**A GODLY MOTHER**

**Exodus 2:1-10**

**1**[**And there went a man of the house of Levi, and took *to wife* a daughter of Levi.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Exodus-2-1/)

**2**[**And the woman conceived, and bare a son: and when she saw him that he *was a* goodly *child*, she hid him three months.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Exodus-2-2/)

**3**[**And when she could not longer hide him, she took for him an ark of bulrushes, and daubed it with slime and with pitch, and put the child therein; and she laid *it* in the flags by the river's brink.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Exodus-2-3/)

**4**[**And his sister stood afar off, to wit what would be done to him.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Exodus-2-4/)

**5**[**And the daughter of Pharaoh came down to wash *herself* at the river; and her maidens walked along by the river's side; and when she saw the ark among the flags, she sent her maid to fetch it.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Exodus-2-5/)

**6**[**And when she had opened *it*, she saw the child: and, behold, the babe wept. And she had compassion on him, and said, This *is one* of the Hebrews' children.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Exodus-2-6/)

**7**[**Then said his sister to Pharaoh's daughter, Shall I go and call to thee a nurse of the Hebrew women, that she may nurse the child for thee?**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Exodus-2-7/)

**8**[**And Pharaoh's daughter said to her, Go. And the maid went and called the child's mother.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Exodus-2-8/)

**9**[**And Pharaoh's daughter said unto her, Take this child away, and nurse it for me, and I will give *thee* thy wages. And the woman took the child, and nursed it.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Exodus-2-9/)

**10**[**And the child grew, and she brought him unto Pharaoh's daughter, and he became her son. And she called his name Moses: and she said, Because I drew him out of the water.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Exodus-2-10/)

**INTRO:**

**1. According to Exodus 6:20 Jochebed is Moses’ mother.**

 **A. She is a Good Mother**

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 **a. She kept him Sheltered!**

**(Don’t let the world keep you from sheltering your kids!)**
 **b. She kept him Safe!**

**(Keep your kids safe from the wickedness all you can!)**

 **B. She is a Godly Mother**

**(The simple act of sitting her baby in that basket and letting go shows that she was a godly woman that trusted in God!)**

 **C. She is a Giving Mother**

**(She risked her life to give her comfort, her care, and her compassion to her child.)**

 **D. She is a Guiding Mother**

**(She is working behind the scene to guide her Son and his Sister!)**

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**7**[**Then said his sister to Pharaoh's daughter, Shall I go and call to thee a nurse of the Hebrew women, that she may nurse the child for thee?**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Exodus-2-7/)

**\*\*Who do you think was guiding the sister to do these things? It was a guiding mother!**

 **E. She is a Gospel Mother**

**Numbers 26:59 says that Jochebed was the daughter of Levi - the tribe of the priests! She’s a gospel mother!**

**\*\*So What Makes A Mother A Godly Mother?**

**I. HER FAITH CONCERNING CHRIST**

**Ephesians 2:8-10 8**[**For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: *it is* the gift of God:**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Ephesians-2-8/)

 **A. A Godly Mother Believes In The Blood**

**I John 1:7 7**[**But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/1-John-1-7/)

**\*\*A godly mother teaches and trust in . . .**

 **1. The Saving Blood of Jesus**

 **2. The Sanctifying Blood of Jesus**

 **3. The Satisfying Blood of Jesus**

 **4. The Spiritual Blood of Jesus**

 **5. The Security Blood of Jesus**

 **B. A Godly Mother Believes In The Bible**

**Psalms 119:105 [Thy word](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Psalms-119-105/%22%20%5Co%20%22View%20more%20translations%20of%20Psalms%20119%3A105)*[is](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Psalms-119-105/%22%20%5Co%20%22View%20more%20translations%20of%20Psalms%20119%3A105)*[a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Psalms-119-105/%22%20%5Co%20%22View%20more%20translations%20of%20Psalms%20119%3A105)**

 **1. She believes in its Truths**

**John 17:17 . . . thy word is truth.**

 **a. The Stories are Real**

 **b. The Stories are Relevant**

 **c. The Stories are Refreshing**

 **d. The Stories are Reviving**

 **2. She believes in its Teachings**

**Psalms 119:111 111**[**Thy testimonies have I taken as an heritage for ever: for they *are* the rejoicing of my heart.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Psalms-119-111/)

 **a. She makes it her Practice**

 **b. She makes it her Path**

 **c. She makes it her Primer**

 **d. She makes it her Professor**

 **e. She makes it her Profession**

**II. HER FOUNDATION CONCERNING CHRIST**

**I Corinthians 3:10-11 10**[**According to the grace of God which is given unto me, as a wise masterbuilder, I have laid the foundation, and another buildeth thereon. But let every man take heed how he buildeth thereupon.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/1-Corinthians-3-10/)

**11**[**For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/1-Corinthians-3-11/)

 **A. Her Love is Built Upon Christ**

**I John 4:7-8 7**[**Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/1-John-4-7/) **8**[**He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/1-John-4-8/)

 **1. A Godly Mother Loves Her Father**

 **2. A Godly Mother Loves Her Family**

 **3. A Godly Mother Loves Her Friends**

 **B. Her Labor is Built Upon Christ**

**I Corinthians 15:58 58**[**Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/1-Corinthians-15-58/)

 **1. Her Children Knows Her Labor**

 **2. Her Companion Knows Her Labor**

 **3. Her Christ Knows Her Labor**

 **C. Her Life is Built Upon Christ**

**Colossians 2:6 6**[**As ye have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, *so* walk ye in him:**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Colossians-2-6/)

**\*\*You can know a Godly Mother because . . .**

 **1. Her Tears Are All About Jesus**

 **2. Her Testimonies Are All About Jesus**

**III. HER FEAR CONCERNING CHRIST**

**Proverbs 1:7 7**[**The fear of the LORD *is* the beginning of knowledge: *but* fools despise wisdom and instruction.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-1-7/)

**Hebrews 12:28 . . . let us have grace, whereby we may serve God acceptably with reverence and godly fear:**

**\*\*A Godly Mother has Godly Fear and Godly Reverence . .**

 **A. For God’s Will**

**Proverbs 3:5-6 5**[**Trust in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-3-5/) **6**[**In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-3-6/)

**James 4:15 15**[**For that ye *ought* to say, If the Lord will, we shall live, and do this, or that.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/James-4-15/)

 **1. She Only Acknowledges God’s Will**

 **2. She Only Accepts God’s Will**

**\*\*Why? Because she fears and reverences God’s will.**

 **B. For God’s Worship**

**John 4: 23-24 23**[**But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth: for the Father seeketh such to worship him.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/John-4-23/)

**24**[**God *is* a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship *him* in spirit and in truth.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/John-4-24/)

**\*\* A Godly Mother Respects God’s Worship And Keeps It:**

 **1. Holy Worship**

 **a. It’s a Sacrificial Worship**

 **b. It’s a Sacred Worship**

 **c. It’s a Soulful Worship**

 **d. It’s a Sanctified Worship**

 **2. Heavenly Worship**

 **a. Her Worship is a Spiritual Worship**

 **b. Her Worship is a Savior Worship**

**\*\*She is afraid NOT to worship the Lord!**

**IV. HER FAITHFULNESS CONCERNING CHRIST**

**\*\* A Real Godly Mother is . . .**

 **A. Faithful to Christ**

 **1. She is a Spiritual Woman**

**Proverbs 31:30 30 [Favour](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-30/%22%20%5Co%20%22View%20more%20translations%20of%20Proverbs%2031%3A30)*[is](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-30/%22%20%5Co%20%22View%20more%20translations%20of%20Proverbs%2031%3A30)*[deceitful, and beauty](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-30/%22%20%5Co%20%22View%20more%20translations%20of%20Proverbs%2031%3A30)*[is](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-30/%22%20%5Co%20%22View%20more%20translations%20of%20Proverbs%2031%3A30)*[vain:](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-30/%22%20%5Co%20%22View%20more%20translations%20of%20Proverbs%2031%3A30)*[but](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-30/%22%20%5Co%20%22View%20more%20translations%20of%20Proverbs%2031%3A30)*[a woman](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-30/%22%20%5Co%20%22View%20more%20translations%20of%20Proverbs%2031%3A30)*[that](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-30/%22%20%5Co%20%22View%20more%20translations%20of%20Proverbs%2031%3A30)*[feareth the LORD, she shall be praised.](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-30/%22%20%5Co%20%22View%20more%20translations%20of%20Proverbs%2031%3A30)**

 **2. She is a Splendid Woman**

**Proverbs 31:31 31**[**Give her of the fruit of her hands; and let her own works praise her in the gates.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-31/)

**\*\*Her ways and her works testifies how splendid she is!**

 **B. Faithful to Church**

**\*\*You cannot be a godly mother without being faithful to church! Why is she faithful to church?**

 **1. She loves God’s Preachers**

 **2. She loves God’s People**

 **C. Faithful to Children**

 **1. A Godly Mother is Right**

 **a. Mama is Right about what she Says!**

**Proverbs 31:26 26**[**She openeth her mouth with wisdom; and in her tongue *is* the law of kindness.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-26/)

 **b. Mama is Right about what she Sees!**

**Proverbs 31:27 27**[**She looketh well to the ways of her household, and eateth not the bread of idleness.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-27/)

**\*\*She sees the Needs and the Necessities!**

 **2. A Godly Mother is Rewarded**

**Proverbs 31:28 28**[**Her children arise up, and call her blessed; her husband *also*, and he praiseth her.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-28/)

 **D. Faithful to Companion**

 **1. Her Love is Sure**

**Proverbs 31:10 10**[**Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price *is* far above rubies.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-10/)

 **2. Her Loyalty is Sure**

**Proverbs 31:11 11**[**The heart of her husband doth safely trust in her, so that he shall have no need of spoil.**](http://www.kingjamesbibleonline.org/Proverbs-31-11/)

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**1. I started this message preaching on the godly mother that Moses’ mother was.**

**2. I’ve tried to explain to you what the traits of a godly mother is.**

**3. Godly mothers are becoming extinct!**

 **a. Mothers that will go to the altar and pray are becoming extinct!**

 **b. Mothers that will pour out their heart to God and make altars in their household for their children are becoming extinct.**

 **c. Mothers that will get a hold of God and let God get a hold of them and shout it out and testify are becoming extinct!**

 **d. Mothers that will read the bible to their children, tell them godly stories and testimonies, tell them to love God and the church are becoming extinct!**

 **e. Mothers that emphasizes morality, truthfulness, godliness, salvation, church, living holy, living close, respect, and praying are becoming extinct!**

**4. Goofy mothers are multiplying!**

 **a. They don’t keep their household.**

 **b. They don’t keep their children.**

 **c. They don’t train or teach their children.**

 **d. They don’t keep their husband.**

 **e. Their interests are all about themselves.**

 **f. They are more worried about Dancing with the Stars, American Idol, some stupid reality show, some singer, or the latest national enquirer or celebrity news show than they are worried about their own soul and their children going to hell!**

**\*\*If you are that kind a mother, come let God do something about it in your life! Let Him change you to a godly mother!**

**\*\*If you are trying to be a godly mother, don’t stop!**

**\*\*Come to this altar and get more dedicated to being the godly mother God wants you to be!**

**\*\*Come now and let God help you!!**