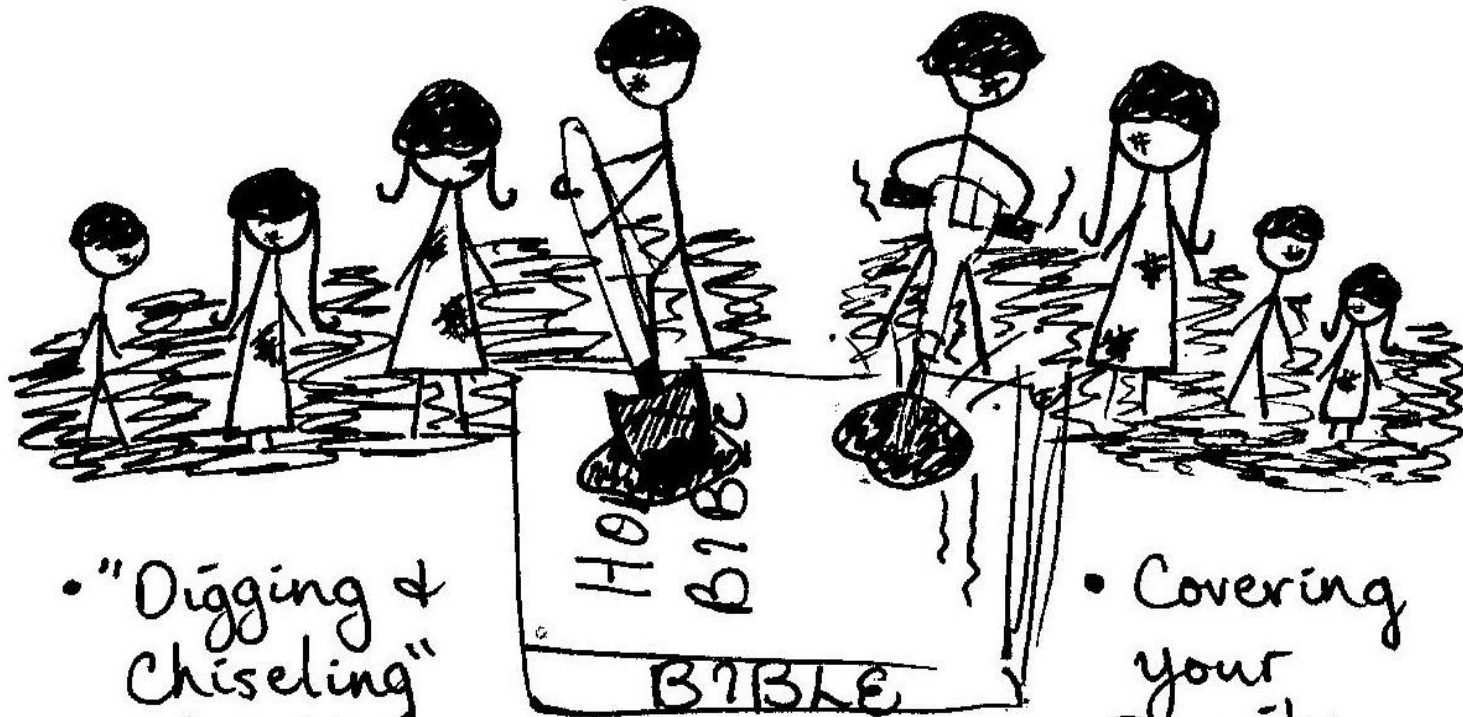


"Family Devotions"



- "Digging & Chiseling" into the Word of God

- Covering your family in it

Family Devotion #8
For the week of October 1, 2017

In our passage on Sunday Paul wrote about the conscience (Romans 2:15). Regarding the conscience, John A. Witmer wrote in, *The Bible Knowledge Commentary*, p.448 the following;

“Conscience is an important part of human nature, but it is not an absolutely trustworthy indicator of what is right. One’s conscience can be “good” (Acts 23:1; I Tim.1:5, 19) and “clear” (Acts 24:16; I Tim.3:9; II Tim. 1:3; Heb. 13:18), but it can also be “guilty” (Heb. 10:22), “corrupted” (Titus 1:15), “weak” (I Cor. 8:7, 10, 12), and “seared” (I Tim. 4:2). All people need to trust the Lord Jesus Christ so that “the blood of Christ” might “cleanse [their] consciences” (Heb. 9:12).”

Take the time to look up each one of the above verses. Read them aloud if other family members are present. Write out in your own words what the Bible teaches about the conscience.

With this information gleaned from the Bible discuss how it may be used when a Christian is faced with making a choice or decision about something. Keep in mind Witmer’s opening sentence when working through this biblical truth.