# UNSHAKEABLE

A Study Through Colossians Colossians 3:20 Children, obey your parents in everything, for this pleases the Lord.

Exodus 20:12 Honor your father and your mother, so that you may live long in the land the Lord your God is giving you.

Ephesians 6:1-3 Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. "Honor your father and mother"-which is the first commandment with a promise—"so that it may go well with you and that you may enjoy long life on the earth."

"Honor is an attitude accompanied by *actions* that say to your parents, 'You are worthy. You have value. You are the person God sovereignly placed in my life." -Dennis Rainey

Proverbs 30:17 The eye that mocks a father and scorns to obey a mother will be picked out by the ravens of the valley and eaten by the vultures.

#### Honoring our Parents

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Why honoring our parents is so important

How we honor our parents in 3 stages of our relationship

 How to honor our parents when it's difficult

# Why is honoring our parents so important?

-Because God's Design For Society Demands it

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-Because it is an act of worship to Christ.

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How we honor our parents in 3 stages of relationship

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Childhood: Obedience





#### How we honor our parents in 3 stages of relationship

Early Independence: Respect



Respect their advice Proverbs 6:20 My son, keep your father's command and do not forsake your mother's teaching.

How we honor our parents in 3 stages of relationship

Adult/Aging Parents: Appreciate them and Provide for them

**Appreciate them:** Proverbs 23:25 May your father and mother rejoice; may she who gave you birth be joyful!

### Provide for Them 1 Timothy 5:4-8



### How to honor our parents when it's difficult

