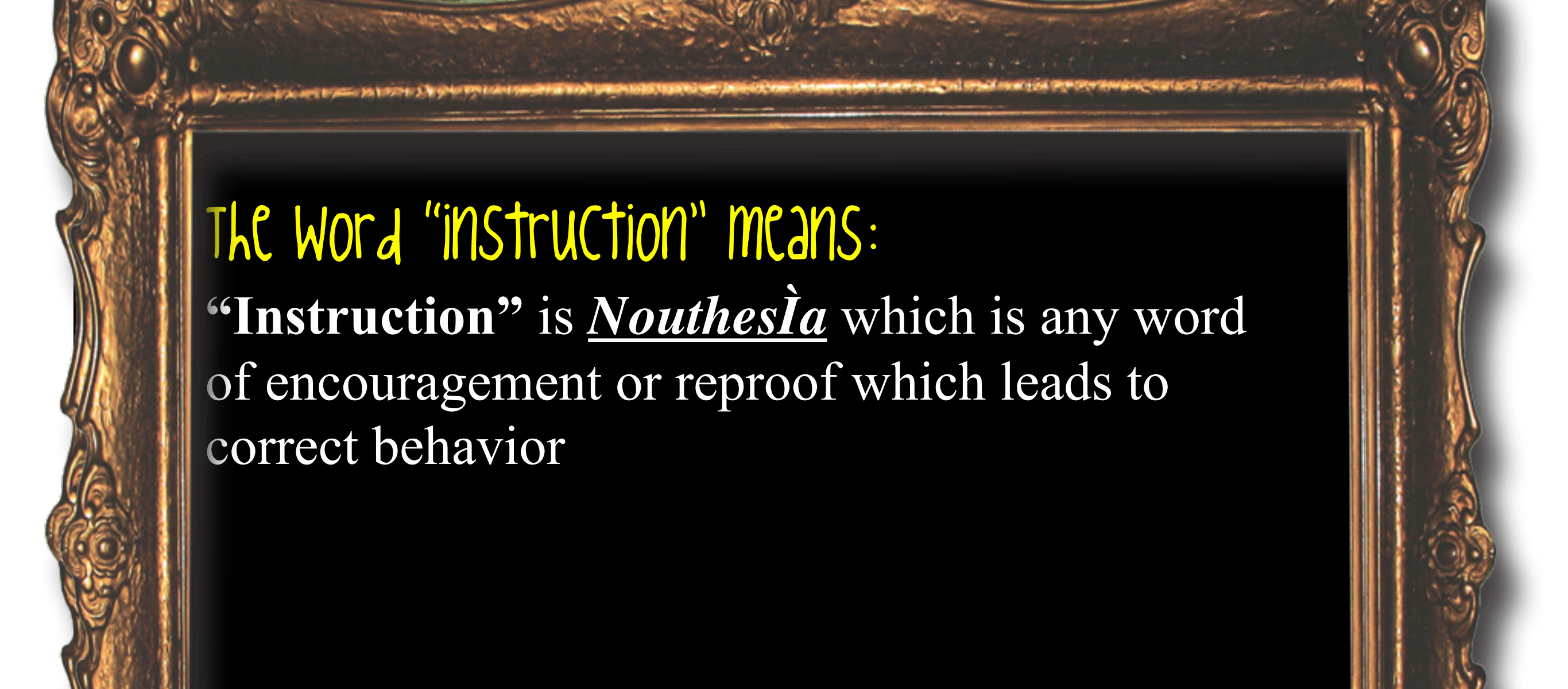
The Greatest Problem With Our children is:

Their Depravity. Their Wicked Heart

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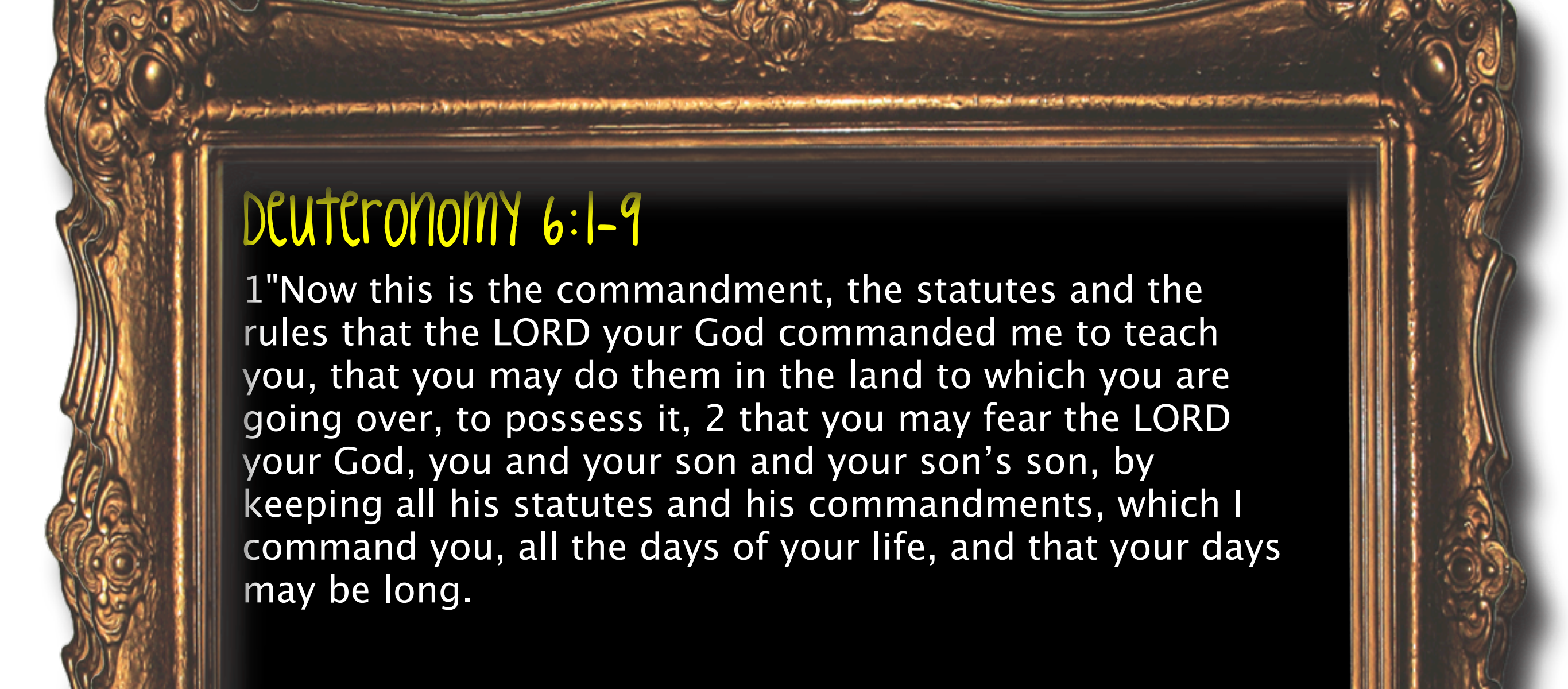
The Word "discipline" means:

“Discipline” is Paideia which is instruction and training by act and discipline.

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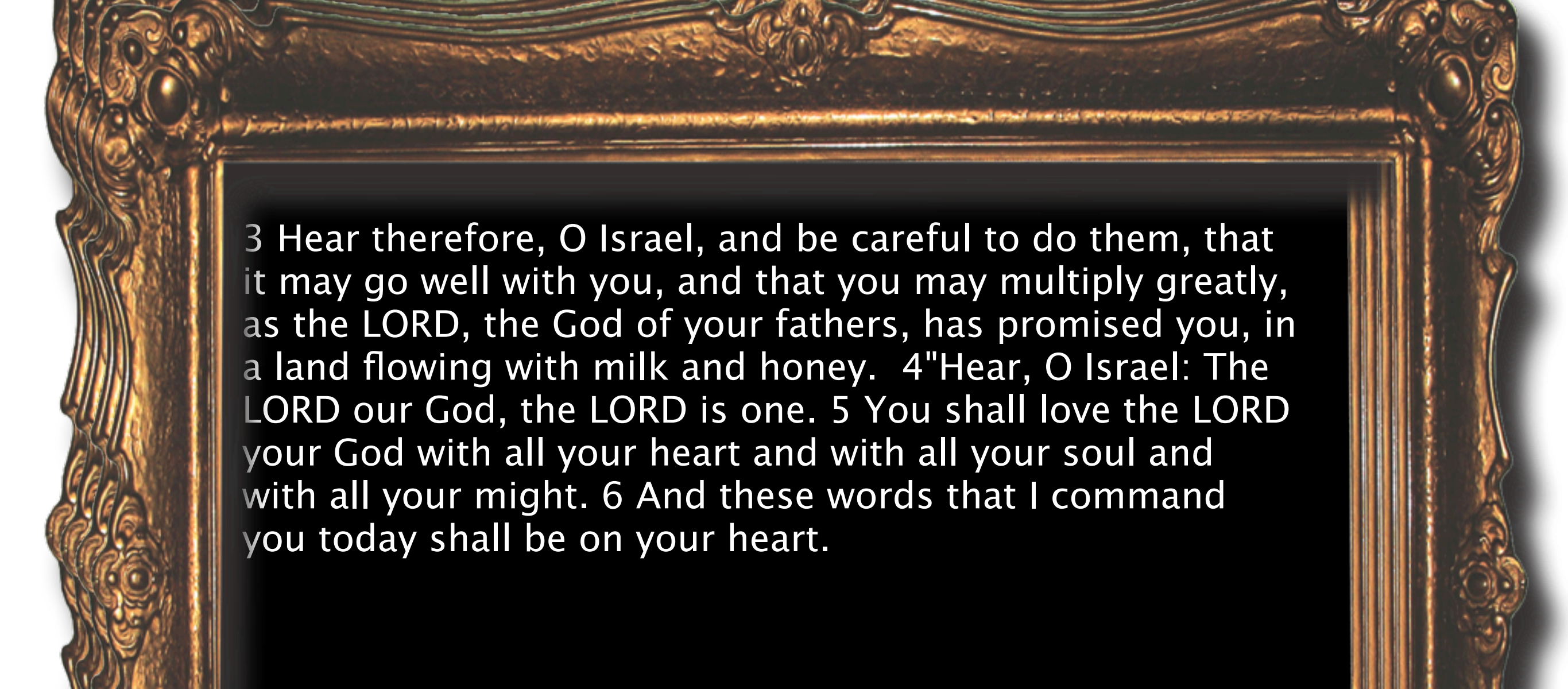
The word "instruction" means:

“**Instruction**” is *Nouthesla* which is any word of encouragement or reproof which leads to correct behavior

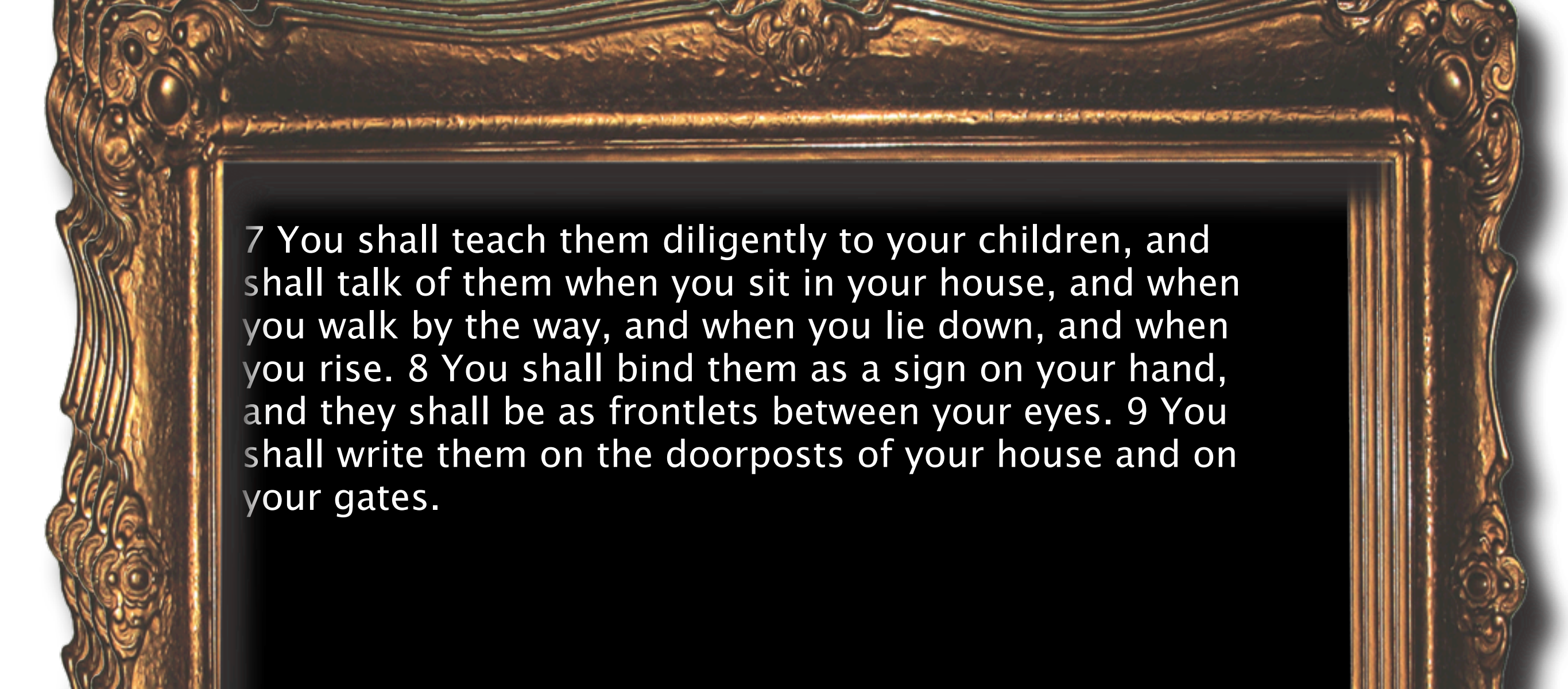
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Deuteronomy 6:1-9

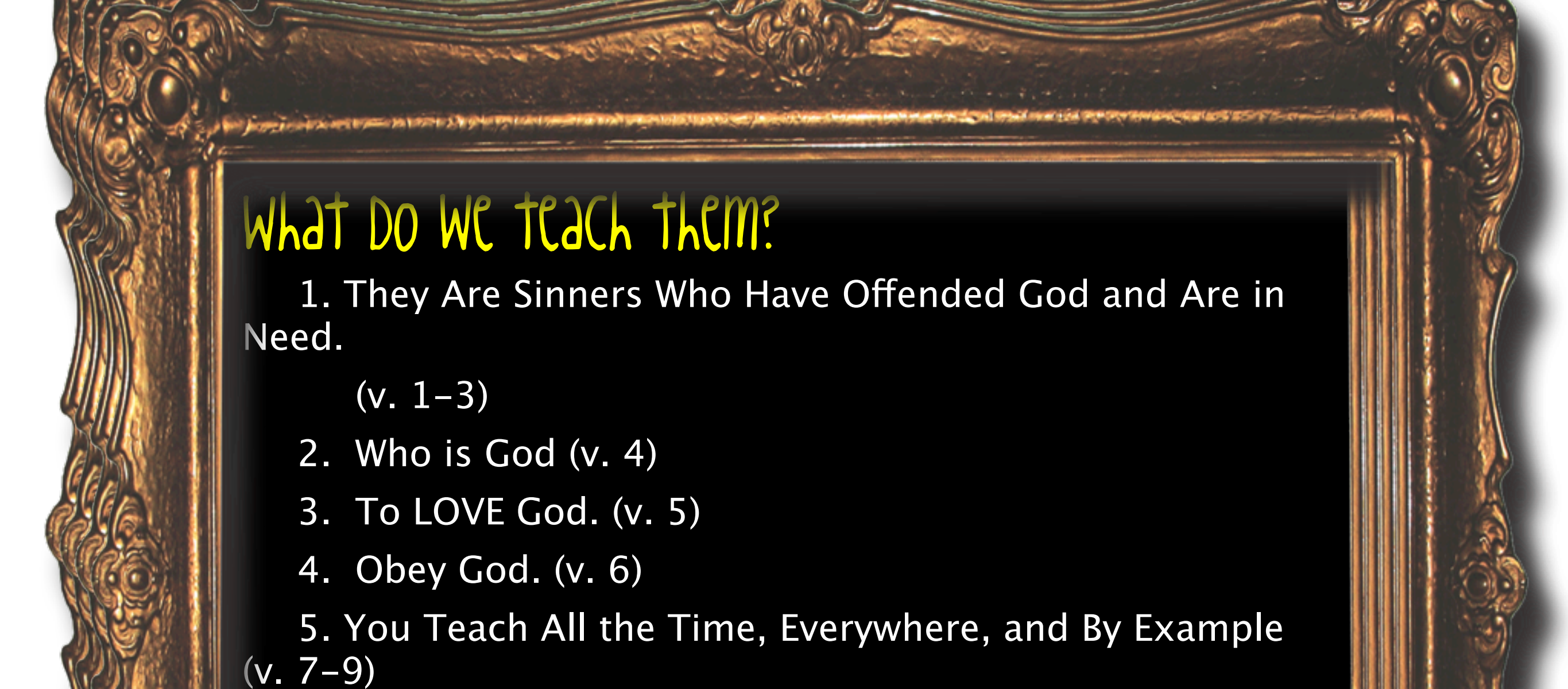
1"Now this is the commandment, the statutes and the rules that the LORD your God commanded me to teach you, that you may do them in the land to which you are going over, to possess it, 2 that you may fear the LORD your God, you and your son and your son's son, by keeping all his statutes and his commandments, which I command you, all the days of your life, and that your days may be long.

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3 Hear therefore, O Israel, and be careful to do them, that it may go well with you, and that you may multiply greatly, as the LORD, the God of your fathers, has promised you, in a land flowing with milk and honey. 4"Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one. 5 You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. 6 And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart.

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7 You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. 8 You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. 9 You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

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What DO WE teach them?

1. They Are Sinners Who Have Offended God and Are in Need.

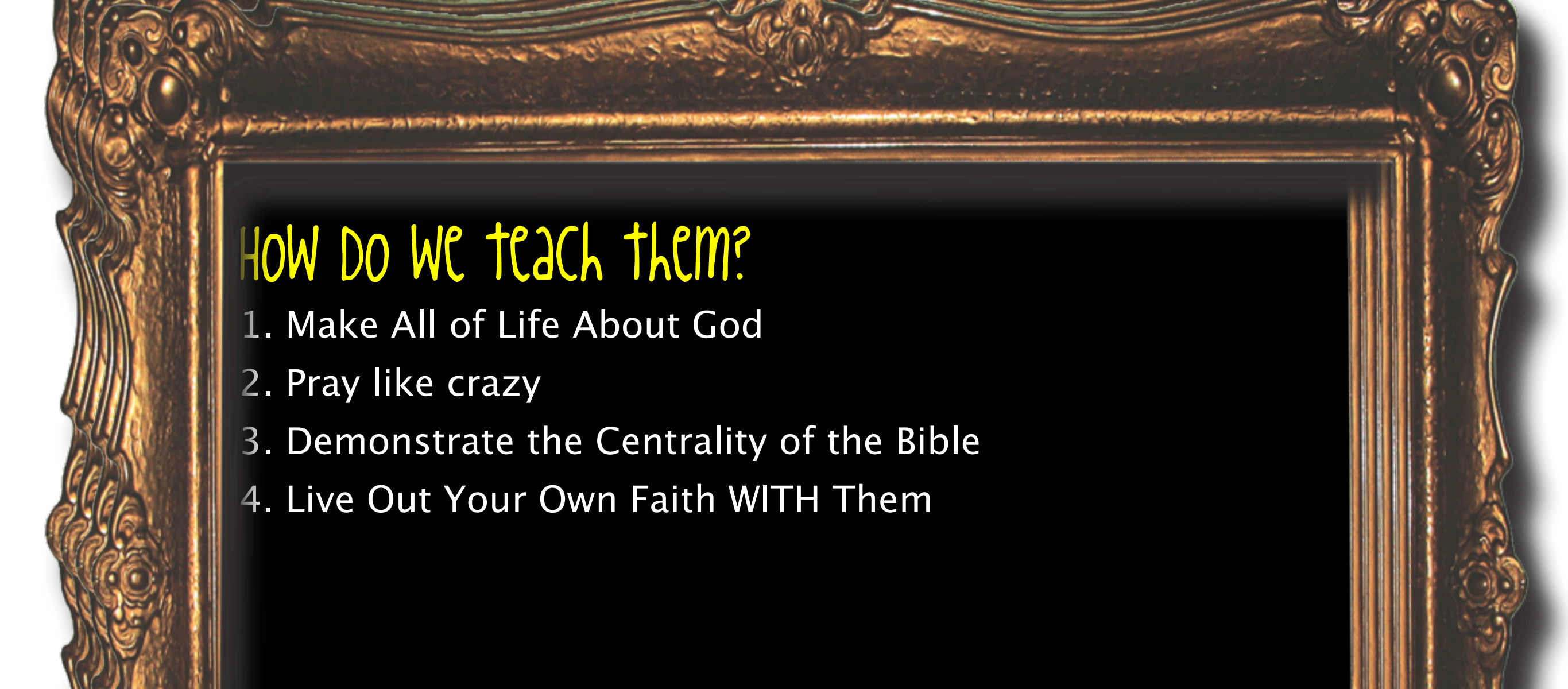
(v. 1–3)

2. Who is God (v. 4)

3. To LOVE God. (v. 5)

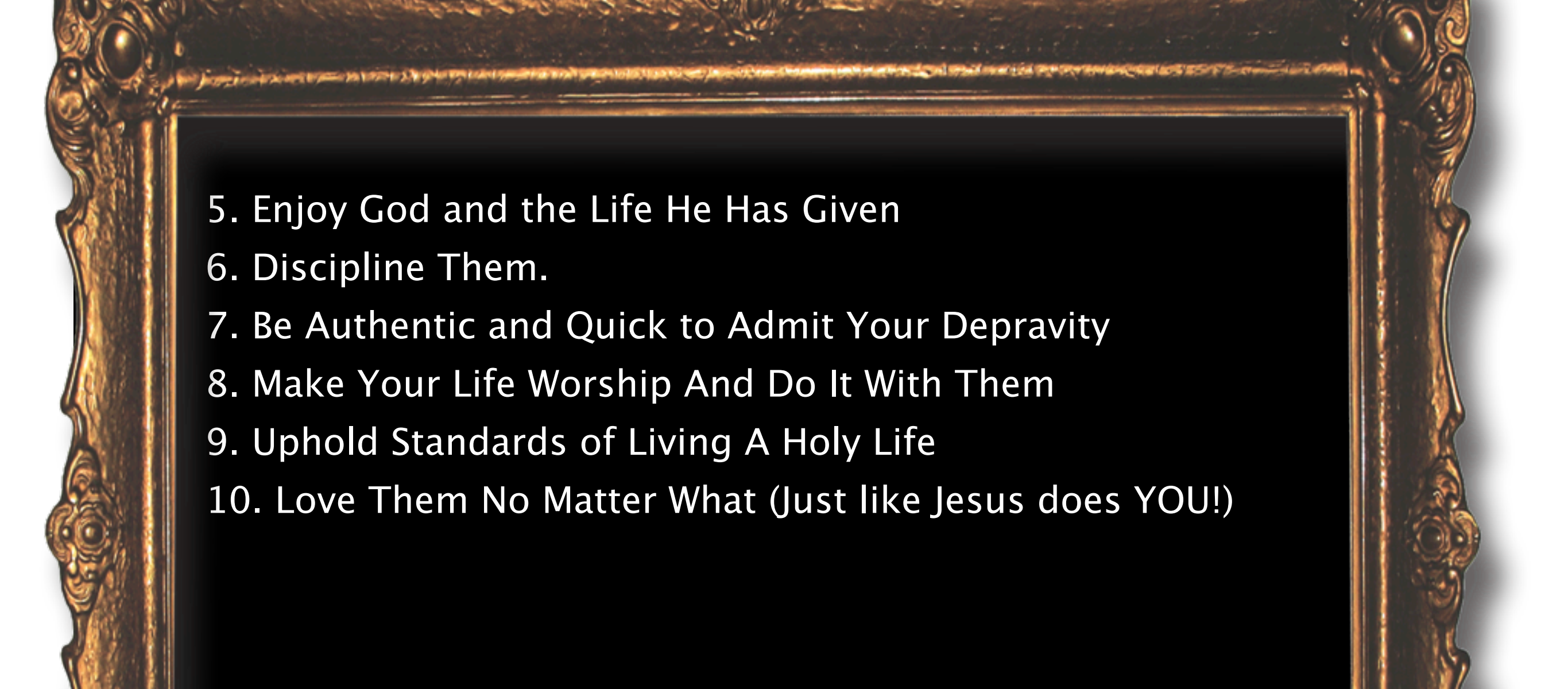
4. Obey God. (v. 6)

5. You Teach All the Time, Everywhere, and By Example
(v. 7–9)

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HOW DO WE TEACH THEM?

1. Make All of Life About God
2. Pray like crazy
3. Demonstrate the Centrality of the Bible
4. Live Out Your Own Faith WITH Them

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5. Enjoy God and the Life He Has Given
 6. Discipline Them.
 7. Be Authentic and Quick to Admit Your Depravity
 8. Make Your Life Worship And Do It With Them
 9. Uphold Standards of Living A Holy Life
 10. Love Them No Matter What (Just like Jesus does YOU!)

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