A MOTHER FOR LIFE

JOHN 2:1-11 / 5-9-21 / SUN

I. FIRST, MOTHERS SHOULD BE **INVOLVED** IN THEIR CHILD'S LIFE.

- A. Mary was involved at the <u>beginning</u> of Jesus' public ministry John 2:1-2.
- B. Mary was also with Jesus at the <u>end</u> of his public ministry John 19:25.

II. SECOND, MOTHERS SHOULD BE AWARE OF THEIR CHILD'S POTENTIAL.

- A. When the <u>wine</u> ran out at the wedding, Mary knew her son was capable of doing something about it John 2:34.
- B. That's the kind of mother every son or daughter <u>needs</u>.

III. THIRD, MOTHERS SHOULD BE WILLING TO LET THEIR CHILD DO THINGS FOR THEMSELVES.

- A. Mary asked for Jesus' help, then left the rest up to him John 2:5.
- B. There comes a time when parents must step back and let their children make their own decisions.