

KEYS FOR MODELING HEALTHY ACCOUNTABILITY

- 1 Be Vulnerable & Humble**
The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise. – Psalm 51:17
- 2 Nurture Trust**
The words of a whisperer are like delicious morsels; they go down into the inner parts of the body. – Proverbs 18:8
- 3 Confess Sin to God and Others**
Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working. – James 5:16
See also: Psalm 32, 51:4, Proverbs 28:13, John 3:21, Proverbs 19:2; cf. 25:8, 21:5
- 4 Respond with Grace and Truth in the First 30 Seconds**
Grace: Psalm 103:10, John 8, Romans 8:1
Truth: John 1:14, 17:17, Proverbs 27:5-6
- 5 Offer and Receive Biblical Counsel**
All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work. – 2 Timothy 3:16-17
See also: Proverbs 26:11, 17:10
- 6 Repentance**
Repent therefore, and turn back, that your sins may be blotted out... – Acts 3:19
- 7 Remain Christ-centered**
My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. – 1 John 2:1
See also: Philippians 2:13, 3:13-14
- 8 Walk by the Spirit**
But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh ... – Galatians 5:16-18
See also: Galatians 2:20, 3:3, Proverbs 24:16, Philippians 3:13-14
- 9 Focus on the Heart, not the Sin**
I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. – John 15:5)
See also: Hebrews 12:1-3
- 10 Be Patient and Encourage One Another**
Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other... – Colossians 3:12-17