## **Mother's Day Lesson:**

## God Made Mothers

Proverbs 31:10



Happy Mother's Day! On Mother's Day, we celebrate moms. Sometimes kids ask their moms questions like "When will I eat?" or "What can I do?" or "What should I wear?" Moms love kids and know exactly what kids need exactly when they need it! In fact, moms might even know what kids need before they ask. Take a minute to list all the things good moms provide or do for kids. Thank you moms!

Let's play a game to see how much moms love their kids and how they give their kids everything they need.

Gather these Supplies: a jacket, a ball or a pair of socks rolled up, a package of food, a dish rag, and a toy with a band-aid stuck on it.

Gather your family members and have them stand in a circle. Choose one person to start and put all the five household items at that person's feet. That person will gently toss just one of the items to someone in the circle saying the name of the person they're about to toss the item to. Create a pattern of who goes next so everyone will be ready. Play several rotations of the pattern to get comfortable—it should feel easy. After a few times around, add one more item. Toss the second item right after the first in a rhythm. After a few tries, add in another item...then another... and another! If someone drops the item, he or she picks it up quickly and continues the pattern. See if you can catch all the items without dropping them!

What was easy or difficult about this game?

How is this game like or unlike what moms do for their kids?

How can we thank our moms for all they do to take care of us?

One thing moms are never too busy for is a hug! So be sure to give yours a good, long, heartfelt hug today. GOD MADE MOMS!

Mother's Day Craft: Wordle Collage

GOD MADE MOMS, and moms are precious! Proverbs 31:10 says this about a good mom: "She is more precious than rubies." Rubies are very valuable red jewels or gems. Our moms are special and precious to us. Take a few minutes to think of words that describe your mom, a grandmother or aunt, or another woman in your life who takes care of you. To help you get started, think of words that could finish this sentence: "My mom is..." We're going to turn your word list into a super-cool word collage called a Wordle. You'll need at least 12 words to make your Wordle look cool. The more words, the better it'll turn out.



Supplies: paper, markers (everyone will share a piece of paper and markers)

Directions: Work together to write words all over the paper in different colors and sizes. Older family members can write for little ones. Moms can keep these Wordles, or families can give them to another important female role-model to honor them.

## Let's Pray:

God, thank you that YOU MADE MOMS. Help us to honor moms or other women who take care of us. Bring them blessings. And thank you that even when our moms aren't around, you love us and comfort us like a mom. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

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