

A Mother's Influence

Mother's Day

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Exodus 20:12 *"Honor your father and mother. Then you will live a long, full life in the land the Lord your God is giving you."* (NLT)

I. Mary influenced through _____.

Luke 1:28 *The angel went to her and said, "Greetings, you who are highly favored! The Lord is with you."*

Proverbs 4:25-27 *Look straight ahead, and fix your eyes on what lies before you. Mark out a straight path for your feet; stay on the safe path. Don't get sidetracked; keep your feet from following evil.* (NLT)

II. Mary influenced through _____.

Acts 1:14 *They all met together and were constantly united in prayer, along with Mary the mother of Jesus, several other women, and the brothers of Jesus.* (NLT)

I Samuel 1:12 *As she kept on praying to the Lord, Eli observed her mouth.* (NIV)

III. Mary influenced through _____.

Luke 1:38 *Mary responded, "I am the Lord's servant. May everything you have said about me come true." And then the angel left her.* (NLT)

John 2:5 *But his mother told the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."* (NLT)

IV. Mary influenced through _____.

John 19:25 *Standing near the cross were Jesus' mother, and his mother's sister, Mary (the wife of Clopas), and Mary Magdalene.* (NLT)

Ephesians 6:10 *A final word: Be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power.* (NLT)

Conclusion: Be an _____ of _____ !

Psalms 127:3 *Children are a gift from the Lord; they are a reward from him.* (NLT)

All scripture references are NIV unless otherwise noted.

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