

REACHING THE NEXT GENERATION

Deuteronomy 6:5-7

A good track coach will tell you that the relay is won or lost in the transfer of the baton. A miscalculation or hesitation at that point can cost the race.

What “Christian” kids believe:

- 63% don’t believe Jesus is the Son of the one true God
- 58% believe all faiths teach equally valued truths
- 51% don’t believe Jesus rose from the dead
- 65% don’t believe Satan is a real entity
- 68% don’t believe the Holy Spirit is a real entity
- 70% don’t believe an absolute moral truth exists

This Is A REAL Problem!

TWO THINGS WE MUST DO TO PASS ON OUR FAITH:

1. Our Faith Must Be _____

- We can’t have just a superficial faith.
- We are being watched by the children of this generation.
- His Word must be on our hearts before we can impress them upon the hearts and minds of our children.
- I believe that one of the biggest problems we have right now in reaching the next generation is a lack of credibility.

2. Our Faith Must Be _____

- If we’re going to reach our kids, we must purposely set aside some time, build a relationship with them, and then teach them what we have learned about God and His desires for us.
- The truth of the matter is that our kids spend a whole lot more time learning morals and values from day care centers, TV shows, and the locker rooms than they do from mom and dad and grandma and grandpa and Godly mentors.
- Some of us need to get some irons out of the fire.
- “The average dad to child contact was _____ per day.”

**WILL YOU REACH
THE NEXT GENERATION?**