

**A HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY MESSAGE©**  
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HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY TO ...

-YOU, whose child or children came to you via epidural, C-Section, or just plain "PUSHING" in a "Labor Room", Taxi, Living Room, or ambulance somewhere on the globe!

-YOU, whose child or children came to you via a Court of Law because your Great Big heart decided it had more than enough LOVE to go around!

- YOU, who are raising that child or those children ON YOUR OWN by choice, by design, because of certain "conditions", disease and/or death have robbed you of the support of a spouse!

-YOU, who are sure you can hear that baby still inside of you or the one still on his or her way to you courtesy of their Creator say "HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY, MOM!"

-YOU, TEACHER, who mould, nurture and mentor Child after Child, Day after Day!

-YOU, PEDRIATRIC NURSE or DOCTOR who soothe and calm the fears of the Children under your care at a time when even their own parents are unable to!

-YOU, AUNTY, GRANDMA, BIG or SMALL SISTER who is "STANDING IN THE GAP" because the "Original Mom" is not present in some child's life for whatever reason!

**-YOU, DAD, who has had to step up to the plate in your spouse's absence, (via death or otherwise), and learn to pack lunches, braid hair, and explain a first period or the snares involved in dating to your child!**

**-YOU, for whom this will be the FIRST or yet another Mother's Day when you are going to have to ask JESUS to pass on your Mother's Day wishes to your Mom who has gone to be with him.**

**-YOU, for whom this will be the FIRST or yet another Mother's Day when you don't get to be wished a HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY by one or more of your children whom God has called home!**

**-YOU, who will spend the day by your Mother or your Child's sick bed wondering whether or not you will be privileged to still have them with you next Mother's Day!**

**-YOU, whose heart breaks as you PRAY for your "prodigal" son or daughter to "COME HOME"!**

**-YOU, who are actually in the process of planning your Mother's funeral!**

**WHATEVER YOUR SPECIFIC CASE MAY BE,  
HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY TO YOU, and MAY GOD GRANT YOU THE  
GRACE TO ENJOY THE DAY because it is, after everything,  
A DAY THAT HE HAS MADE, and HIS wish is that YOU REJOICE  
AND BE GLAD IN IT!!!**

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