

**SERMON** 'Bring Up Samuel for Me' **1 Sam 28:3-14** 11/1/ 020. Trav Neumann

**Volume 1** – Samuel from Birth

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**Volume 2** Samuel Tested

Samuel brought eth full counsel of God.

Paul to Timothy 1:5,10 The aim of our charge is love that issues from a pure heart and a good conscience and a sincere faith....{preach} sound doctrine, in accordance with the gospel of the glory of the blessed God with which I have been entrusted.

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**Volume 3** The transition from Judges to Kings

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**Volume 4** Samuel and King Saul (1 Sam 9-28)

## Social Media Wisdom with your children-

**Privacy** on their **devices** is earned through **proven trust** with their devices.

Therefore, inspect what you expect.

1. When starting out, agree with them to **monitor** their online activity. Look at their device with them as they go.
2. Ask:
  - a. -what is the purpose of this post?
  - b. -what is the effect of this post (about you, someone else; repeating something unverified etc ?)
  - c. This can create some awesome conversations and questions about a wide range of good subjects.
  - d. A good place where you can talk about God's will and God's ways.
3. Agree to full access to their devices 24/7.
4. You have all usernames and passwords for all accounts/platforms.
5. No deleting of any content anytime.
6. Communicate clear boundaries and equally clear consequences for breaking the family social media rules.
7. Be sure they are clear in their understanding that consequences of losing privileges are a result of THEIR choices, not your rules.

→You want your **discipling** and **relationship building** to grow as you move from **authority** to **influence**.

→Your influence as they get older will come from the trust by investing in your relationship with them.

Pray, pray, pray for your children.

Recommended watching: - Netflix - '**The Social Dilemma**'.