

Three Evidences of a Godly Mother

A godly mother ...

III: Rests in God's _____ : v51

The reward for motherhood isn't monetary and a godly mother doesn't wrestle with all the things that she missed in life simply because she had kids. She understands that there is no greater responsibility or payout than being a mom and there is no greater job, and no job more fulfilling than being a godly mom.

Mary, therefore rested in...

A. the reward of God's _____

We are told that Mary ...***kept all these sayings in her heart.***

Mary received many promises from God relating to Jesus Christ. And as she ultimately witnessed her own Son hang and die on the cross these promises were there to comfort Mary.

Mary rested in ...

B. the reward of a godly _____

The biggest reward that a godly mother will ever have is seeing her child *increase in wisdom and stature and in favour with God and man.*

Mom's, God has designed you for the very special position of motherhood!

- do you recognize God's role for you?
- do you accept God's work for you?
- are you resting in God's reward?



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Luke 2:41-52

Happy Mother's Day! In the beginning, God created man and woman and in doing so also created the most important positions of humanity ... parenthood.

As we celebrate mother's day, it is important to understand that God created the position of motherhood with the intent of mother's raising their children according to His Word.

This morning we will look at three evidences of a godly mother.

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A godly mother understands ...

I: Understands Her _____ : v41-42

The world says that a mother's role is to be a confidante, a friend, a provider, comforter, a good listener, and a caregiver, and all of these are true and good. But God's Word also says to ⁶***Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.***

In Mary we see ...

A. the _____ of a godly Mother

A godly mother will make God's objective of training her children and teaching them about God, her objective. This objective begins with teaching her children about God's most wonderful plan of salvation.

A godly mother's role is to ...

B. _____ God

In Mary and Joseph's annual trip to Jerusalem, they were obey God's commandment to keep the Passover (Lev. 23:5-6)

While there is nothing wrong with befriending your children, comforting your children, and providing for your children, all of which are Biblical in and of themselves, Mom's role is deeper than these things. A godly mother's role includes introducing them to Jesus, and showing them Jesus, and teaching them about Jesus—and it includes making their children's salvation their number one priority.

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A godly mother...

II: Accepts Her _____ : v43-48

While our post-modern culture greatly denies God's primary work for women and mothers (1 Tim. 5:14), the godly mother accepts God's work for her as a mother.

Some of Her work is ...

A. to be _____

B. to be _____

C. to be _____

D. to be _____

E. to _____

F. to _____

D. to _____ and _____

E. to _____

A mother's work is never finished even after her children have left the home. While the work of provision may cease, and the work of involvement may become reduced, the godly mother will always carry out God's work for her by prayer, caring, and concern.

