

# Sunday Morning

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## WHAT MOTHERS NEED

JOHN 19:26-27

**INSIGHT:** Jesus would not leave earth without showing care for His mother.

**QUESTION:** Do you have a biblical world view toward your mother?

**A MOM INSIGHT:** Huge numbers of moms are running on empty this Mother's Day.

### I. MOM MEDS

Two "felt needs" of moms almost hands down:

A. Moms need patience.

1) God understands your struggle (Psalm 78:56, NLT).

**INSIGHT:** It is impossible to raise your child well and not have your patience tested.

2) Patience is an expression of love (Ephesians 4:2, NLT).

**INSIGHT:** Love is choosing to be patient even when you are irritated.

**INSIGHT:** God expects the family to help relieve the stress of motherhood (Matthew 7:12).

**INSIGHT:** True love is not reciprocal but sacrificial.

B. Moms need appreciation (Colossians 1:3, TLB).

**INSIGHT:** Your mother and your wife needs verbal affirmation for what she does and who she is.

### II. MOM MOVES, II Timothy 1:2, 5

The three most important moves a mom can make for her child/children:

A. Radiate a saving faith.

**INSIGHT:** The Bible says that a mother's greatest asset is not fame or fortune but faith.

**INSIGHT:** A mother's greatest gift to her child must first be possessed... You never pass to your child what you don't have!

B. Embrace a daily faith.

**OLD SAYING:** You can con a con and you can fool a fool but you can't kid a kid.

C. Impart a solid faith.

**INSIGHT:** You cannot teach your child God's Word if you are not in God's Word daily.

**CHALLENGE:** While your child is at home, get God's Word into his/her heart and mind.