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Scriptural References and Comment Notes

18-144-12 WELCOMING GOD'S DISCIPLINE

:45 Revelation 3:19 "Those whom I love I rebuke and discipline. So be earnest, and repent".

Pointing out where there is wrong in our behavior and then training us to move beyond our station to achieve the purpose of God. His discipline is out of love. But take seriously the Lord's correction.

The context of the verse in the letter to the Church at Laodicea explained.

- 5:40 Deuteronomy 8:1-5 Verse 5 The Lord disciplines his children. It is our job to know his instruction from our heart, not merely from the head.
- 9:00 1 Corinthians 11:28-32 We need to examine ourselves (self examination) on a frequent basis, seeking the Lord's guidance. If we don't, the Lord will step in to rebuke and discipline.
- 11:10 Job 5:17 "Blessed is the man whom God corrects; so do not despise the discipline of the Almighty".

Blessed – can be defined as, that sense of well being that comes when you know you are moving in the purpose of God.

14:00 Psalm 39:11 Rebuke and discipline is for the correction of sin. The sin – not walking in the commands and purpose of God's will for you life.

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- 15:15 Proverbs 3:11-12 Discipline and rebuke. A sign of love from God.
- 20:00 Hebrews 12:4-13 (Read Passage) An examination of conscience and a teaching on this passage. Also a reference to Romans 8:28.

- Rev. 3:19 Those whom I love I rebuke and discipline. So be earnest, and repent.
- Deut. 8:1 Be careful to follow every command I am giving you today, so that you may live and increase and may enter and possess the land that the LORD promised on oath to your forefathers. 2 Remember how the LORD your God led you all the way in the desert these forty years, to humble you and to test you in order to know what was in your heart, whether or not you would keep his commands. 3 He humbled you, causing you to hunger and then feeding you with manna, which neither you nor your fathers had known, to teach you that man does not live on bread alone but on every word that comes from the mouth of the LORD. 4 Your clothes did not wear out and your feet did not swell during these forty years. 5 Know then in your heart that as a man disciplines his son, so the LORD your God disciplines you.
- 1Cor. 11:28 A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup. 29 For anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgment on himself. 30 That is why many among you are weak and sick, and a number of you have fallen asleep. 31 But if we judged ourselves, we would not come under judgment. 32 When we are judged by the Lord, we are being disciplined so that we will not be condemned with the world.
- <u>Job 5:17</u> "Blessed is the man whom God corrects; so do not despise the discipline of the Almighty.
- Psa. 39:11 You rebuke and discipline men for their sin; you consume their wealth like a moth—each man is but a breath. Selah
- Prov. 3:11 My son, do not despise the LORD's discipline and do not resent his rebuke,
- because the LORD disciplines those he loves, as a father the son he delights in.

- Heb. 12:4 In your struggle against sin, you have not yet resisted to the point of shedding your blood. 5 And you have forgotten that word of encouragement that addresses you as sons:
 - "My son, do not make light of the Lord's discipline, and do not lose heart when he rebukes you, because the Lord disciplines those he loves, and he punishes everyone he accepts as a son."

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- Heb. 12:7 Endure hardship as discipline; God is treating you as sons. For what son is not disciplined by his father? 8 If you are not disciplined (and everyone undergoes discipline), then you are illegitimate children and not true sons. 9 Moreover, we have all had human fathers who disciplined us and we respected them for it. How much more should we submit to the Father of our spirits and live! 10 Our fathers disciplined us for a little while as they thought best; but God disciplines us for our good, that we may share in his holiness. 11 No discipline seems pleasant at the time, but painful. Later on, however, it produces a harvest of righteousness and peace for those who have been trained by it.
- Heb. 12:12 Therefore, strengthen your feeble arms and weak knees. 13

 "Make level paths for your feet," so that the lame may not be disabled, but rather healed.
- Rom. 8:28 And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.