

Who, me?

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As moms, part of our responsibility is to help our kids become who they are supposed to be. But WAIT! Who are we? How can we give a sense of identity to someone when we haven't gotten our own straight? Before we can tackle the "how to" of training up our children in their destiny, we must first look at our



own. Our dreams and visions are very important. Even though it is a great name, it's easy to let the title of "mom" become our entire identity. We need to have vision for our lives but perhaps more important than vision for something to do, it is more important to have vision of someone to be. The fulfillment of this vision will affect our overall destiny and will play a huge part of your children. Set the pressure of parenting aside for a moment... yes we need to teach our kids about God and His word but the biggest impact is what they see and hear on a daily basis.

How do our kids see and hear us handle things daily?

Are we easily stressed out? Do we lose our temper, get depressed?

Are we negative and quick to complain? Are we full of good intent or just procrastination?

OR... Do they hear us use the Word of God to change circumstances and yes even emotions? As our kids learn about the Word of God and God himself, everything we teach them should bring a deeper understanding of why WE (their parents) do what we do.

So Ladies... let's identify what we want to change and grow in. Let's identify the scriptures in God's word that address those areas, and put them to work to our life - in front of our kids- and discover our true identity.