

Love & Relationship

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The best relationship between people is one that connects them with the chain of love¹. When God Almighty mentions the right way of building relationships in the first institution of society and the most important unit of society, i.e., the family, He considers the essence of the relationship between husband and wife to be "mawaddah":

«وَمِنْ آيَاتِهِ أَنْ خَلَقَ لَكُمْ مِنْ أَنْفُسِكُمْ أَزْوَاجًا لِتَسْكُنُوا إِلَيْهَا وَجَعَلَ بَيْنَكُمْ مَوَدَّةً وَرَحْمَةً»

(و. از نشانه‌های او اینکه از (جنس) خودتان همسرانی برای شما آفرید تا بدان‌ها آرام‌گیرید و میانتان دوستی و مهرورزی نهاد)

"And among His signs is that He created for you mates from among yourselves so that you may dwell in tranquility with them, and He has placed love and mercy between you."

If affection, which is the highest and deepest level of love, prevails between a husband and wife, children will rarely go astray. Children who experience the true taste of love in the arms of their parents and feel the devotion of their mother and father to each other, as well as their deep and genuine love, their hearts are filled with so much love that there is no room for wrong love.

In general, love is the essence of education, and education is effective when it is based on love.

¹ Translation of the Source: "The Book of the Glory of Prayer, Commentary on Sahifa Sajjadiyeh, Vol. 4, p. 65."