

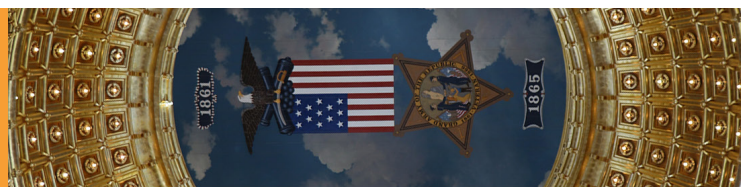
stories. He/she now knows of homeschooling success. You've been polite and respectful throughout the year. You included a photo of the kids doing an experiment or maybe a few paragraphs from an essay about civics. Perhaps the legislator has been asked to co-sponsor a bill that decreases parent's rights, but your relationship with him/her causes them to pause and remember your family. Home-

schoolers impact our world with real results. Children enter college, start businesses. Your relationship could literally be the difference in laws that restricts homeschooling being introduced. That legislator may share your information with others and cause others to think twice, to soften their stance on homeschool rights in Iowa. Relationships take time, and these legislative connections often take several years to build.

What is the current state of your legislative relationships? Do you know their names? Have you communicated with your state senator or representative this year? If not, start now. Send an encouraging note thanking them for spending 100 days working in Des Moines on our behalf. Share the book list your children will read during the school year.

Build that foundation; create those relationships. In the New King James Bible, Ecclesiastes 11:6 reminds us, "In the morning sow your seed, and in the evening do not withhold your hand; for you do not know which will prosper, either this or that, or whether both alike will be good."

"Creating a relationship of trust with the man or woman making laws you live under begins with a foundation."



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Monday, March 16

Join with hundreds of other homeschoolers from around the state to provide our legislators with "a face for homeschooling" at our annual Homeschool Iowa Capitol Day!

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