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1. A heart to teach and protect children from deception, sin, and punishment. Proverbs 1:8-19

2. A heart to equip their children for a blessed life. Proverbs 3:1-12

3. A heart to help their children have a smooth life. Proverbs 4:10-13

4. Last words from the heart of a loving father. 1 Kings 2:1-3

Conclusion: Even in David's dying words, we see the father's heart. Because a father has a heart of love and concern, with David's last words, he is still helping his son to experience a safe, blessed, and a smooth life. These verses reveal the father's heart and why dads are always trying to teach, correct, and help their children.

**Discussion questions.**

1. What is it about the father's heart that causes them to teach and correct their children?
2. In points 1-3, what is David's goal in instructing his son? Each small group take one point and discuss it and share with the whole group the answer.

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