## Dealing With Weeds In Our Family Gardens

## Introduction:

A. The key principle of our study – "For whatever one sows, that will he also reap" (Galatians 6:7).
B. The example of Eli and his family – 1 Samuel 3:10-13
C. So many modern families are in such great trouble.
I. The sad symptoms of families in chaos
A.
B.
C.
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II. The sprouted seeds that produce the sad symptoms
A.
B.
C.
D.
E.
This week's prayer:

That we might conduct ourselves like the church in Colosse (Colossians 2:5-7).

relationships; little unity or harmony Adversarial

Low level of maturity and responsibility

Little respect for authority

Disruptiveness; low level of cooperation and stability

sluggishness and laziness Little productive work;

what they please

Everyone doing

commitment and loyalty Little

> Indulgence Few expectations; little

Few consequences of irresponsibility Appeasement, pacification

> accountability Little discipline