

Today's Theme

“Moms’ Matter”

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Different kinds of moms’ (For fun today):

What is a _____ mom?

A marshmallow mom is a total pushover. She takes the shape of the parent her child wants her to be.

What is a _____ mom?

A dolphin mom is like the body of the dolphin, they are firm yet flexible. They have rules and expectations but also value creativity and independence.

What is a _____ mom?

A very strict mother who makes her children work particularly hard and restricts their free time so that they continually achieve the highest grades.

What is a _____ mom?

A unicorn mom is: “a mother who’s not perfect, enjoys alcohol, has a sense of humor and couldn’t care less what you think.”

What is a _____ mom?

A mom who’s not authoritarians. They project high warmth and communication but take little control, tolerate inconsistent daily routines, and provide few clear expectations for their kids.

What is an _____ mom?

A umbrella mom is one who does what it takes to get their child’s needs served, also known as a “helicopter mom” refers to one who’s hovering over their child’s every move.

What is _____ mom?

A mom that seeks to remove all obstacles from a child’s path so they don’t experience pain, failure, or discomfort.

What is a _____ mom?

A fancy mom is in high heels, her makeup looks perfect, and you want to know where she bought her clothes.

What is a _____ mom?

She’s comfy, cozy, and maybe doesn’t match, but she doesn’t care.

1. Moms' play a _____ role in a family.

(1) We are literally _____ to mom early on.

Luke 1:41 When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the baby leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit. . . 41 When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the baby leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit. . . . 56 Mary stayed with Elizabeth for about three months and then returned home.

(2) Moms' make extraordinary _____.

(3) Often mom is the _____ backbone.

Luke 2:18 and all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds said to them. 19 But Mary treasured up all these things and pondered them in her heart.

2. Different ways to _____ motherhood.

(1) Being a _____ mom through the years.

_____ people tend to:

1. Check all the _____ boxes.
2. Make _____ to get things done.
3. To value _____ & _____.

(2) Being a _____ mom through the years.

_____ people tend to:

1. Want to be _____ you & _____ others.
2. Want _____ with others.
3. To _____ up during _____ times.

(3) Reality is we need to be _____ regularly.

God is a God of _____.

Man's honored _____ an inheritance.

Jesus _____ the woman at the well.

Jesus wants us to _____ others.

Paul's _____ relationship w/Mark.

3. A mom who follows Jesus _____:

(1) A Son/Daughter who's in a _____ w/God.

John 17:3 Now this is eternal life: that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent. Col 2:13 When you were dead in your sins and in the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive with Christ. He forgave us all our sins, Prov 30:11 "There are those who curse their fathers and do not bless their mothers; 12 those who are pure in their own eyes and yet are not cleansed of their filth; Mark 8:36 What good is it for someone to gain the whole world, yet forfeit their soul?

(2) A Son/Daughter who _____ Jesus.

Eph 5:1 Follow God's example, therefore, as dearly loved children 2 and walk in the way of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

1 Cor 11:1 Follow my example, as I follow the example of Christ.

3 John 4 I have no greater joy than to hear that my children are walking in the truth.

Proverbs 29:15 A rod and a reprimand impart wisdom, but a child left undisciplined disgraces its mother.

(3) A Son/Daughter who does _____ things.

James 4:17 If anyone, then, knows the good they ought to do and doesn't do it, it is sin for them.

1 Peter 2:20 But if you suffer for doing good and you endure it, this is commendable before God.

Proverbs 23:23 Buy the truth and do not sell it— wisdom, instruction and insight as well. 24 The father of a righteous child has great joy; a man who fathers a wise son rejoices in him. 25 May your father and mother rejoice; may she who gave you birth be joyful! Proverbs 10:1 A wise son brings joy to his father, but a foolish son brings grief to his mother.