

“A Mother’s Love”

Message Map
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Scripture Text: Psalm 139:7-13

STARTING POINT: What “Mother” figure influenced your life? How?”
“Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his faithful servants.
Truly I am your servant, Lord; **I serve you just as my mother did;**”
Psalm 116:15-16

MOTHER’S DAY – A Mother’s influence:

“Honor your father and your mother, so that you may live long in the land the Lord your God is giving you.” Exodus 20:12

“Then the mother of Zebedee's sons came to Jesus with her sons and, kneeling down, asked a favor of him. ‘**What is it you want?**’ he asked. She said, ‘Grant that one of these two sons of mine may sit at your right and the other at your left in your kingdom.’” Matthew 20:20-21

“The sayings of King Lemuel—an oracle his mother taught him”
Proverbs 31:1

REFLECTION: What expressions do you remember your Mother using?

“If you love me, you will obey what I command.” John 14:15

“I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand is not the shepherd who owns the sheep. So when he sees the wolf coming, he abandons the sheep and runs away. Then the wolf attacks the flock and scatters it. The man runs away because he is a hired hand and cares nothing for the sheep.”

John 10:11-13

Both a mother and a shepherd must have **C**_____

“For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.”

Jesus the Good Shepherd – John 3:16

“Life Verse”

“Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.” Proverbs 22:6 (KJV)

“From you [Mom] comes my praise in the great congregation; my vows I will pay before those who fear the Lord.” Psalm 22:25

“It takes a Mother's Patience, to bring a child up right,
And her Courage and her Cheerfulness to make a dark day bright.
It takes a Mother's Kindness to forgive us when we err,
To sympathize in trouble and bow her head in prayer.
It takes a Mother's Endless Faith, her Confidence and Trust
To guide us through the pitfalls of selfishness and lust.
And that is why in all this world there could not be another
Who could fulfill God's purpose as completely as a MOTHER!”
Helen Steiner Rice

DESTINATION: What “Mother” do you need to thank for the love and encouragement that she provided? Then, “Just do it!”