

Introduction

This program discusses broken homes and their effects on teens. It is designed to help teens feel comfortable discussing the issues and the effects of broken homes.

The video goes over many problems faced by teenagers and parents dealing with broken homes and their impact and influences.

Learning Objectives

After completing the program, the students should have a better understanding of broken homes.

Discussion Topics/Questions

- 1) What does the term broken home mean to you?
- 2) List some of the effects of broken homes.
- 3) List some of the feelings one might experience as a result of a broken home.
- 4) Describe how not accepting these feelings can be detrimental.
- 5) What are some ways to deal with these feelings?
- 6) Are you yourself, or anyone you know having problems at home?
- 7) What are your thoughts on marriage?
- 8) What are ways to help make it easier to talk about broken homes?
- 9) What are some ways broken homes can affect your future?
- 10) How can you help someone, or ask for help with problems at home?

Presenting the Program

To prepare a lesson plan for the presentation of each program, review the suggested outline below.

1) Before Students View The Program:

Collect as many recommended books as possible to help generate class interest and participation. Preview each program and become familiar with the concepts that are presented in it.

2) Students View The Program:

The first viewing if possible should be uninterrupted.

3) After The First Viewing:

Elicit discussion of what the students have seen and heard. The next viewing will be enriched by this general discussion.

4) Second Viewing:

The program may be viewed again, this time with attention to detail. The teacher should feel free to stop and question students regarding:

- 1) What is happening in a visual?
- 2) The major concepts.

5) Post Activities and Discussion:

Discussion questions for this program may be used to stimulate further interest, reinforce concepts and evaluate student comprehension.

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Broken Homes

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