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## **Part-Time Biological Parenting**

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Ron: When you're a part-time parent, it's amazing what matters—and what doesn't.

**Announcer:** For FamilyLife Blended™, here's Ron Deal.

**Ron:** Eric is a stickler about drink coasters. He insists that everyone use one...that is, except his kids. You see, Eric only gets to see his kids a few days a month and he wants them to want to come back so, he doesn't notice when they use a drink coaster. But his wife notices that he doesn't notice. And she resents it.

Eric, dude. Guests to your home should get a free pass from using a coaster, but your children are not guests. Yes, they are there part-time and yes, you want them to enjoy being there. But you can't have a double standard and expect peace and harmony in your home. Now, pass your kids a coaster and say, "Welcome home." For FamilyLife Blended, I'm Ron Deal.

**Announcer:** To find out more visit familylifeblended.com.

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