

“Satan’s Attacks On The Home”

Lesson Text: **Ephesians 6:10-12; 2 Corinthians 2:11.**

I. God’s Plan For The Home.

- Husband And Wife Work Together— **Ephesians 6:1-4; 1 Peter 3:7.**
- The Husband/Father Lovingly Guides And Provides For the Home- **1 Timothy 3:12; 5:8.**
- The Wife/Mother Lovingly Cares For and Directs the Children- **Titus 2:4-5.**
- Both Teach and Influence Them to Respect God and Man- **Ephesians 6:4; 2 Timothy 1:5.**
- Both Prepare Them To One Day Have A Godly Family of Their Own- **Proverbs 22:6.**
- What Satan Does To Undermine, Influence, And Destroy Our Homes- **1 Peter 5:8.**

II. Satan’s Attack: To Break Up The Home.

- **Matthew 19:1-10; Matthew 5:32.**
- Quick, Easy, No-Fault Divorce (1969).
- Single Parents and the Consequences
- Will Use Unfaithfulness, Arguments Over Money, Addictions: Alcohol, Drugs, Pornography, and Gambling to make the marriage Unhappy or Bring Discontent.
- The Bottom-line: Sinful Conduct is at the root of all Divorces.
 1. Someone Let Sinful Desires Or Conduct To Ruin The Marriage. (Commission Or Neglect).
 2. If They Acted With The Love, Respect, Kindness, Honesty, And Commitment That A Christian Should Have—The Marriage Would Have Not Failed.

III. Satan’s Attack: To Influence & Weaken The Home.

- **1 John 2:15-17; 5:19; James 1:27.**
- Worldly Influences On Children To Rebel
- Songs, Movies, TV Sitcoms Can And Often Do Teach Contrary Ways To God’s Ways.
- Teach Drinking Alcohol or Drug Use is Normal and Fun!
- Rude, Crude, and Vulgar Language On Much of Our Entertainment.
- Some Songs, Movies, and Sitcoms Glamorize Vile Things.
- Open Talk About Promiscuous and Sinful Behavior in the Shows of Today.

IV. Satan’s Attack: To Redefine The Home.

- **Genesis 2:20-24.**
- Couples. Living Together Without Marriage.
 1. A Major Problem of a High Divorce Rate.
 2. But Does It Really Help In Any Way?
- Perversions Of Marriage:
 1. Two Dads or Two Moms.
 2. Open Marriages— No Commitment, Trust, Or Dignity!
 3. Multiple Wives Or Husbands.
- Gender Identity Confusion.
 1. Does Away With Male And Female Roles.
 2. Its Fruit Leads To The Destruction Of God’s Order.