NEHEMIAH FAMILY WORSHIP GUIDE WEEK 7

MEMORY VERSE:

Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ.

COLOSSIANS 3:23-24

As we continue to walk through the book of Nehemiah, we are learning more about **prayer**. We continue to see that "God will do **whatever** it takes to fix our eyes on **Him**." In Chapter 7 of Nehemiah, we see many factions of God's people returning to Jerusalem from exile. We see the importance of God-fearing leaders being put in place.

In chapter 7 we see God's people being **RESTORED** to the land God had promised them generations before, more importantly we see a **RECONCILIATION** of God's chosen people back to right relationship with him. Nehemiah recognizes that in order for God's people to remain **FAITHFUL** they must be led by those who fear God, that is those who have reverence for God and His will for His people.

The same is true for us now. In order for us to live in God's will and find our **PURPOSE** in HIm we must first know Him. Out of knowing him we will revere(fear/respect) Him. Out of reverence we will obey Him. In **OBEDIENCE** to him we fin our purpose.

Set aside time to **PRAY** this week, both individually and as a family to God. This may look like taking time before dinner, or first thing in the morning to pray together.

AS YOU PRAY:

- Ask God to show you clearly where your weaknesses in obedience to His will are and REPENT.
- Ask God to humble you so that you may lead only out of reverence to Him.

OHANA ACTIVITY:

SHARE WHAT GOD HAS DONE:

Serving one another humbly.

Each day have one family member ask another family member what their least favorite chore is and do it for them, to the best of your ability.

Leading others well means sometimes doing things we don't necessarily like to do, but when we work hard to serve others in the fear of the lord we bring God glory.