



Spiritual Genetics

Mother's Day 2007



“Being a mom is the hardest job on earth. It brings out the best and the worst in you.”

- Mary Southerland



Treat younger men as brothers, older women like mothers, and younger women as sisters in all purity.

- I Timothy 5:1-2



“She showed me the shape of godliness.”

- Elisabeth Elliot



Similarly, teach the older women to live in a way that is appropriate for someone serving the Lord. They must not go around speaking evil of others and must not be heavy drinkers. Instead, they should teach others what is good.




These older women must train the younger women to love their husbands and their children, to live wisely and be pure, to take care of their homes, to do good, and to be submissive to their husbands. Then they will not bring shame on the Word of God.


- Titus 2:3-5

A decorative frame with a white background and a black border, set against a yellow background. The frame is ornate, with a scalloped top and bottom edge and a central rectangular area. It is surrounded by intricate black floral and vine patterns, including leaves and scrolls, which are mirrored at the top and bottom. The text "Remain teachable." is centered within the white area of the frame.

Remain teachable.

A decorative frame with a yellow background and black floral patterns. The frame is white with a black border and contains the text "Watch your lifestyle." in a cursive font.

Watch your lifestyle.

A decorative border with intricate black floral and scrollwork patterns on a yellow background, framing a central white text box. The border is symmetrical and features stylized leaves and swirling vines.

Stay active in serving God.

A decorative border with intricate black floral and scrollwork patterns on a yellow background, framing the central text. The border is symmetrical and features a central floral motif at the top and bottom.

*Practice self-control with
your tongue.*



Be gracious in your speech. The goal is to bring out the best in others in a conversation, not put them down, not cut them out.

- Colossians 4:6



Can a mother forget her nursing child? Can she feel no love for a child she has borne? But even if that were possible, I would not forget you! See, I have written your name on my hand.

- Isaiah 49:15-16



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