

**“God’s Education of His Children”**  
**Deuteronomy 32:1-12**

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Scripture Lesson: Deuteronomy 32:1-12

Text: Deuteronomy 32:11,12

Introduction:

1. Book of Deuteronomy
  - a. Spoken as sermons
    1. Warnings
    2. Exhortations
  - b. Gave them song
2. Some things about this song
  - a. Tells how He found them
  - b. Tells how He dealt with them
  - c. Verses 5-7
    1. Perverse and crooked
    2. Verse 6 – do ye so act toward God
    3. Verse 7 – call to remembrance
    4. Verse 10 – what God did
  - d. Verse 11 – as eagle stirs up her nest
    1. Taught them faith – obedience

I. Training

1. Why eagle stirs up nest
  - a. Little ones have to get out and learn
  - b. Must be forced to do so
  - c. God’s dealings of sin
2. Were in bondage of sin
  - a. Were all bad
  - b. Presents truth
  - c. We are free to accept or reject
  - d. When accept then germ of life begins
3. Must be taught to live
  - a. He must train us
4. Be dissatisfied with self
  - a. Stir up nest
  - b. God cannot allow us to be satisfied
    1. Dick George’s race horse always ran second
    2. Brother and department superintendent in factory
5. Must be taught obedience
  - a. Lion trainer
    1. Makes do many things in obedience
  - b. Hebrews 12:6

6. Gives incentive
  - a. Philippians 3:12-14
  - b. Coach Johnson hook sliding starting
7. Give responsibility
  - a. Can make
  - b. Can break
  - c. God knows best

II. Protection

1. Eagle soars under little ones
2. Israel in wilderness
  - a. Amalekites
  - b. Pillar of fire and cloud
3. God protects us
  - a. Though I walk through valley of shadow of death
  - b. Sorrows
  - c. Temptations
  - d. Responsibilities

Conclusion:

1. Hebrews 12:13
2. Let us hold onto God.