

Happy Father's Day!

Jeremiah
17:9&13-14

Restoring the Family
Values
In Our Culture



Jeremiah 17:14

Heal me O Lord that I might be healed

Repeat After Me with Raised Hands

Save me O Lord that I might be saved

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The story of two families who lived side by side in a small town

One family was chaos and bad corruption with no moral values

The other family had good moral values

The difference between these two families was family values

Western Civilization in Review

Values back then were absolute

The Jews looked to the Torah for their set of values

Christians looked to the New Testament and the early church

The philosopher from the Greco Roman world looked at natural law

18th Centuries Philosophers

Immanuel Kant, “You don’t look up; you look within.”

This was the beginning of rationalism

Rousseau, agreed with Kant only you don’t look to your
mind, you look to your heart

The 20th Century

The 20th Century produced Fredrich Nietzsche
He talked about the superman and the superwoman
This became the philosophy of Adolph Hitler

18th Centuries Philosophers

Kant, “You don’t look up, you look within-your mind-rationalism”

Rousseau, you look at your heart-romanticism

Nietzsche-look at your will-perfectionism-superman
superwoman

The moral compass of America is broken

Haight-Asbury

John Lennon was a superhero of the culture of love

The Story of Two Fathers in the Old Testament

Eli the prophet

His two sons, Hophni and Phineas were sleeping with women in the house of worship

“But they would not listen to the voice of their father

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Mordecai

His daughter rose up to become Queen Esther

Esther listened to Mordecai though she was a grown woman in a high position

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Jeremiah predated these early scholars

Verse 14

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