

HOW DOES JESUS HONOR MOMS?

1. Jesus brings you <u>encouragement</u> and <u>suppor</u>t.

I am the Lord's servant. May everything you have said about me come true. (Luke 1:38, New Living Translation)

At the sound of Mary's greeting, Elizabeth's child leaped within her, and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit.(Luke 1:41, NLT)

Why am I so honored, that the mother of my Lord should visit me? When I heard your greeting, the baby in my womb jumped for joy.

(Luke 1:43–44, NLT)

2. Jesus offers you <u>forgiveness</u> and a <u>fresh start</u>.

'All right, but let the one who has never sinned throw the first stone!' Then he stooped down again and wrote in the dust.

(John 8:7–8, NLT)

Then Jesus stood up again and said to the woman, 'Where are your accusers? Didn't even one of them condemn you?' 'No, Lord,' she said.

And Jesus said, 'Neither do I. Go and sin no more.'

(John 8:10–11, NLT

3. Jesus has a great <u>purpose</u> for your life!

[Jesus] took his twelve disciples with him, along with some women who had been cured of evil spirits and diseases.

Among them were Mary Magdalene, from whom he had cast out seven demons; Joanna, the wife of Chuza, Herod's business manager; Susanna; and many others who were contributing from their own resources to support Jesus and his disciples.

(Luke 8:1–3, NLT)

Don't neglect your mother's instruction. Keep their words always in your heart. (Proverbs 6:20–21, NLT)

Mary was standing outside the tomb crying, and as she wept.... She turned to leave and saw someone standing there. It was Jesus, but she didn't recognize him. 'Dear woman, why are you crying?' Jesus asked her. 'Who are you looking for?'

She thought he was the gardener. 'Sir,' she said 'if you have taken him away, tell me where you have put him, and I will go and get him.'

'Mary!' Jesus said.

(John 20:11–16, NLT)



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