**SiLiLiFiP**

Wisdom’s House ~ Kid’s Tool Box©.

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**Familiarize yourself with the Logos Word and context before you present the Tool.**

This Tool is out of the following scriptures:

I Timothy 4:12. Paul tells Timothy to not let people to look down on him because of he is young, but to let his life be an example in **S**peech, **L**ife, **L**ove, **F**aith, **P**urity

**Teacher shouts: Others won’t look down on you if you . . .**

**Kids shout: SiLiLiFiP!**

**Teacher shouts: What? (The look on your face is critical . . . :)**

**Kids shout: Be an example in:**

**Speech!**

**Life!**

**Love!**

**Faith!**

**Purity!**

It has been said of King David that his greatness laid in his admission of weakness, his dependence upon God, his humility, and brokenness before Him. This is what the Moral Example is all about.

**1. Speech: What you say.**

The tongue is WAY more powerful than anyone can estimate. We want to develop a speech and word culture that is moving in the direction of wholesome and edifying, where neither time nor words are wasted. Ephesians 4:29; Proverbs 18:21

**2. Life: What you do.**

This includes what you watch, how you dress, and how you act. Honor, respect, discretion (discreet in what you wear), and love in action. Specifically we ask for parents to set up some clear accountability for their student in the area of TV and internet use. This also involves video gaming, magazines and movies. We just ask for you to guard your eyes from images that will bring death into your life. (Proverbs 4:25)

**3. Love: What you give.**

The clearest demonstration of agape love is to give. Giving ourselves for others is the Wisdom of heaven, the example Jesus set. When we are willing to die (in big and small ways) something is released and people are purchased for God. We give time, energy, affection, and money as the Lord tells us to. (1 Cor. 13; Matt 6:21)

**4. Faith: What you believe.**

This is demonstrated when you worship, and when you listen to the words the Lord and others are speaking. You will be accountable to deeply memorize a verse every two weeks. Faith comes by hearing. (Romans) Without faith we cannot please God, so this is VERY important. Hebrews 11:6

**5. Purity: Keeping your body, soul, and heart clean.**

Primarily this is speaking of moral purity, but it is also about the motives of your heart.

Foolishness appears in our culture in the realm of the lust of the eyes (sexual impurity), the lust of the flesh (desire for power of position), and the pride of life (boasting in what you have and do.) Wisdom will save you from the way of foolishness, because Wisdom from above is first of ALL . . . PURE. (James 3:17)