

PART 5: IDEAL FAMILY: Echo

When it comes to family, actions speak louder than words—they echo into the next generation. Your children and grandchildren may forget what you *say*, but they'll never forget what you *do*.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. Growing up, what stories did you hear about your grandparents or greatgrandparents? How did those stories help shape who you are?
- 2. Read Genesis 42:5-7. How do you usually respond under pressure? Why?
- 3. What would you do differently if you knew that your children will eventually take their cues from what you do rather than what you say?
- 4. What is one thing you can do this week to begin to change how your life will echo in the lives of your children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren? What can this group do to support you?