



Family Unity and Puzzles

My wife and I prepared an object lesson for our children on the importance of family unity by creating a puzzle. I found a current family picture that I then copied and cut into puzzle pieces. I made sure each piece included the face of one family member. Before the lesson I prepared a few thoughts on each person—the things that made him or her unique and special to our family.

As we began the lesson, I gave each member of the family the

puzzle piece with his or her face on it, and we assembled the puzzle together. As we fit our pieces in place, I relayed my thoughts and invited them to share their feelings

toward each other. When the puzzle was finished, we discussed how, just as each piece is unique and important to the puzzle, each member is unique and important to our family.

We talked about how we must work together to keep unity in our home. This was a great spiritual experience for our family. ■

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HELPS FOR HOME EVENING

“Chastity in an Unchaste World,” page 24: Discuss with family members the questions asked in the article. Share principles and experiences that have strengthened your testimony of chastity. Think of ways to apply the

counsel from the youth in the article that can help your family remain chaste in an unchaste world.

“Patterns of Prayer in the Book of Mormon,” page 60: As a family, discuss the different principles of prayer mentioned in the article. Consider applying these principles in both personal and family prayers.

“What Have You Done for Them?” page 42: Consider summarizing Sister Breakwell’s story and discussing how and why she was led to information about her grandfather. You could also read and discuss Elder David A. Bednar’s talk “The Hearts of the Children Shall Turn” (*Ensign*, Nov. 2011, 24). You may want to help your children create their family tree, set up an account on familysearch.org, or learn how to index.

Chastity

IN AN UNCHASTE WORLD

Chastity requires not only a group of young adults from various parts of the world, but also the challenges and blessings of remaining chaste in a world that does not value chastity. The world that is open, honest, and beautiful also is a world of temptation and desire that can tempt us to do what we know is wrong. How can we remain chaste in a world that does not value chastity?

With so many people justifying unchaste behavior, what steps can you remain chaste in today's world?

Martin Jackson, Norway: I am in the company of those who are going to the party or “the one going to the party” or “the one going to the party.” They respond to me differently. They usually say to me, “Thanking God that I have made a choice to be chaste in a world of temptation is a great strength. I am glad that you have made a choice to be chaste in a world of temptation.”

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“The Savior paid a price for us to one day have a resurrected body. The way we can be grateful for the price He paid is to keep our bodies clean.”

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