

True feeling

Parents in Cambodia do not like to show their affection to their beloved children because they do not want to spoil their children. Some parents have treated their children strictly since the children were small. Some children may feel that they have never got love from their parents because they are not allowed even to tease or talk much to their parents. They are expected to be always polite and show respect to their parents. As a result, they are difficult to confide their difficulties and emotion to their parents; the relationship between the children and the parents are not as strong as the family which allows expressing feeling freely within the family member.

The parents rarely express their feeling towards the children until the right time come especially when their children face the conundrums. For example, my friend's parents ran to hug their daughter who had left to Japan for pursuing Bachelor after she came back Cambodia and escaped from cruel earth quake and Tsunami a few days ago. She said that her parents had never hugged or kissed her before, and they were always serious and strict with her. However, when they knew about the disaster in Japan, they all cried and planned to fly there soon at that time. They did not care how dangerous it was, but to find their daughter and saved her from the disaster. Thus, this case can show how much they love their daughter, and this love is much more than words.

All in all, the parents have their own reasons to treat the children strictly; they all want their children to work hard and become a good person in society. They just do not want their children to walk on the wrong path influenced by many factors

like bitter friends, enemies and society. No matter what obstacles they face, they would never say never because of their children. They do their best to bring up their children well. The power of love towards their children can push them win everything.