

Your Kids 3 Greatest Needs

3 Needs	What?	How?	Why?	3 Desires of Parents	Result
<p>TIME (Attention)</p> <p>Attention is being physically there for your kids</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Publicly Unending Unconditional Privately Unplanned Unrivaled 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Attend Assert Allow <p>Engaging →</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Feeling of acceptance Accept them unconditionally Developing of abilities (doing-success) Sense of self-awareness 	<p>Relationship</p> <p>Instruction</p> <p>→</p>	<p>We have to be intentional</p> <p>→</p>
<p>TOUCH (Affection)</p> <p>Affection is being there emotionally For your kids.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Simple Affection Strong Correction (Prov.22:15) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Acknowledge Address Aggression <p>Embracing →</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Feeling of approval Approve of them wholeheartedly Developing an attachment Sense of agreement 		<p>We get to be influential</p> <p>→</p>
<p>TALK (Affirmation)</p> <p>Affirmation is being Spiritually there for your kids.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> About God (God Talk) About Themselves (self talk) <p>Express "you are" praise</p> <p>Matt. 3:17 – "This is my son"</p> <p>The blessing – I love you – you are good at; I am proud you are mine (Ill. Walter)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Express Explain Encourage Approve of them Applaud them Ask them Announce to them Accept them <p>Explaining →</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Feelings about God Develop an attitude about themselves Sense of achievements in life Answers about God and self 	<p>Influence</p> <p>Solutions</p> <p>→</p>	<p>We want to be inspirational</p> <p>→</p>

Unmet Needs

What Happens When Their 3 Great Needs are Unmet: (Lack of)

<u>Lack of:</u>	<u>Defined:</u>	<u>Is:</u>	<u>Creates:</u>	<u>Produces:</u>	<u>Develops a need for:</u>	<u>Dominant Character Trait</u>
<u>Time (Attention)</u>	Time is being <u>physically</u> there for your kids.	<u>Neglect</u>	A void, expressed in anger	Feelings of rejection	<u>Attachments (unmet)</u> (Drugs, money, sex, etc.) (Needy and excessive)	<u>Needy & Excessive</u>
<u>Touch (Affection)</u>	Touch is being <u>emotionally</u> there for your kids.	<u>Not Normal</u>	A <u>violent</u> streak, expressed in actions and a <u>victim</u> mentality, expressed in attitude	Feelings of <u>isolation</u>	<u>Affections (unnatural)</u> •Suicidal •Criminal •Homosexual (Mean and sad)	<u>Mean & Sad</u> Heb. 12
<u>Talk (Affirmation)</u>	Talk is being <u>spiritually</u> there for your kids. Deut.6	<u>Neutrality</u>	A vacuum, expressed in apathy	Feelings of confusion	<u>Answers (unending)</u> About God, Bible, purpose and meaning of life. (Vulnerable and skeptical)	<u>Vulnerable & Skeptical</u>

*Issues come from a combination of a lack of these three needs.

*Christian growth is identifying and overcoming these needs, and dealing with them in the Lord.

*You are where you came from, and God takes the good and uses it, and takes the bad and changes it.