

# Along the Way

## The Power of Real Life

*“We teach all the time—over the supper table, when we walk or drive together, when we are making purchases in a store, as we say goodnight and pray by the bedside.”* R. Paul Stevens, Everyday Christianity

### I. Strong Families

*“Parenting is an interactive family process in which adults undertake a primary role in forming children in body, soul, and spirit. Ironically, this relationship forms not only children but parents”.*

R. Paul Stevens, Everyday Christianity

### II. Teaching Along the Way

*“Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. These commandments that I give you today are to be upon your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. Tie them as symbols on your hands and bind them on your foreheads. Write them on the doorframes of your houses and on your gates”.* Deut. 6:4-9

For Further Reading:  
Everyday Christianity by R. Paul Stevens  
Daughters & Dads by Chap and Dee Clark  
From Fathers to Sons by Chap Clark