

The Gospel for Mothers

Matthew 23:37

Study Questions

“O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often would I have gathered your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were unwilling!”

1. Why does Jesus use the picture of a hen to describe Himself?
2. How has your relationship with your mother impacted the way that you view God?
3. Read **Isaiah 66:13; 49:15** What is the picture of the type of relationship that God expects would be experienced between mothers and children? Why is this important?
4. In your opinion, where is the culture getting it wrong when it comes to expectations for mothers? How about the church?
5. Why is it important to embrace a Biblical understanding of the roles for women and mothers?
6. What do you believe is the best way that we can support the Biblical calling to motherhood for the women in our lives?



Practical Application: What can you do to show honor and value to those in your life who have followed God’s calling to pursue mothering (physically/spiritually)? Now do it...