

Parenting Self-Assessment

Read the following assessment questions and indicate Yes or No.

After you've completed this assessment, discuss the results with your spouse or a trusted friend. Talk about any changes that are needed and make specific plans for what those changes will look like.

- 1. I spend regular, quality, uninterrupted time alone with my spouse at least once a week [if married].
- 2. I spend regular, quality, uninterrupted time with my children at least once a week.
- 3. I know who my children's friends are, what they're doing in school, and the stresses they're under.
- 4. My spouse and children truly know me. I share with them my feelings and concerns.
- 5. I'm approachable to my spouse and family. They're not hesitant to vulnerably share their feelings or to approach me when I've offended them.
- 6. I keep up with and give priority to family birthdays and other special occasions.
- 7. I spend regular, quality time deepening my intimate walk with God and becoming equipped in His Word.
- 8. I seek to share Christ with others in word and by example. I start by sharing Christ with my family.
- 9. My checkbook, ministry commitments, TV, and reading habits reflect my love for God and devotion to my family.
- 10. I often use my discretionary time to "enter into my family's world" and do what they want to do.