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## ***Your Mother's Teaching***

**Proverbs 1:7-9**

### **I. The Family is God's Idea**

A. Families were \_\_\_\_\_ by God (Gen. 1:27-28)

B. Families have their beginning in \_\_\_\_\_ (Gen. 2:24)

### **II. The Instruction Starts at Home**

A. All mothers should be \_\_\_\_\_ their children (Deut. 6:4-9)

B. Your best teaching could be by setting an \_\_\_\_\_ (Eph. 5:22-24)

### **III. The Foundation is the Fear of the Lord**

A. Moms need the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Lord (Prov. 29:25;  
Matt. 10:28; Acts 5:29; Deut. 31:6; Heb. 13:6)

B. Moms need to show their \_\_\_\_\_ the fear of the Lord  
(Prov. 31:26, 28)

### **IV. The Responsibility of both Fathers and Mothers**

A. A mother should be \_\_\_\_\_ her children  
(Prov. 22:6; 29:15; 2 Tim. 3:16)

B. A mother should be \_\_\_\_\_ her children  
(2 Tim. 1:5; 3:14-15)

### **V. The Beauty of Listening to Your Mother**

A. An incredible \_\_\_\_\_ (Eph. 6:1-3)

B. An incredible \_\_\_\_\_ (Prov. 23:25)

### **TAKE HOME**

- Are you faithfully \_\_\_\_\_ your mother's teaching?
- Are you regularly \_\_\_\_\_ your kids to respect their mom?
- Are you truly \_\_\_\_\_ your mother's legacy?

## **STUDY QUESTIONS**

James 1:22 says, *"But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves."* These questions are designed to help you apply today's message to your life. We encourage you to thoughtfully answer these questions and discuss your answers with others. For more information about joining a Small Group that uses these questions as the basis for discussion, prayer, and accountability, please call the church office at (661) 259-2913.

1. Read 1 Kings 2:19-20. How does this passage show how King Solomon, the wisest man in the world and the richest man in the world, shows honor to his mother?

2. Read Gen. 1:27-28 and 2:24. What do these verses have to do with motherhood?

3. Read Deuteronomy 6:4-9. How involved are moms to be in this process? Read Eph. 5:22-24. How can this passage be used to show that teaching is sometimes more caught than taught?

4. Read Proverbs 1:7. How can moms understand and practice the fear of the Lord? (Prov. 29:25; Matt. 10:28; Acts 5:29; Deut. 31:6; Heb. 13:6) How can moms show their kids the fear of the Lord? (Prov. 31:26, 28)

5. Read Proverbs 1:8. Now read Proverbs 22:6; 29:15; 2 Tim. 3:16. How can these verses help a mom with her teaching?

6. Read Proverbs 1:9. What is this verse saying? What is the incredible promise of Eph. 6:1-3? What is the incredible service of Prov. 23:25?

7. Read the take home questions. Which one encourages you or challenges you the most? Why? How can you do a better job honoring your mother?

*"I remember my mother's prayers and they have always followed me.  
They have clung to me all my life."*

- Abraham Lincoln