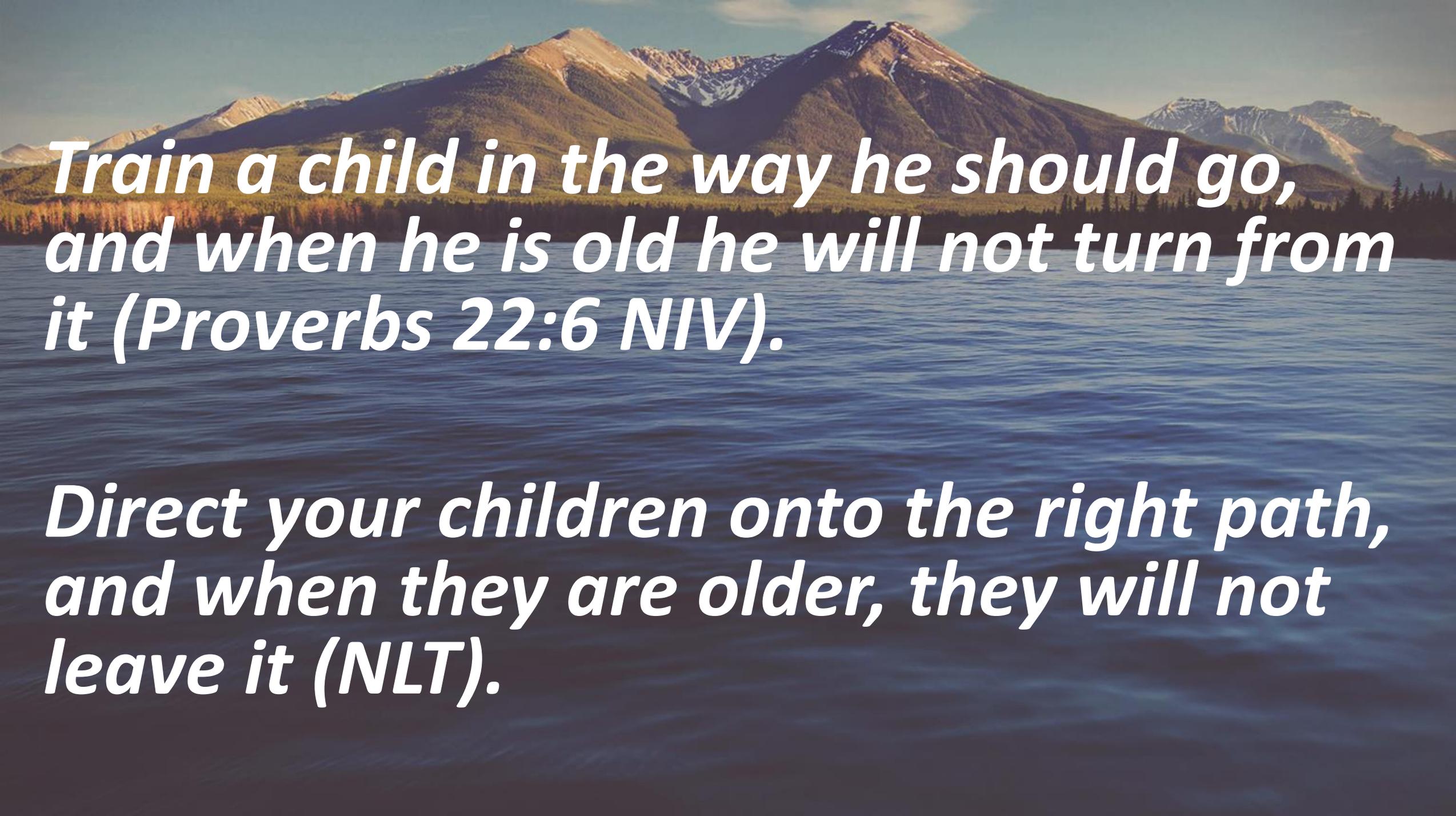




TRUE WISDOM
- FOR -
TRUE LIVING



“Shaping our next gen matters!”
Proverbs 22:6



*Train a child in the way he should go,
and when he is old he will not turn from
it (Proverbs 22:6 NIV).*

*Direct your children onto the right path,
and when they are older, they will not
leave it (NLT).*



So what happened with my kid?



What tools must we need?

Intentionality

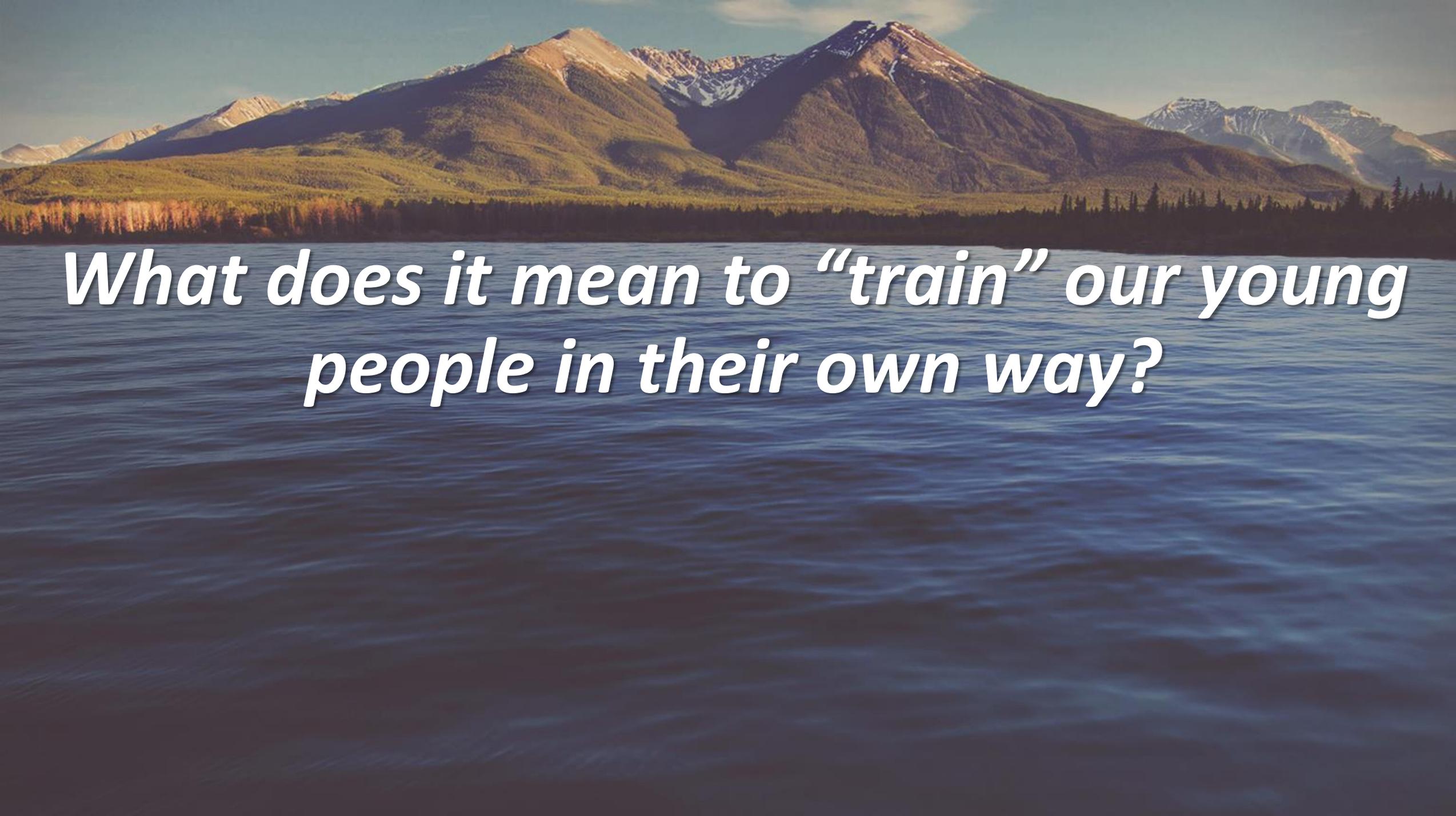


*Intentionality requires purposeful
training*



*“Learning, loving, and leading on the
narrow road”*

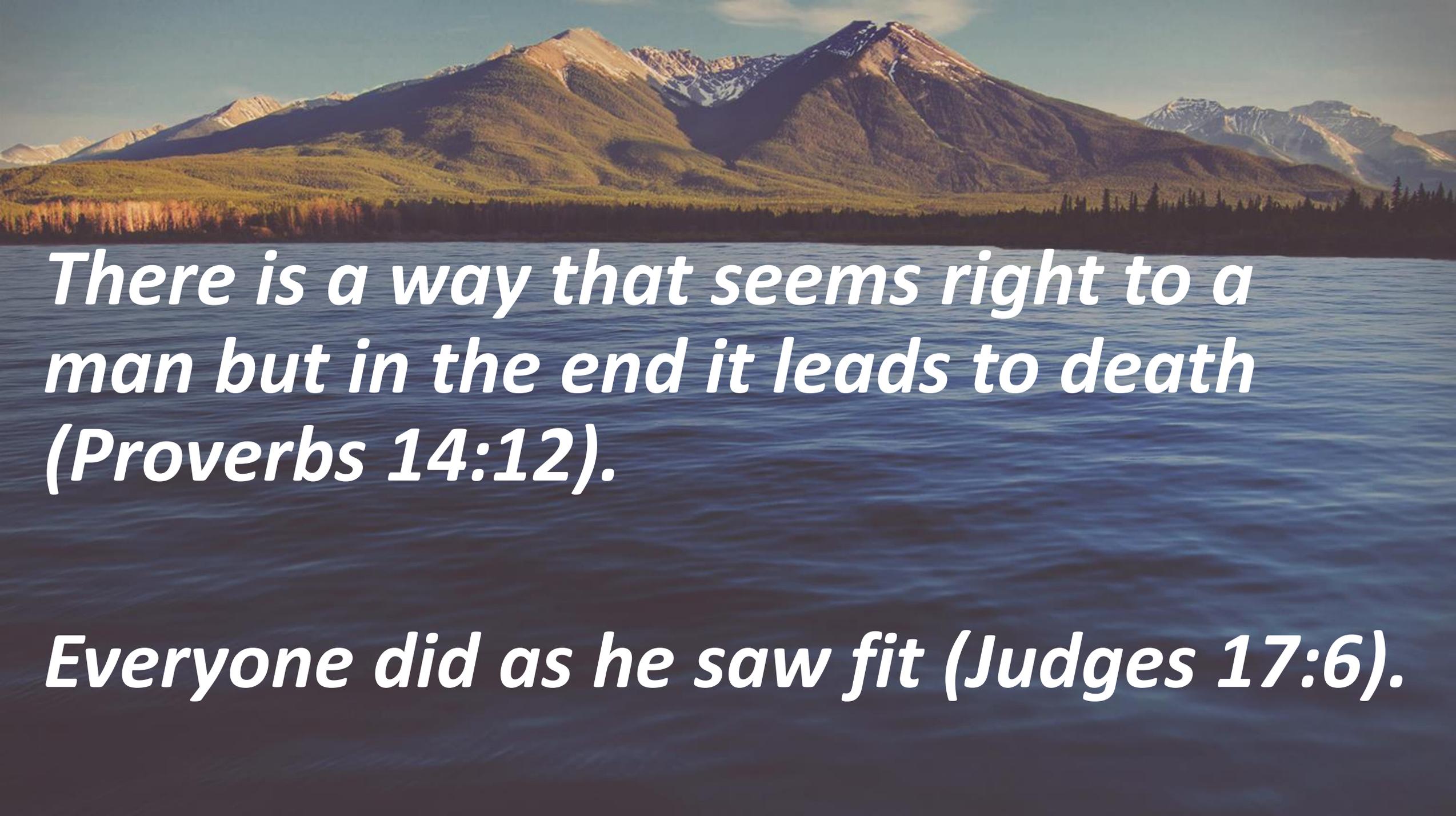
(Rob and Leanne’s family vision)



What does it mean to “train” our young people in their own way?

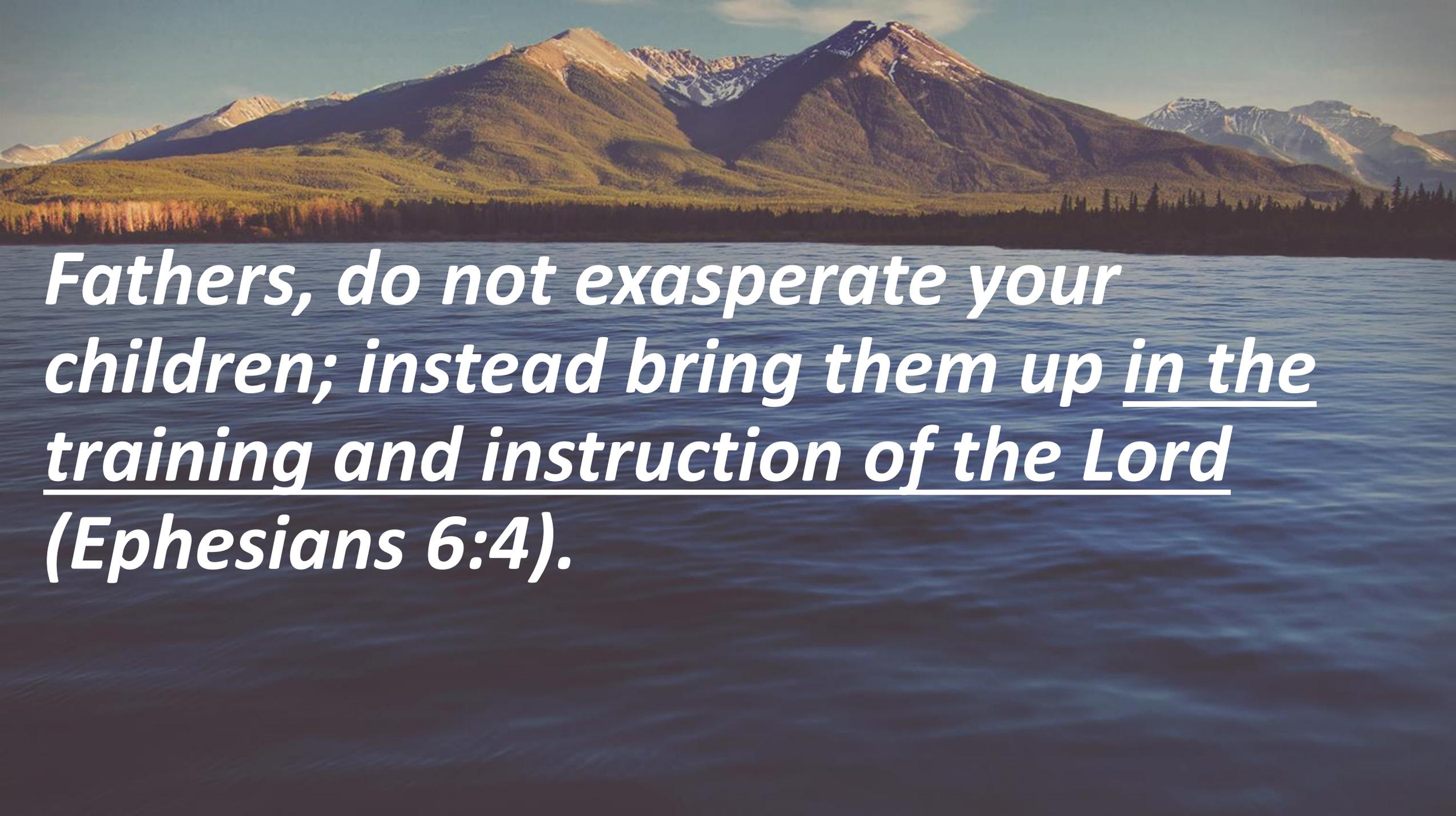


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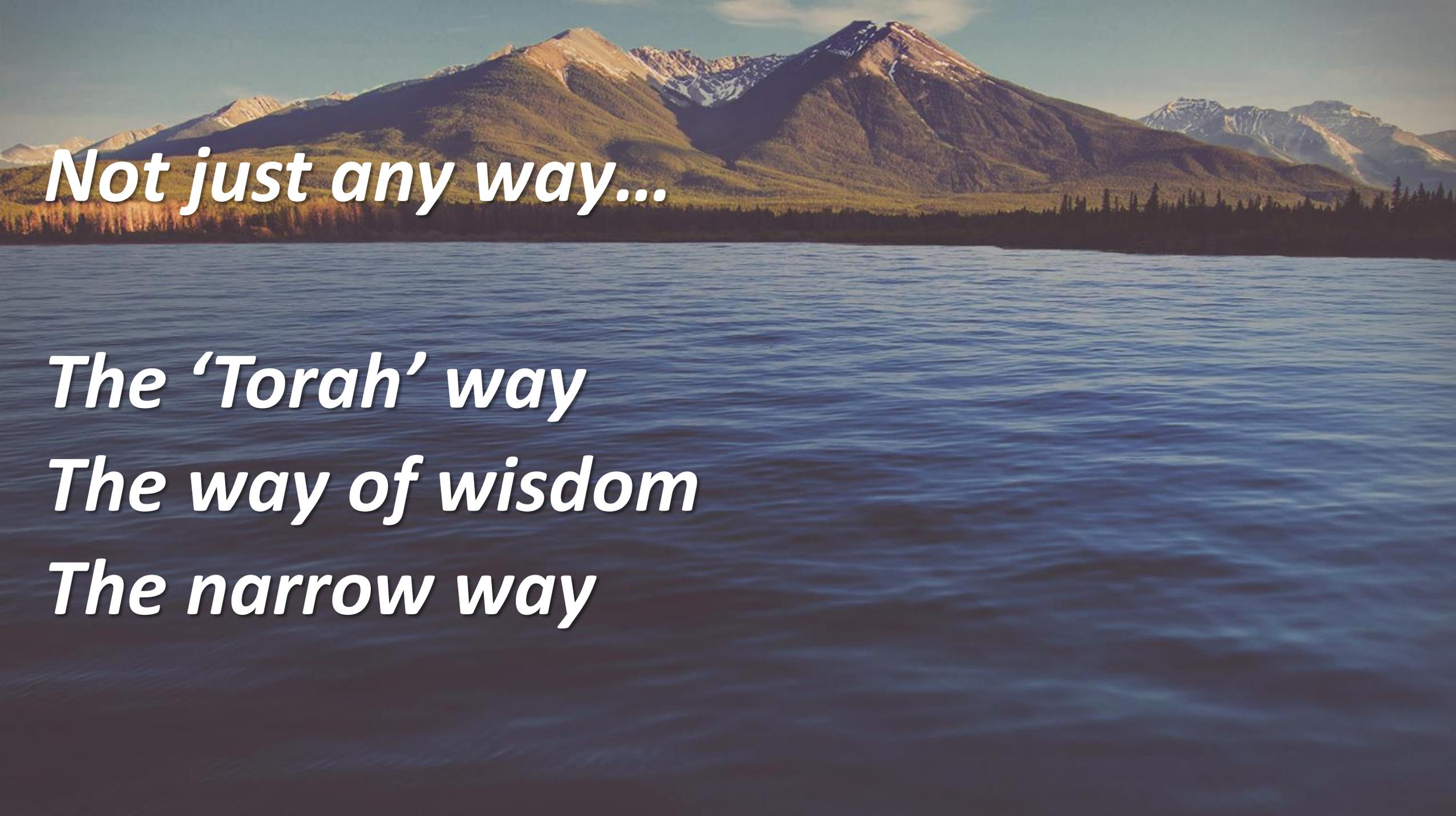


There is a way that seems right to a man but in the end it leads to death (Proverbs 14:12).

Everyone did as he saw fit (Judges 17:6).



Fathers, do not exasperate your children; instead bring them up in the training and instruction of the Lord (Ephesians 6:4).



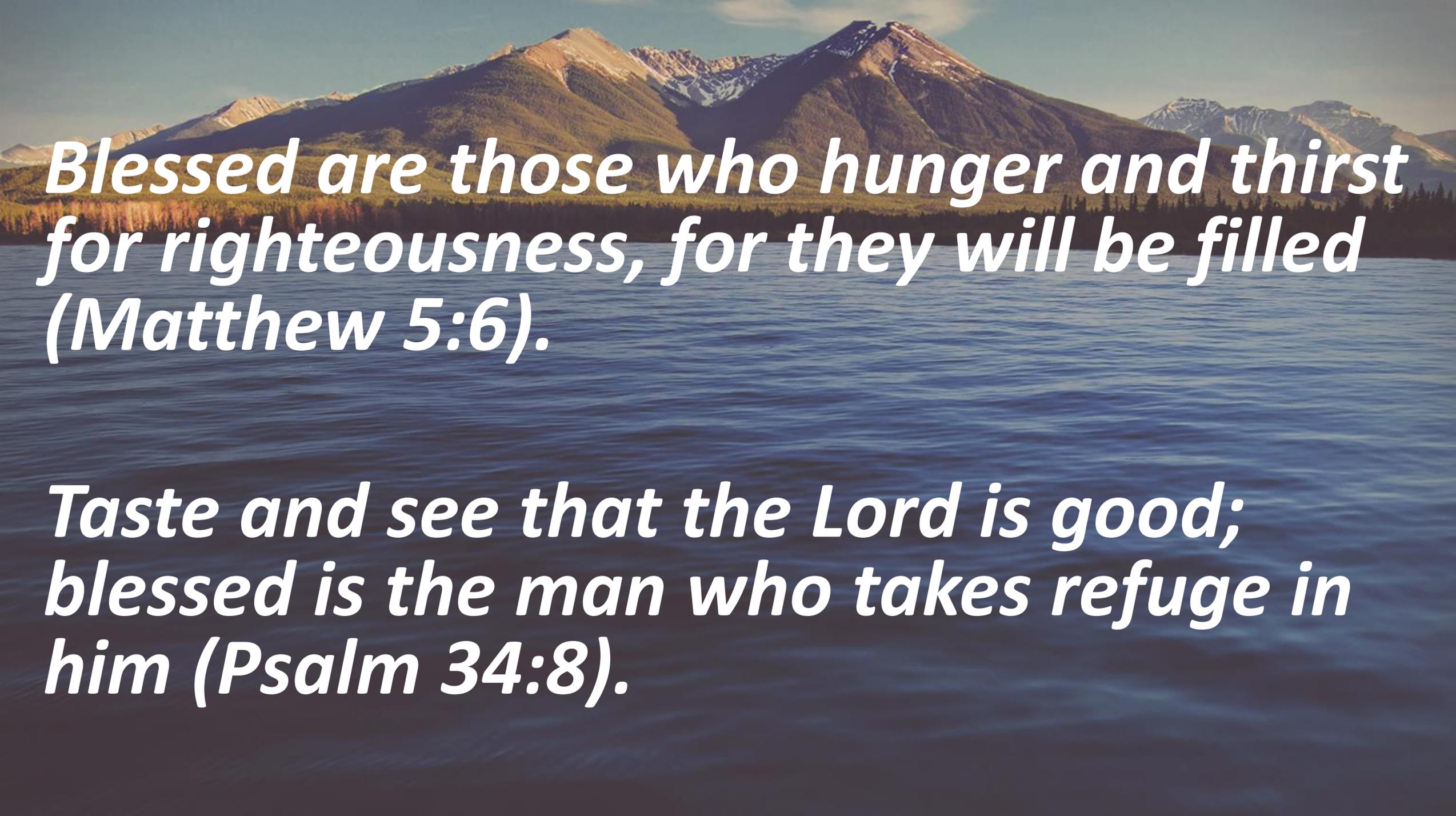
Not just any way...

*The 'Torah' way
The way of wisdom
The narrow way*



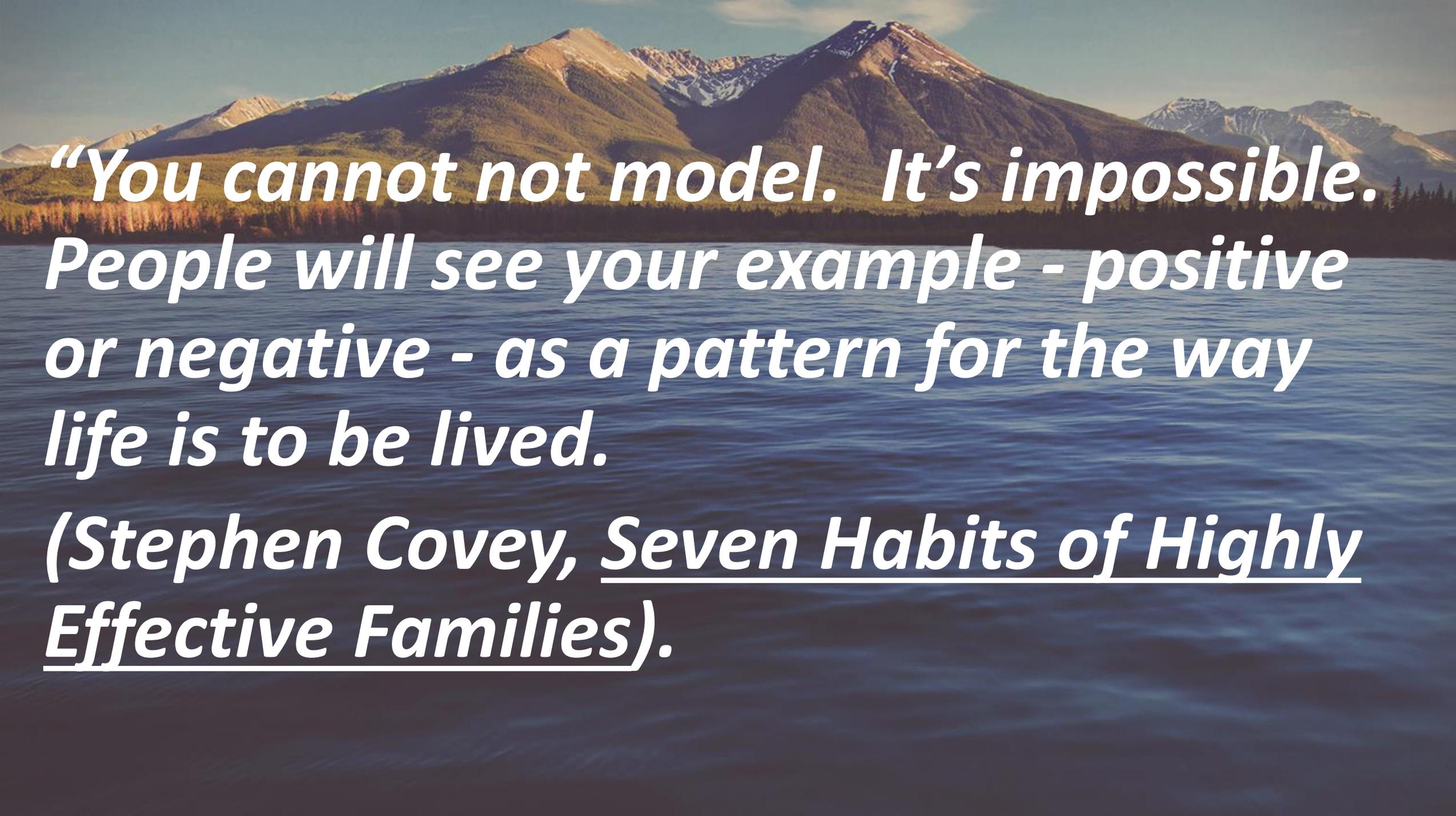
What tools we must need?

Modelling



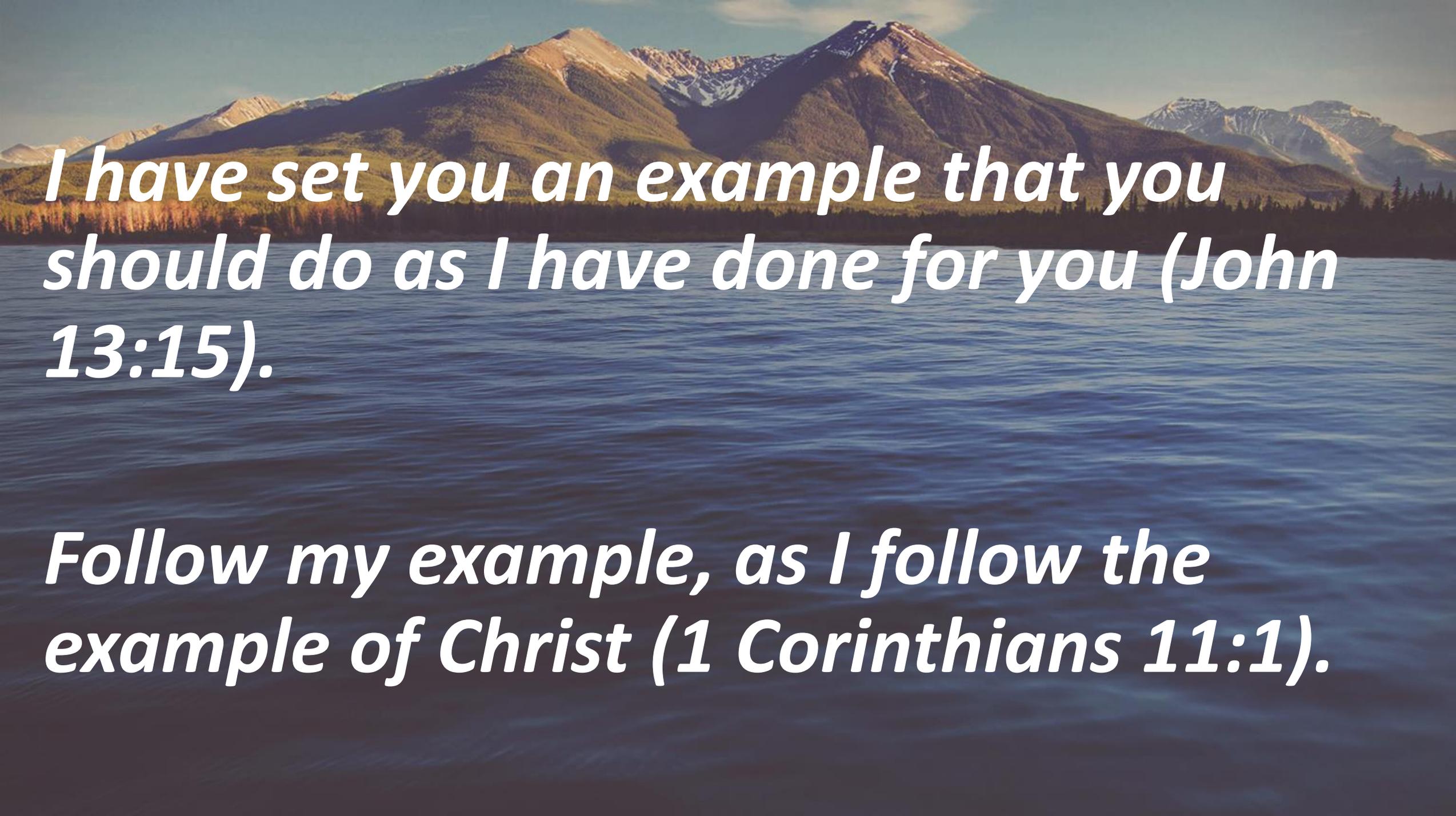
*Blessed are those who hunger and thirst
for righteousness, for they will be filled
(Matthew 5:6).*

*Taste and see that the Lord is good;
blessed is the man who takes refuge in
him (Psalm 34:8).*



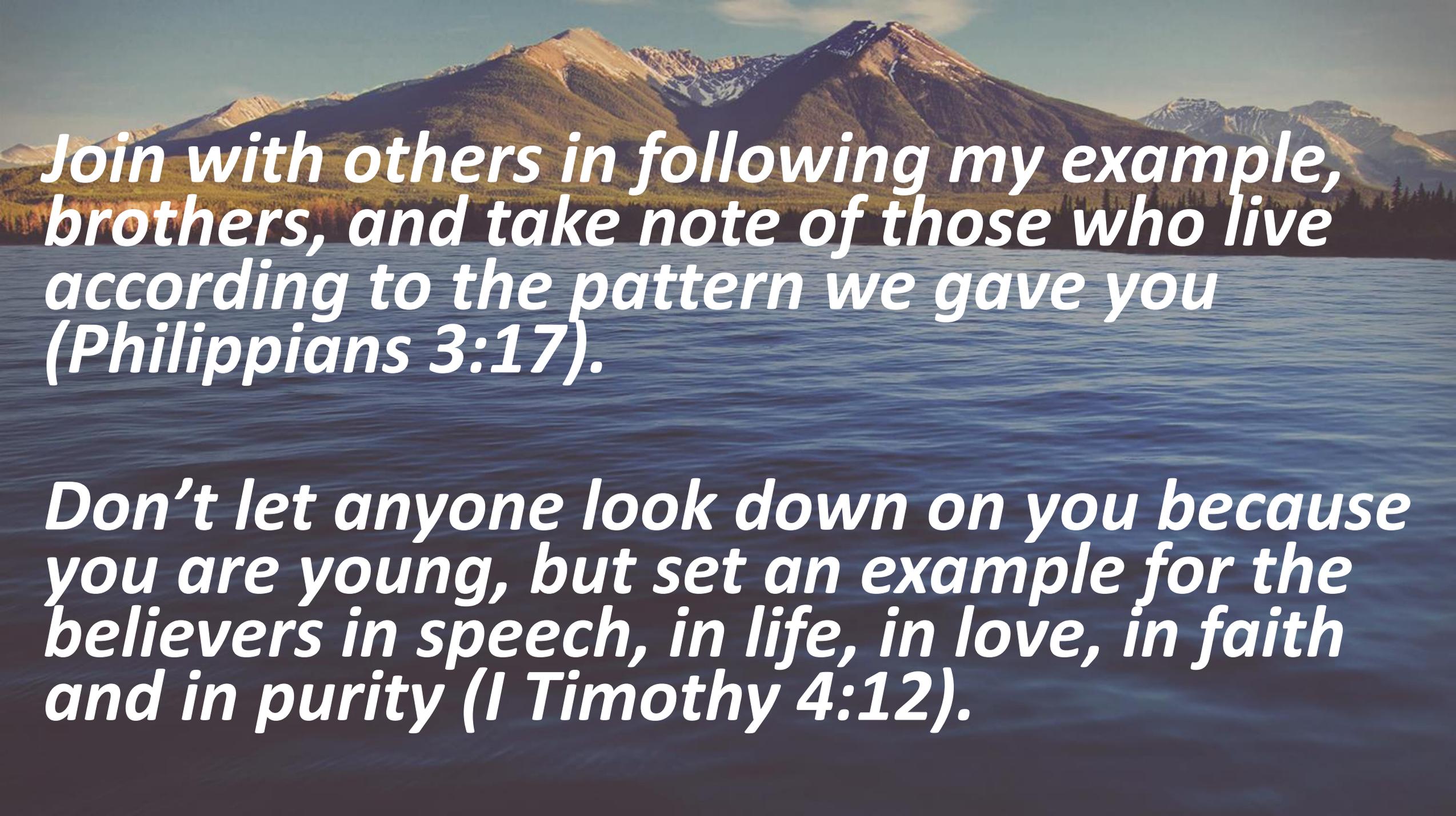
“You cannot not model. It’s impossible. People will see your example - positive or negative - as a pattern for the way life is to be lived.

(Stephen Covey, Seven Habits of Highly Effective Families).



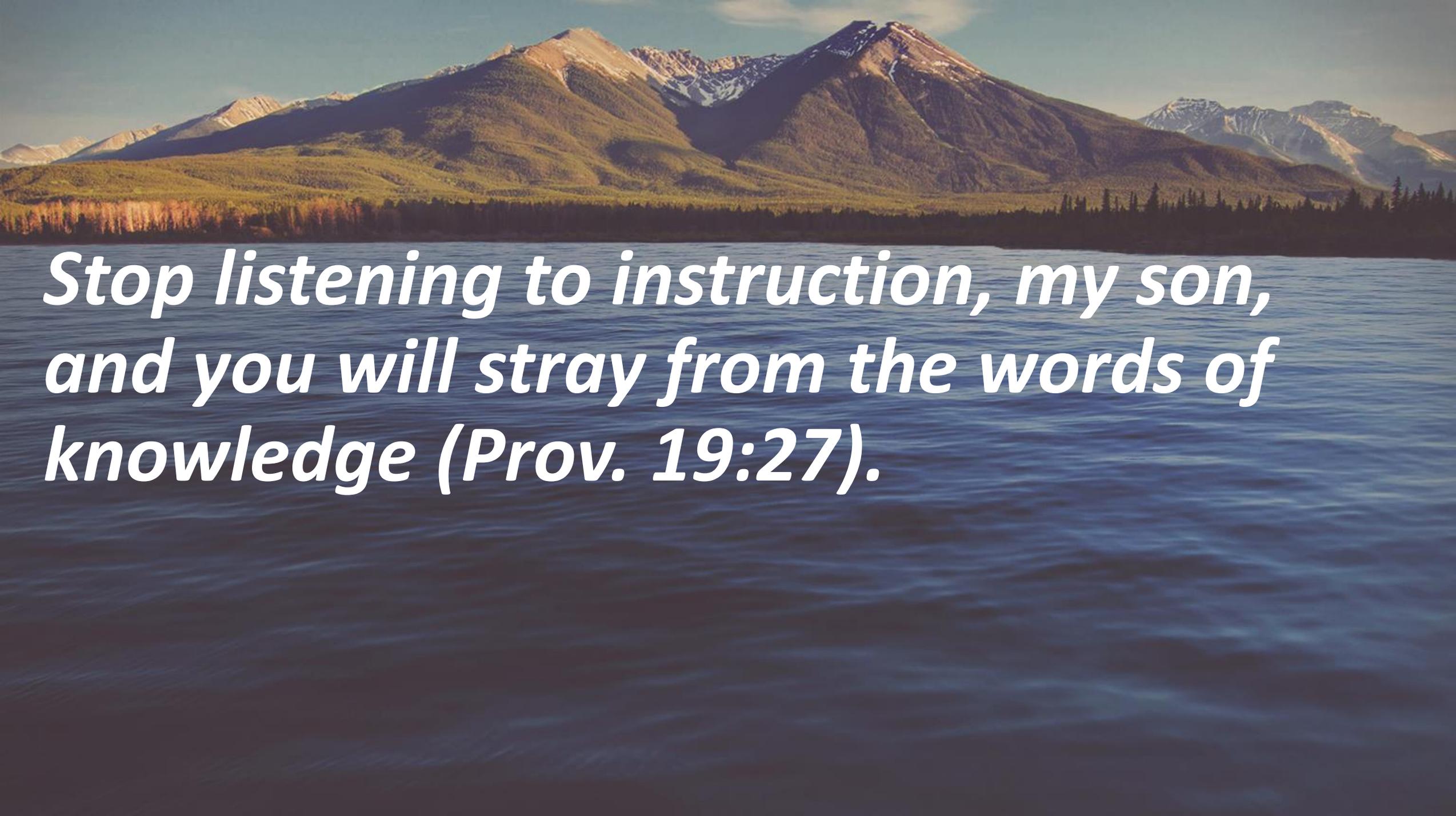
I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you (John 13:15).

Follow my example, as I follow the example of Christ (1 Corinthians 11:1).



Join with others in following my example, brothers, and take note of those who live according to the pattern we gave you (Philippians 3:17).

Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in life, in love, in faith and in purity (1 Timothy 4:12).

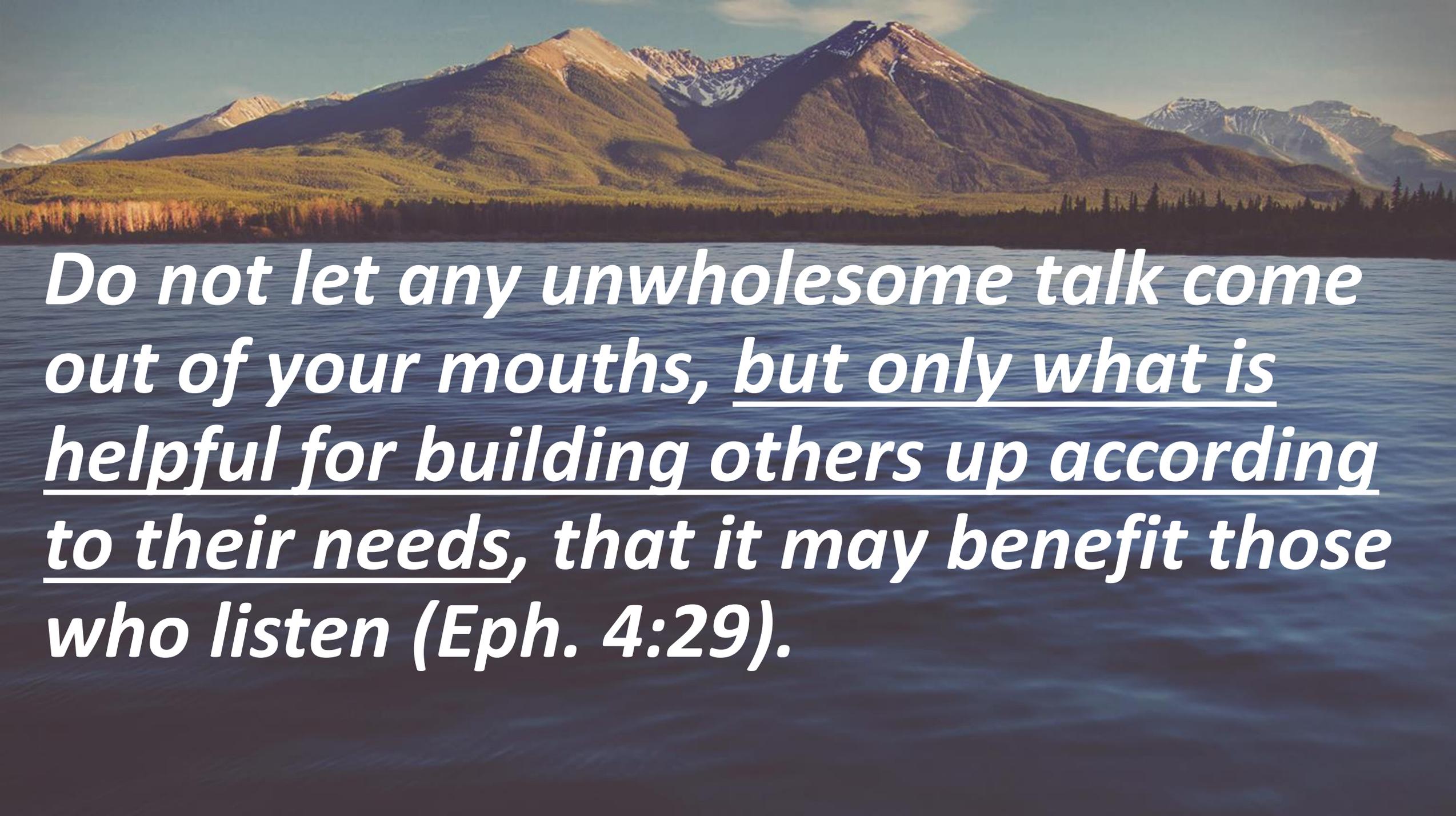


*Stop listening to instruction, my son,
and you will stray from the words of
knowledge (Prov. 19:27).*

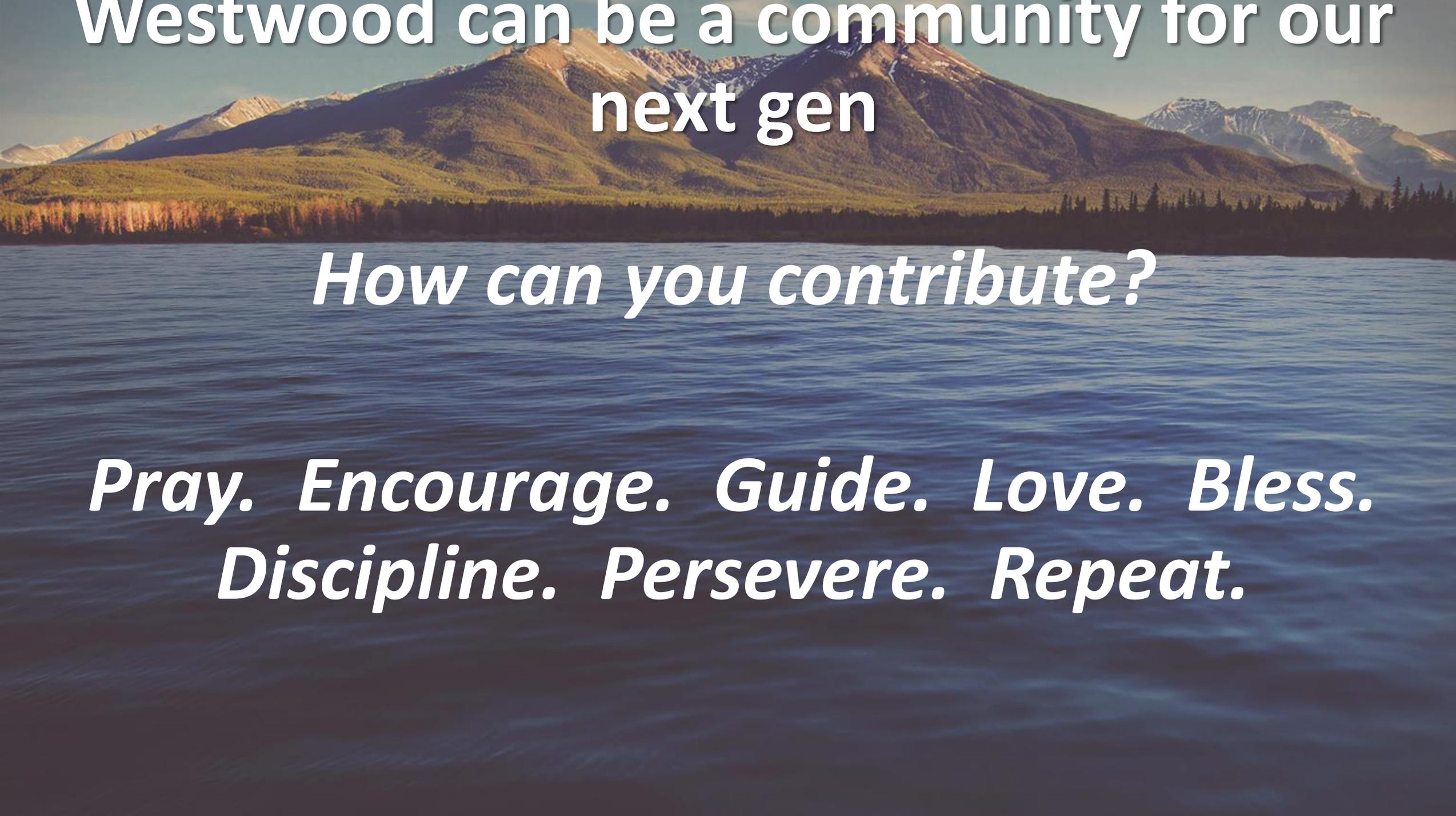


What tools must we need?

Affirmation



Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen (Eph. 4:29).



**Westwood can be a community for our
next gen**

How can you contribute?

***Pray. Encourage. Guide. Love. Bless.
Discipline. Persevere. Repeat.***