

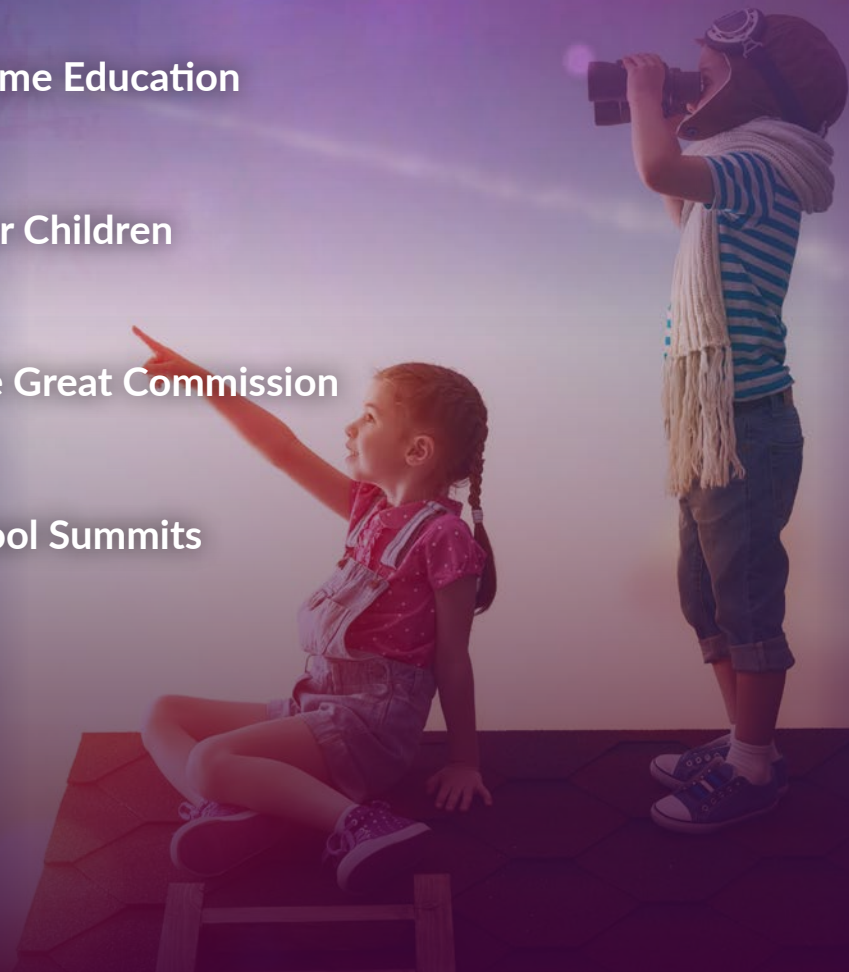
# *Event Playbook*

THE  
Homeschool   
OF THE *Future*  
AN ONLINE SUMMIT

APRIL 4-8, 2022

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# *Homeschooling in the 2020s hits different.*

We've had a taste of the future that's coming toward us at lightspeed, with its hurling mass of anti-God culture aiming to crush our families ... and our own failures ever-ready to add to the mess.

## **What in the world can we do?**

We need to remember: our homeschools are actually undercover launch zones for not-of-this-world servants of our Lord Jesus Christ, and His Word and His Spirit are up for the job.

*So, take a breath – and then join us for this:*

THE  
Homeschool   
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AN ONLINE SUMMIT

a week-long boot camp training to

*refuel* our vision,

*refine* our strategy, and

*recharge* our energy

for taking the glorious Gospel to the ends of the earth,  
starting with our kids.

## *Get ready for the future!*

## Event Schedule

Time CST	Title	Speaker
<b>Monday, April 4th: Kick-Off Keynote</b>		
4:00 PM	Truth Changes Everything! How World-Changing Christians Inspire Hope in a Dark Time	Jeff Myers
<b>Tuesday, April 5th: Future of Family Discipleship</b>		
9:00 AM	Why Family-Based Discipleship is Still ... Always the Biblical Choice, the Best Choice	Kevin Swanson
10:30 AM	Deuteronomy 6 Revisited: Beware the Worship of Ease	Rachael Carman
12:00 PM	Divided Nation: Cultures in Chaos and a Conflicted Church	Ken Ham
2:00 PM	The Future of Family Freedoms	Michael Farris
3:30 PM	Parenting Formulas, Fads, and the Gospel Foundation of Discipleship: What God Has Taught Us Through the Last 50 Years of Homeschooling	Israel Wayne
Bonus	Common Causes of False CPS Reports and How to Avoid Them	Bradley Pierce
<b>Wednesday, April 6th: Future of Home Education</b>		
9:00 AM	Education in a Postmodern World: The Essential Role of Parents in Preserving Truth and Learning for the Next Generation	Al Mohler
10:30 AM	Saving Science: Why Christians Matter to the Study of Science	Calvin Beisner
12:00 PM	Saving History: Why Christians Matter to the Study of History	George Grant
2:00 PM	Co-ops, Pods, Hybrid, Microschool, Online, Textbooks: Retaining Parent-Led Home Discipleship Through the Educational Buffet	Tauna Meyer
3:30 PM	When a Free Lunch Isn't Free	Brian Ray
Bonus	The Power of Kingdom-Focused Moms	Zan Tyler - BJU

## Event Schedule

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<b>Thursday, April 7th: Future of Our Children</b>		
9:00 AM	Sex, Gender, and the Image of God: Discipling Children to Think Critically About Gender Identity	Christopher Yuan
10:30 AM	Taming the Techno Beast	Todd Wilson
12:00 PM	An Education for the Future, Not the Past: How to Prepare Your Children for Life Beyond Homeschooling	Jonathan Brush
2:00 PM	Culture Shock: How to Equip Your Kids to Thrive in a Post-Christian Era	Heidi St. John
3:30 PM	A Kingdom Career: Preparing Children to Work for Jesus	Generations Panel: Daniel & Megan Craig, Chad Roach, Bill Roach
<b>Friday, April 8th: Future of the Great Commission</b>		
9:00 AM	Responding to Wokeism With the Gospel	Voddie Baucham
10:30 AM	Discipling Disciple-Makers in the 21st Century	Nancy Campbell
12:00 PM	Why Zoom "Church" Won't Work ... Now ... Or Ever	Scott Brown
2:00 PM	Raising the Next Generation of Hudson Taylors	Eric & Leslie Ludy
3:30 PM	Plant Gardens: Every Reason for Optimism, Hope, and Generational Faith for the Future	Kevin Swanson



# Meet Your Hosts

Your hosts for Homeschool Summits meet with each speaker over video chat right at home to hear their wisdom and ask them personalized questions – essentially your own personal guides through the Summit. Get to know them a little here:



## *Daniel & Megan*

“We’re in the throes of learning what it means to raise a family to the glory of God; as homeschool grads ourselves, we have a great burden to build on all our parents taught us as we raise our three children. We’re eager to take our passions for home education, discipleship, and the Church to impact this generation and the ones to come for Jesus Christ!”

## *Todd & Jessie*

“We’ve homeschooled our eight children from the start, with two daughters who’ve graduated. We’re thankful to God for the blessing of teaching our children how God influences every aspect of life, fulfilling Deuteronomy 6:7 and Psalm 1, to see future generations strengthened for building the Kingdom of God.”



## *Brandee*

“My husband, Roy, and I are fourth-generation cattle ranchers, and I spend my days homeschooling my cowpoke sons, praying for them to be warriors for Christ and passionate learners. It’s my joy to speak truth with love and laughter for other parents on the same homeschooling journey!”



# Kick-Off Keynote

## Truth Changes Everything! How World-Changing Christians Inspire Hope in a Dark Time

### *Things to Learn:*

- Understanding the cultural battle we face
- How to evaluate for objective Truth
- Action steps to teach our children Truth

### *Takeaways:*

- Our goal in homeschooling is for our children to recognize that God is sovereign and prepare them to rise up to the challenges of life and stand up for justice and others around them.
- We are not called to change the whole world. God is in charge of the world.
- Jesus calls us to make the most of every opportunity while we remain in these dark times.

### *Recommended Resources:*

- *Truth Changes Everything* by Dr. Jeff Myers
- *The Christian Virtuoso* by Dr. Robert Boyle
- Natasha Crain books
- Youth With a Mission books
- [Summit.org](https://www.summit.org)
- [Dr. Jeff Show](#)
- [Reflect](#)
- [Summit.org/hs](https://www.summit.org/hs) - use coupon code hs2022

### *Notes:*



### **DR. JEFF MYERS**

#### **Summit Ministries**

*Dr. Jeff Myers is president of Summit Ministries and is 100% sold out to preparing the next generation to reflect the character of Christ in the culture. He is the author of 14 books, including the Understanding the Times series which gives biblical worldview training. Dr. Myers holds a Doctor of Philosophy degree from the University of Denver. Jeff, his wife, Stephanie, and their family live in Colorado.*

# Future of Family Discipleship

## Why Family-Based Discipleship is Still ... Always the Biblical Choice, the Best Choice

### Things to Learn:

- How COVID has changed education
- Addressing the importance of family discipleship
- Why life integration is needed in homeschooling

### Takeaways:

- When there is an opportunity for the Gospel to grow the enemy is always going to show up too.
- Whatever changes or shifts come, disciple on.
- Homeschooling is the restoration of truth and discipleship.

### Recommended Resource:

- [Generations.org](https://www.generations.org)

### Notes:



### KEVIN SWANSON

#### Generations

*Homeschooled in the 1960s and 70s, Kevin Swanson and his wife, Brenda, have just finished homeschooling their own five children. Kevin has 44 years of experience in the homeschooling movement and serves as the director of Generations, a ministry he founded to strengthen homeschool families around the country. As a father who wants to leave a godly heritage for his own children, Kevin's passion is to strengthen and encourage the homeschooling movement all over the world and to cast a vision for generations to come. For the last 19 years, Kevin has hosted a radio program – Generations Radio – the world's largest homeschooling and biblical worldview program that reaches families across the US and in over 100 countries. He has also authored several popular books for homeschoolers, including: Freedom, Apostate, Upgrade: 10 Secrets to the Best Education for Your Child, the Family Bible Study Guide series, Epoch, and others.*



# Future of Family Discipleship

## Deuteronomy 6 Revisited: Beware the Worship of Ease

### *Things to Learn:*

- Understanding the context of Deuteronomy 6 and why it's so important
- Finding out how you and your family can be agents of change in the world for the Lord
- Recognizing how to take advantage of teaching opportunities as a homeschool parent

### *Takeaways:*

- You get to pursue the heart of your children for His glory.
- The most important thing we can do for our kids is to teach them to love God. So therefore, dare to start the mornings off with the Lord and in His Word.
- We are called to teach our children intentionally and diligently about God.
- God is inviting you to partner with Him to do something remarkable. It doesn't have to do with you feeling equipped or capable because He'll give you the ability.

### *Recommended Resources:*

- [RachaelCarman.com](http://RachaelCarman.com)
- [Bible Curriculum](#)
- [Apologia.com](http://Apologia.com)

### *Notes:*



### **RACHAEL CARMAN**

#### **Apologia**

*Rachael Carman is a respected speaker and author who has traveled the world, speaking at conferences, retreats, and teaching God's Word to parents and children. She has a passion for encouraging moms to dive into motherhood fully and thrive by remaining at the foot of the throne of God. A mom of seven and "Coco" to three, Rachael is a twenty-six-year homeschool veteran who is still energized by affirming, encouraging, and equipping the next generation of homeschooling families to answer the call. She and her husband, Davis, own Apologia Educational Ministries, a leading publisher of award-winning, creation-based curricula for home educators.*

# Future of Family Discipleship

## Divided Nation: Cultures in Chaos and a Conflicted Church

### *Things to Learn:*

- Recognizing the myth that Christians can be neutral
- Understanding the foundation of a worldview
- Steps to prepare your children to have answers in the anti-God culture

### *Takeaways:*

- This is not a beautiful world, it's an ugly world. It was a beautiful world and now it's a fallen world.
- As parents, we need to be intentional and diligent about ensuring our children's education is from a biblical worldview.
- We need to raise up a generation that thinks foundationally from God's Word and is equipped with answers.

### *Recommended Resources:*

- *Will They Stand* by Ken Ham
- *Divided Nations: Cultures in Chaos and a Conflicted Church* by Ken Ham
- *Creation to Babel: A Commentary for Families* by Ken Ham
- *One Blood for Kids* by Ken Ham
- *Dinosaurs for Kids* by Ken Ham
- *The Flood of Evidence* by Ken Ham
- [AnswersInGenesis.org](http://AnswersInGenesis.org)
- [Answers Bible Curriculum for Homeschool](#)
- [Answers Sunday School Curriculum](#)
- [The Kids Answers books](#)
- [Answers for Teens books](#)
- [Answers books 1-4](#)

### *Notes:*



### **KEN HAM**

#### **Answers in Genesis**

*The CEO and founder of Answers in Genesis-US, the highly acclaimed Creation Museum, and the world-renowned Ark Encounter, Ken Ham is the author of more than 25 books and an in-demand Christian speaker.*

# Future of Family Discipleship

## Future of Family Freedoms

### *Things to Learn:*

- Seeing how God has shown up in political battles
- Why understanding, fighting for, and passing down liberty to your children is important
- Action steps to disciple your children to maintain a biblical worldview in our culture today

### *Takeaways:*

- Raise your children to value liberty. If you raise a generation that doesn't value liberty, they will not stand up for it.
- The most successful way of passing on your spiritual fervor and identity to your children is for them to see you, their parents, making sacrificial choices because God requires it.
- Fear is a lot of work. It's so much easier to walk in confidence before God. So don't walk in fear. Don't buy what people are selling. Walk with confidence in Him.

### *Recommended Resources:*

- *Almost Christian* by Kenda Creasy Dean
- [Homeschool Legal Defense – HSLDA](#)
- [Alliance Defending Freedom – ADF](#)

### *Notes:*



### **MICHAEL FARRIS**

#### **Alliance Defending Freedom**

*Michael P. Farris is president and CEO of Alliance Defending Freedom. He brings to the role a remarkably diverse background as an effective litigator, educator, public advocate, pastor, and communicator, as well as wide recognition for his successful work on both the national and international stage. Farris was founding president of both the Home School Legal Defense Association (1983) and Patrick Henry College (2000) and continues to serve as chairman of the board of HSLDA and chancellor emeritus of PHC. Farris is the author of over 15 books, as well as law reviews, other scholarly articles, and countless pieces for the popular press. He and his wife, Vickie, have 10 children and many grandchildren.*



# Future of Family Discipleship

## Parenting Formulas, Fads, and the Gospel Foundation of Discipleship: What God Has Taught Us Through the Last 50 Years of Homeschooling

### Things to Learn:

- Evaluating the changes in homeschooling over the past five decades
- Why we need discipline
- Understanding the difference between training towards outward behavior and addressing the heart

### Takeaways:

- It is the sin of pride and selfishness that brought Christ to the cross. Recognizing this in yourself and with your child gives you a chance to talk about everyone's need for Christ.
- We need to shift from a model/paradigm of control when our children are young to a paradigm of influence when they are older.
- A season in a child's life is not their whole story. There will be messy chapters, and in those times we need to stand vigilant in prayer and trust in Him.
- God doesn't hold us accountable for the outcome, He holds us accountable for the process and our obedience to Him.

### Recommended Resources:

- *Answers for Homeschooling* by Israel Wanye
- *Homeschooling God's Way* by Israel Wanye
- Family Renewal Podcast
- [Family Renewal YouTube](#)
- [Family Renewal Website](#)
  - [History of the Homeschool Movement](#)

### Notes:



### ISRAEL WAYNE

#### Family Renewal

*Israel Wayne is a homeschool graduate and father of eleven who is passionate about defending the Christian faith and helping others develop a biblical worldview.*

*He is the Director of Family Renewal and author of the books *Answers for Homeschooling: Top 25 Questions Critics Ask*, *Education: Does God Have an Opinion*, and *Raising Them Up: Parenting for Christians, among others*.*

# Future of Family Discipleship

## Common Causes of False CPS Reports and How to Avoid Them

### *Things to Learn:*

- How to avoid the most common causes of false CPS reports
- What to do if a social worker knocks on your door
- How to handle a false CPS report

### *Takeaways:*

- Innocent families typically are the ones who are being investigated. This is something we need to be prepared for.
- As Christians, we are called to foresee evil and prepare for it.
- The Lord doesn't call us to live a life of fear, but of power, strength, and a sound mind.

### *Recommended Resource:*

- [HeritageDefense.org](http://HeritageDefense.org)

### *Notes:*



### **BRADLEY PIERCE**

#### **Heritage Defense**

*Bradley Pierce is a co-founding attorney of Heritage Defense. Since his licensure in 2007, Bradley has defended the parental rights of Christian homeschooling families around the country against threats by social services. Bradley and his wife, Cindy, are homeschool graduates who are now blessed to homeschool their own ten children.*

# Future of Home Education

## Education in a Postmodern World: The Essential Role of Parents in Preserving Truth and Learning for the Next Generation

### *Things to Learn:*

- Recognizing relativism within our culture
- Addressing the biblical roles parents play in disciplining and educating their children
- Why Christian parents should have hope

### *Takeaways:*

- Ultimately, our foundation can't be reason. It has to be God.
- We need to ground our children in the confidence that God created this real world for us to know and understand it.
- One of the most glorious things you can do as a Christian is to engage with others.
- Right in your home, there is more power than in all the facilities in the world.

### *Recommended Resources:*

- [The Briefing Podcast](#)
- *The Gathering Storms* by Dr. Al Mohler

### *Notes:*



### **DR. ALBERT MOHLER**

**Boyce College/The Southern Baptist  
Theological Seminary**

*R. Albert Mohler Jr. is the president of The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. He is an esteemed authority on contemporary issues and has been recognized by such influential publications as Time and Christianity Today as a leader among American evangelicals. In addition to his presidential duties, he is a professor of Christian theology and hosts two programs: The Briefing, a daily analysis of news and events from a Christian worldview; and Thinking in Public, a series of conversations with the day's leading thinkers. Dr. Mohler has authored numerous books, his most recent being The Gathering Storm: Secularism, Culture, and the Church, The Apostles' Creed: Discovering Authentic Christianity in an Age of Counterfeit, The Prayer that Turns the World Upside Down, and a two-volume commentary on the book of Acts. He served as the General Editor of the Grace and Truth Study Bible. He also writes a popular blog and a regular commentary on moral, cultural, and theological issues.*



# Future of Home Education

## Saving Science: Why Christians Matter to the Study of Science

### Things to Learn:

- Understanding what science truly means and how it's changed over time
- How to give your children a solid grounding in science
- Addressing the concerns parents face about their children going into a science-related career
- How to navigate when the Bible and science seem to contradict each other

### Takeaways:

- We need to be committed to the absolute authority and inerrancy of the Bible. If we are committed to that we can take all the little attacks that come.
- Science aims to glorify God by knowing His creation and using it to glorify Him and serve our neighbor.
- It is imperative to the restoration of liberty in this country that parents assume responsibility and take their children out of government schools.
- The scientific world is losing its rationality as the inherent weakness of the materialist worldview begins to show itself.

### Recommended Resources:

- *Three Types of Religious Philosophy* by Gordon H. Clark
- *Miracles* by C.S. Lewis
- *The Westminster Confession of Faith*
- John Warwick Montgomery
- *Come Let Us Reason* by Dr. Norman L. Geisler & Ronald M. Brooks
- *The Center for Western Studies* by John Hodges
- *What Can Theology Say to Science About Climate Change?* by E. Calvin Beisner

### Notes:



### CALVIN BEISNER

#### The Cornwall Alliance for the Stewardship of Creation

*E. Calvin Beisner, Ph.D., is president and national spokesman of The Cornwall Alliance for the Stewardship of Creation, which he founded in 2005. Former Associate Professor of Interdisciplinary Studies at Covenant College (1992-2000) and of Historical Theology and Social Ethics at Knox Theological Seminary (2000-2008), he is respected for his interdisciplinary studies in theology, philosophy, history, economics, environmental science, and political thought. He has lectured for scores of colleges, schools, churches, and other organizations on four continents, and is the author of some 20 books and thousands of articles, technical and popular, as well as a frequent guest on radio and television talk shows.*

# Future of Home Education

## Saving History: Why Christians Matter to the Study of History

### Things to Learn:

- Addressing the concerns of history being rewritten
- Why history is so valuable
- Practical tips for giving your children a solid grounding in history

### Takeaways:

- How we tell and understand stories of the past will affect our trajectory of the future.
- The Bible is filled with the rise and fall of nations to remind us of God's faithfulness. It reminds us that He brings justice to an unjust world.
- History teaches us that we should expect that God keeps His promises. We should expect that God honors faithfulness. We should expect covenantal succession.

### Recommended Resources:

- Historical authors to read:
  - G.A. Henty
  - R. M. Ballantyne
  - Arthur Quiller Couch
- Classics:
  - *Plutarch's Lives*
  - *Don Quixote* by Miguel de Cervantes
  - *Paradise Lost* by John Milton
  - *The Labyrinth of the World* by John Amos Comenius
  - *Pilgrim's Progress* by John Bunyan
- [Standfast.com](http://Standfast.com)
- Curriculum:
  - [Veritas](http://Veritas)
  - [Logos Press](http://Logos Press)

### Notes:



### GEORGE GRANT

#### Standfast

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# Future of Home Education

## Co-ops, Pods, Hybrid, Microschool, Online, Textbooks: Retaining Parent-Led Home Discipleship Through the Educational Buffet

### Things to Learn:

- Pros and cons of using technology in your homeschooling
- Navigating the overwhelm of different homeschooling opportunities
- Remembering the essential roles parents play in the discipleship and education of their children

### Takeaways:

- Regardless of what getting in God's Word looks like, just do it! It doesn't need to be perfect. Make it a priority everyday.
- Just start. It doesn't have to be perfect or "right." Just pick one thing and start.
- When we faithfully submit to Him, He will faithfully provide.

### Recommended Resources:

- [Generations](#)
- [Masterbooks](#)
- [Door Post](#)
- [Answers in Genesis](#)
- [Bible Road Trip](#)
- [Sound Words for Kids](#) by Proverbial Homemaker
- [Proverbial Homemaker](#)

### Notes:



### TAUNA MEYER

#### Proverbial Homemaker

*Tauna Meyer is the founder of ProverbialHomemaker.com and a homeschooling mom of six. Her goal is to provide relatable encouragement and realistic, practical tools to bless moms! Tauna has a particular passion for helping moms overcome the hurdles that keep them from homeschooling successfully, all while pointing themselves and their children to Christ. She and her husband, Aaron, also serve on the leadership team for the Oregon Christian Home Education Association Network (OCEANetwork), working to encourage families and helping to protect and expand homeschool freedoms in Oregon.*



# Future of Home Education

## When a Free Lunch Isn't Free

### *Things to Learn:*

- Understanding the foundation for education
- Why government funding is dangerous
- Practical tips for homeschooling when finances are tight

### *Takeaways:*

- Education is based on what you believe to be real and what you believe to be of value.
- The beauty of homeschooling is it creates a freedom space for you and your children.
- Parents, regardless of their worldviews, are called to educate their children.

### *Recommended Resource:*

- [National Home Education Research Institute](#)

### *Notes:*



### **DR. BRIAN RAY**

#### **National Home Education Research Institute**

*Dr. Brian Ray is a leading international expert in research on homeschooling and President of the National Home Education Research Institute (NHERI). Dr. Ray serves as an expert witness in court cases, and testifies to legislators regarding education. He has published numerous articles and books, and has been interviewed by major media on the topic of homeschooling. He is a former university professor and public and private school classroom teacher. He holds a Ph.D. (science education, Oregon State University), a M.S. (zoology, Ohio University), and a B.S. (biology, University of Puget Sound), and is a church leader. Brian and Betsy have been married 43 years, have eight children who were all home educated, run a small farm, and have 17 grandchildren. Dr. Ray really enjoys wandering with Betsy, his wife, in the forests and mountains on adventures.*

# Future of Home Education

## The Power of Kingdom-Focused Moms

### Things to Learn:

- Becoming a kingdom-focused mom
- Lessons from Noah on building things that will last
- Discover God-given tools for eternal work in our home and communities

### Takeaways:

- God is in this homeschooling thing. God is bigger than the problems you're having and He wants to use homeschooling in this country. He will protect and guide your family.
- We can get overwhelmed by the tyranny of the urgent and build up things in our mind that aren't true.
- The Lord is faithful to lead us as we wander, to give us purpose and help to fulfill that purpose, and to show us things we never thought we could do.

### Recommended Resources:

- [Homeworks Through Precepts](#)
- [BJU Press Homeschool](#)

### Notes:



**ZAN TYLER**  
BJU Press

*Zan Tyler homeschooled her three children from kindergarten through high school for a total of 21 years. When Zan began homeschooling in 1984, she was threatened with jail by the State Superintendent of Education in SC. Little did she know then that this would lead to an eight-year journey of freedom-fighting for homeschoolers in her state. Zan founded the South Carolina Association of Independent Home Schools (SCAIHS), which allows homeschoolers to homeschool legally and with tons of support – without ever having to interact with the public school system. Zan also founded Excelsior Academy (co-op) in the 1990s, which is still going strong today. It is a great generational blessing to Zan and Joe that their grandchildren are now members of SCAIHS and Excelsior. Zan is currently working with BJU Press Homeschool and HomeWorks by Precept as an ambassador, and helps with writing projects for HSLDA. Encouraging homeschool moms is a driving purpose in her life because she truly believes that homeschool moms are kingdom builders.*

# Future of Our Children

## Sex, Gender, and the Image of God: Discipling Children to Think Critically About Gender Identity

### *Things to Learn:*

- What our children will need to know as they are bombarded with our current world's concepts and ideas of sexuality
- How to disciple our children to better understand this world and help them think biblically and critically about gender identity
- How sex, gender, norms and roles play into a Biblical view of identity

### *Recommended Resource:*

- [ChristopherYuan.com](http://ChristopherYuan.com)

### *Notes:*



**CHRISTOPHER YUAN**  
Bearer of Christ Ministries

*Christopher Yuan, DMin, graduated from Moody Bible Institute in 2005 and received a master's in Biblical Exegesis in 2007 and a doctorate of ministry in 2014. Dr. Yuan taught the Bible at Moody Bible Institute for 12 years and his speaking ministry on faith and sexuality has reached 5 continents.*

*He has co-authored with his mother their memoir, *Out of a Far Country: A Gay Son's Journey to God, A Broken Mother's Search for Hope*, which has sold over 100,000 copies and is now in eight languages. Dr. Yuan's newest book, *Holy Sexuality and the Gospel: Sex, Desire, and Relationships Shaped by God's Grand Story*, was named 2020 Book of the Year for Social Issues by Outreach Magazine.*

# Future of Our Children

## Taming the Techno-Beast

### *Things to Learn:*

- Learning what danger technology poses to homeschoolers
- A battle plan for fighting the “techno-beast”
- Understanding the importance of engaging with your children

### *Takeaways:*

- Don’t allow your children to be “chained” to their phones — you want them to be ENGAGED in life and in relationships.
- If you have that small voice saying, “it feels out of control,” that’s the voice of the Lord and you can do something about it. Through Him you will have the strength to fight and stand strong.
- Keep smiling because you have a lot to smile about.

### *Recommended Resources:*

- [ScreenStrong.com](http://ScreenStrong.com)
- [TheSmilingHomeschooler.com](http://TheSmilingHomeschooler.com)
- [FamilyMan.com](http://FamilyMan.com)
- Podcasts:
  - [The Smiling Homeschooler](#)
  - [The Family Man](#)
- *Taming the Techno Beast* book
- *Taming the Techno Beast Kids’* workbook

### *Notes:*



### **TODD WILSON**

#### **The Smiling Homeschooler**

*Todd Wilson, is a dad, granddad, writer, conference speaker, and former pastor. Todd’s humor and down-to-earth realness have made him a favorite speaker at homeschool conventions, retreats, and churches across the country. As founder of Familyman Ministries and the Smiling Homeschooler, his passion and mission are to remind dads and moms of what’s most important through weekly emails, seminars, books, and encouraging products.*

*Todd, and his wife Debbie, homeschool three of their eight children (five have graduated from their homeschool with four married) in northern Indiana and travel America in the FamilyMan Mobile.*



# Future of Our Children

## An Education for the Future, Not the Past: How to Prepare Your Children for Life Beyond Homeschooling

### *Things to Learn:*

- The status of education in the 2020s
- Understanding the purpose of higher education
- Connecting training with God's calling

### *Takeaways:*

- The purpose of education is ultimately training and gaining skills to serve better, which allows us to live out the command to love God and love your neighbor.
- The ultimate goal of education is to teach you to learn complicated information quickly and effectively.
- God calls us to be extraordinary at ordinary things.

### *Recommended Resource:*

- [BeUnbound.us](https://BeUnbound.us)

### *Notes:*



### **JONATHAN BRUSH**

#### **Be Unbound**

*Jonathan Brush is a Christ follower, husband, father, and foster parent. He is a homeschool graduate and a homeschool dad (with two graduates of his own).*

*He worked for over a decade in traditional higher education as a Director of Admissions for a private, selective, liberal arts college and now has over a decade of experience in non-traditional higher education.*

*Jonathan is the President and CEO of Unbound, an education company that specializes in project-based education.*

# Future of Our Children

## Culture Shock: How to Equip Your Kids to Thrive in a Post-Christian Era

### Things to Learn:

- Understanding what exactly our culture is and how it has infiltrated the public school system
- Tools to equip your children to live in a post-Christian era
- The key to opening our spiritual eyes

### Takeaways:

- Education is not neutral. It never has been and never will be. Therefore we must be vigilant in what we teach our children.
- Discernment is not knowing the difference between right and wrong – but right and almost right.
- God gave your kids to you for a reason. They need to know that you love them and that you aren't afraid to have these hard conversations.
- You cannot pass on what you don't possess.

### Recommended Resources:

- Constitutional Life Class by Rick Green from Patriot Academy
- [HeidiStJohn.com](http://HeidiStJohn.com)
  - Mom Strong International Bible Study
  - Heidi St. John Podcast
  - [HeidiStJohnForCongress.com](http://HeidiStJohnForCongress.com)

### Notes:



### HEIDI ST. JOHN

#### Heidi St. John

*As a popular author and speaker, Heidi St. John has been speaking on marriage, family, and cultural issues for over 15 years. Her passion to encourage moms and set them free to boldly become who God has created them to be will challenge and encourage you. Heidi has been married to her college sweetheart since 1989, and their family now includes seven children and three grandchildren!*

*Jay and Heidi reside just outside of beautiful Vancouver, Washington. Heidi is the author of seven books, with Bible Promises for Moms being the latest in the MomStrong collection. She has also recently released Prayers for the Battlefield: Staying MomStrong in the Fight for Your Family and Your Faith and Becoming MomStrong: How to Fight With All That's In You For Your Family and Your Faith, which focuses on helping mothers build a solid biblical foundation for their families. Join Heidi at MomStrong International, an online ministry where thousands of women come together for weekly Bible Studies, online and in real life fellowship.*

# Future of Our Children

## A Kingdom Career: Preparing Children to Work for Jesus

### Things to Learn:

- Addressing working for Jesus rather than for self
- Recognizing how homeschooling equips children with valuable life skills
- Practical ways to incorporate life training into your homeschool

### Takeaways:

- Serving fused with holy boldness opens up doors to new opportunities in life. Sitting around just waiting won't open any doors.
- There is an art to learning how to learn and homeschooling cultivates the perfect environment to do so.
- Don't succumb to the philosophy that work is a drudgery. Work is a blessing and joy we get to use to bless others.
- Parenting is an act of faith and faith requires stretching.

### Recommended Resources:

- *The Shaping of a Christian Family* by Elisabeth Elliot

### Notes:

### PANEL: DANIEL & MEGAN CRAIG WITH CHAD ROACH AND BILL ROACH

#### Generations



Chad Roach was homeschooled his entire life and now homeschools 4 children with his wife Becky. As a serial entrepreneur, Chad has started numerous businesses in real estate, finance, and investments. His passion is to serve the

Kingdom of God through the business sphere and to develop strong family-based businesses where families can work and serve together. Several of Chad's businesses include [Cornerstone Bullion](#) (a gold and silver bullion brokerage that he operates with his dad Bill), [Living Water Car Wash](#) (an express tunnel car wash chain), and [Cornerstone Capital](#) (a real estate development and investment firm).



Bill Roach has served as president of Generations from its inception. Bill continues to run two businesses with sales in excess of \$30 million/year. Bill and his family work in various family businesses and enjoy the blessing and challenge of working with each other. Even as the older ones get married, the Roaches have been blessed to continue to minister and work together. The heart's cry for Bill and his wife Shalyn is to continue to see more families draw closer together in discipleship, family economy, and the church community as they grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.

# Future of the Great Commission

## Responding to Wokeism With the Gospel

### Things to Learn:

- Understanding the true definition of wokeness
- How Marxism has crept into the church
- Action steps to raise our children to courageously stand up for truth with love

### Takeaways:

- Christians may use biblical words, but these words can be infused with a different meaning. For example, justice, which we are called to, is very different from social justice.
- We have the opportunity to educate our children on the dangers of Marxism, to equip and prepare them, and to walk them through history properly to help them understand Marxism correctly.
- We need to identify false ideologies, mark them, oppose them, and destroy them!
- Be encouraged, the kingdom of God has never been defeated and never will be defeated!

### Recommended Resources:

- *Fault Lines* by Voddie Bauchman
- *Expository Apologetics* by Voddie Bauchman
- *Christianity and Social Justice: Religions in Conflict* by Jon Harris
- *Social Justice Goes To Church* by Jon Harris
- *Christianity and Wokeness* by Owen Strachan
- [New Discourses](#)

### Notes:



### VODDIE BAUCHAM

#### Voddie Baucham Ministries

*Voddie Baucham wears many hats. He is a husband, father, former pastor, author, professor, conference speaker, and church planter. He currently serves as Dean of Theology at African Christian University in Lusaka, Zambia.*

*Voddie makes the Bible clear and demonstrates the relevance of God's Word to everyday life. However, he does so without compromising the centrality of Christ and the Gospel.*

*Those who hear him preach find themselves both challenged and encouraged. Voddie's area of emphasis is cultural apologetics. Whether teaching on classical apologetic issues, like the validity and historicity of the Bible, the resurrection of Christ, biblical manhood/womanhood, or marriage and the family, he helps ordinary people understand the significance of thinking and living biblically in every area of life. Voddie and his wife Bridget have been married since 1989. They have nine children: Jasmine, Trey (Voddie, III), Elijah, Asher, Judah, Micah, Safya, Amos, and Simeon. The Bauchams are committed home educators.*



# Future of the Great Commission

## Discipling Disciple-Makers in the 21st Century

### Things to Learn:

- Learning what discipling means
- Tangible ways to train our children to be a disciple
- How to pass on a vision to our children for making disciples

### Takeaways:

- Our children will learn by watching us, so model a heart and spirit that seeks the Lord and serves Him.
- God's truth is rarely the popular opinion of the day. Therefore, we must seek out His truth in the Word and stand strong on it.
- As a mother, you are doing a mighty work because you are training disciples who will go out into the world.

### Recommended Resources:

- [AboveRubies.org](http://AboveRubies.org)
- [Above Rubies Magazine](#)
- Life to the Full podcast with Nancy Campbell
- *The Daily Light on the Daily Path* by Samuel Bragster
- *100 Days of Blessing* Volumes 1, 2, 3, and 4 by Nancy Campbell

### Notes:



### NANCY CAMPBELL

#### Above Rubies

Nancy Campbell is the editress of *Above Rubies* magazine and mother of 10, grandmother of 51, and great-grandmother to over 20 grandbabies. Nancy Campbell hosts a podcast called the *Life to the Full* with Nancy Campbell every Tuesday morning at 6.00 am to encourage wives and mothers in their highest calling of being a wife and mother. On Nancy's website, [AboveRubies.org](http://AboveRubies.org), you'll find hundreds of testimonies and articles on all subjects of marriage, motherhood, and family life. You'll also have access to Nancy's daily email devotionals, books, and information on Above Rubies Retreats.

# Future of the Great Commission

## Why Zoom “Church” Won’t Work ... Now ... or Ever

### *Things to Learn:*

- How to address livestream church
- Why the physical meeting of the church is powerful
- Solutions for feeling out of place within the church

### *Takeaways:*

- God always brings His people together because it creates a closer, intimate relationship with Him and with others.
- When you’re engaged in a local church (worshiping, listening, praying, etc.), there is a spiritual power in the room that cannot be achieved elsewhere.
- Pray for the Lord to restimulate a longing for Him through the church.

### *Recommended Resources:*

- Steve Lawson podcast
- *The Family at Church: 20 Days to Transform Your Church Experience* by Scott Brown
- *Journey Through the Bible* by Scott Brown
- Journey Through the Bible App
- [ChurchAndFamilyLife.com](http://ChurchAndFamilyLife.com)
- [Church and Family Life Podcast](#)

### *Notes:*



**SCOTT BROWN**  
Church and Family Life

*Scott T. Brown is the president of Church and Family Life and pastor at Hope Baptist Church in Wake Forest, North Carolina. Scott graduated from California State University in Fullerton with a degree in history and received a Master of Divinity degree from Talbot School of Theology. He gives most of his time to local pastoral ministry, expository preaching, and conferences on church and family reformation. Scott helps people think through the two greatest institutions God has provided — the church and the family.*

# Future of the Great Commission

## Raising the Next Generation of Hudson Taylors

### Things to Learn:

- Looking for a God-sized vision for our children's life
- Finding ways to spiritually prepare ourselves and our children for what God has in store
- Practical steps to inspire your children to rise towards a higher vision

### Takeaways:

- We are training our children to be all in for Jesus so that they are ready to die for Him, ready to suffer for Him. All with a smile on their face.
- We often feel like we are falling short and aren't doing enough. When this happens, Jesus doesn't rebuke us for our faults and failures. Rather, He corrects us and reminds us of who He is and what He has done.
- Don't buy the enemy's lie that the world is coming to an end and there's no hope for the church. Counter his lies with biblical truth.
- This is our hour, this is what we are built for. This is a time for us to shout praise and sing louder than we've ever sung. This is a time for Christians to rise up and shine Jesus.

### Recommended Resources:

- Hudson Taylor audiobooks
- *Daily Light* by Thomas Nelson
- *Parables of the Cross* by Liliat Trotter
- *My Utmost for His Highest* by Oswald Chambers
- *Streams in the Desert* by L.B. Cowman
- [Ellerslie Discipleship Training](#)
- [Eric's Honorable Man Program](#)
- Leslie Ludy's two mentoring programs:
  - [Set Apart Girl](#)
  - [Set Apart Motherhood](#)

### Notes:



### ERIC AND LESLIE LUDY Ellerslie Discipleship Training

*Eric and Leslie Ludy are the bestselling authors of over twenty books and the founders of Ellerslie Discipleship Training in Windsor, Colorado. The Ludy's vision is to build bravehearted Christians and bring back the majesty of the Gospel for such a time as this. Hundreds of thousands of Christians around the world have been impacted by the Ludy's discipleship programs, sermons, podcasts, short films, and online training courses.*

# Future of the Great Commission

## Plant Gardens: Every Reason for Optimism, Hope, and Generational Faith for the Future

### Things to Learn:

- Learning how Scripture gives us hope
- Understanding what it means as the world seems to get worse
- Action steps for bringing our children into the spiritual battle

### Takeaways:

- Everything and everyone needs to be redeemed and we need to remember that that's the reason Jesus came.
- Nothing challenges us more in our faith walk than our children. He uses our children to grow our faith in Him.
- We are at battle for the hearts and minds of our children. We must pray and speak promises from God over our children and in life.

### Recommended Resources:

- *Epoch: The Rise and Fall of West* by Kevin Swanson
- *City of God* by St. Augustine
- [Generations.org](http://Generations.org)

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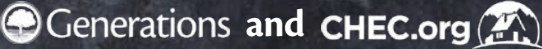
### KEVIN SWANSON

#### Generations

*Homeschooled in the 1960s and 70s, Kevin Swanson and his wife, Brenda, have just finished homeschooling their own five children. Kevin has 44 years of experience in the homeschooling movement and serves as the director of Generations, a ministry he founded to strengthen homeschool families around the country. As a father who wants to leave a godly heritage for his own children, Kevin's passion is to strengthen and encourage the homeschooling movement all over the world and to cast a vision for generations to come. For the last 19 years, Kevin has hosted a radio program – Generations Radio – the world's largest homeschooling and biblical worldview program that reaches families across the US and in over 100 countries. He has also authored several popular books for homeschoolers, including: Freedom, Apostate, Upgrade: 10 Secrets to the Best Education for Your Child, the Family Bible Study Guide series, Epoch, and others.*



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