

SERMON NOTES

MOTHER'S DAY Proverbs 31:26

She opens her mouth with wisdom, and on her tongue is the law of kindness. Proverbs 31:26

Mothers help us find acceptance in the home.

While mothers accept us they also encourage us to be the best we can possible be.

Mothers help us find our identity in a competitive world

(Prov. 31:28) Her children rise up and call her blessed; Her husband also, and he praises her.

Mothers help us find belonging in God's Kingdom

(Prov. 31:30) Charm is deceitful and beauty is passing, but a woman who fears the LORD, she shall be praised.

STUDY QUESTIONS

1. Read Proverbs 31:26-30. What are some traits given in this passage of a Godly mother?
2. How do mothers help her children find acceptance?
3. How do mothers encourage their children to be the best they can be?
4. How do mothers prepare us for when we leave home on our own?
5. How do moms help us spiritually?
6. What are some struggles that moms go through?
7. What are some ways you can encourage the moms in your life?

WHAT IS THE GOSPEL?

The word “gospel” means “good news.” The Gospel, or good news, of Jesus Christ is that He did what no one could ever do. You see, God loves us, but ever since Adam and Eve sinned against God, every human being has sinned and therefore cannot come into God’s presence because He is holy and perfect. As much as we try, we cannot bridge the gap to God because of our sinful nature. We can never be good enough to reach God. Good works, religion, philosophy and morality all fall short of God’s perfection.

God loves us so much that He sent His Own Son, Jesus Christ, to bridge the gap (John 3:16). Jesus did what no one else could ever do because He is both God and human, born to Mary. He took upon Himself the punishment we deserve, dying on the cross in our place. Now, through a relationship with Jesus Christ, we can come before a holy God. That is the good news! We enter a relationship with Jesus by placing our faith and trust in Him and Him alone for our salvation. Do you have a relationship with Jesus Christ?

The good news doesn’t end there. Not only can we have eternal life through Jesus, but we also now can live without being condemned because of sin. Jesus paid the price for our sins, and He lives within those who have placed their trust in Him. In Christ, not only have we secured our future in eternity with God, but we have the Holy Spirit living in us to help us today to live for Christ. For more information on how to know God, check our website at www.gbcmilescity.com.



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