

## Setting a Path:

### Psalm 78:1-8

The passage for today will show a responsibility that Israel had to their children. This responsibility carries over to the New Testament church, and is not limited to simply one's physical kids, but to the generation that follows them.

#### **We Will Not Hide:**

**Psalm 78:4** <sup>4</sup> We will not hide them from their children, but tell to the coming generation the glorious deeds of the LORD, and his might, and the wonders that he has done.

#### **The Responsibility Defined:**

**Psalm 78:5-7** <sup>5</sup> He established a testimony in Jacob and appointed a law in Israel, which he commanded our fathers to teach to their children, <sup>6</sup> that the next generation might know them, the children yet unborn, and arise and tell them to their children,

#### **The Purpose:**

**Psalm 78:7-8** <sup>7</sup> so that they should set their hope in God and not forget the works of God, but keep his commandments; <sup>8</sup> and that they should not be like their fathers, a stubborn and rebellious generation, a generation whose heart was not steadfast, whose spirit was not faithful to God.

### **The main point of Psalm 78:1-8**

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#### **Some Objections:**

1. It is too late
2. I do not have kids
3. The Youth Pastor is just trying to raise support for youth ministry....
4. I have not seen this work of God you are talking about.

#### **Some Questions:**

1. What are you doing with the grace that God has shown you?
2. What are you showing the next generation about God's character?
3. If you are part of that next generation, who are you looking to as the example of what following Jesus Looks like.