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A MOTHER'S PRAYER (MOTHER'S DAY, MAY 10TH)

Make me a wise mother, O Lord.
Keep me calm and give me patience
to bear the small, irritating things
in the daily routine of life.
Give me tolerance and understanding to bridge the gulf
between my generation and that of my children.
Let me not be too ready
to guide my children's stumbling feet,
but allow me to be ever near to bind their bruises.
Give me a sense of humor that I may laugh with them,
but never at them.
Let me refrain from preaching with words.
Keep me from forcing their confidences,
but give me a sympathetic ear
when my children come to me.
Make me humble.
Keep my children close to me, O Lord,
though miles may separate us.
And let your light so shine upon me that they, too,
will perceive your glory.
Amen.

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Remember, Mother's Day!
Blessings,

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