Sermon Title: "SPIRITUAL HEALTH AT HOME"

Date: November 26, 2023 - Acts 16:29-34

Central Idea: It's important to make sure your children hear the gospel message. Are you exposing your children to the gospel?

Introduction: This is a wonderful story about one man's salvation and his concern for the spiritual health of his family. Note carefully that they all heard the word preached (v. 32) and were all baptized (v. 33) after they all had believed (v. 34).

We must all share Christ with our family, especially our children and grandchildren. They are never too young (or too old) to be taught about the things of God. Here are four suggestions to help you share the gospel with your family.

- I. Set Aside Time for Family Devotions
- II. Invite Other Believers to Your Home
- III. Take Your Children to Church with You
- IV. Pray Daily for Your Children

Conclusion: Each sinner must trust Christ personally in order to be born again, for we cannot be saved by proxy. All who hear and receive the gospel of Jesus Christ are fit candidates for baptism. Hearing, believing, and being baptized is the consistent pattern in the New Testament.