

Remembering Why We Are Homeschooling

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Remembering Why - 5 Problems

1. Stressed or Rest?

- R – realistic expectations
- E – energize environment
- S – seek quiet for spirit, soul, and body
- T – time: we spend time on what we prioritize

2. What Was I Thinking?

- Getting our thinking right (Philippians 4)
- Think about who we are raising
- Think about whose children they really are

3. Could Someone Else Do This Better?

- Created to teach
- A parent is the best teacher because she knows and loves the child best

4. When Hardships Come

- Weakness = experience His strength (Isaiah 40:29)
- Broken = experience His closeness (Psalm 34:18; 147:3)
- Humbled = experience His grace (James 4:6)
- Suffering = experience the fellowship and power of Christ (Philippians 3:10)

5. When We Are Questioned

- Have answers – for those questioning you and when you question yourself
- Have a vision and a “mission statement”
- Know the why’s of homeschooling and not just the how-to’s

Remembering Why – 5 Reasons

WE ARE:

- 1. Obeying God’s commands & The Rewards of Obedience**
- 2. Providing Godly Education and Discipleship**
- 3. Fighting The Good Fight of Faith & Representing Christ**
- 4. Providing Individualized Instruction & Positive Socialization**
- 5. Avoiding Harmful Consequences**