

PARENTS RAISING/DISCIPLING A STRONG-WILLED CHILD

The following strategies come from Biblical Parenting:

Some kids who tend to be strong-willed require strong-willed parents to guide them to adulthood. If your child seems bent on doing the wrong thing, here are some parenting strategies you'll want to keep in mind:

1. Pray diligently.
2. Work on building a strong relationship.
3. Enforce firm boundaries and talk about your convictions.
4. Have a good correction plan.
5. Help children see long-term consequences.
6. Use a crisis for good.
7. Be bold enough to say "NO."

It is indeed hard work but these strategies will bless your child for years to come. When you focus on the conscience, good things happen!