

**When Momma Prays**  
**May 10, 2020**

**Genesis 20:17-18**, *“Abraham prayed to God, and God healed Abimelech and his wife and his maids, so that they bore children. For the Lord had closed fast all the wombs of the household of Abimelech because of Sarah, Abraham’s wife.”*

**2 Chronicles 16:9**, *“The eyes of the Lord move to and fro throughout the earth that He may strongly support those whose heart is completely His.”*

**Judges 17:6**, *“In those days Israel had no king; everyone did as he saw fit.”*

**God sometimes uses our pain to guide us away from our will, into His.**

*“God whispers to us in our pleasures, speaks in our conscience, but shouts in our pains; it is His megaphone to rouse a deaf world.” - C.S. Lewis*

**1 Samuel 1:11**, *“She made a vow and said, “O Lord of hosts, if You will indeed look on the affliction of Your maidservant and remember me, and not forget Your maidservant, but will give Your maidservant a son, then I will give him to the Lord all the days of his life.”*

**Exodus 13:2**, *“Sanctify to Me every firstborn, the first offspring of every womb among the sons of Israel, both of man and beast; it belongs to Me.”*

**Numbers 18:16**, *“As to their (your sons) redemption price, from a month old you shall redeem them, by your valuation, five shekels in silver.”*

**1 Samuel 2:21**, *“The Lord visited Hannah; and she conceived and gave birth to three sons and two daughters. And the boy Samuel grew before the Lord.”*

**Practical Application:**

**1. A Godly mother believes in the power of prayer and she's willing to pray for her family, to the point of weeping before God in her pain.**

**2. A Godly mother gives her children to God without reservation.**

**2 Timothy 1:12**, *“For this reason I also suffer these things, but I am not ashamed; for I know whom I have believed and I am convinced that He is able to guard what I have entrusted to Him until that day.”*

**3. A Godly mother wants God's best for her children.**

**4. A Godly mother keeps her word to God and to others.**

**1 Samuel 2:19**, *“Samuel's mother would make him a little robe and bring it to him from year to year when she would come up with her husband to offer the yearly sacrifice.”*

**5. A Godly mother tells her children stories about God.**

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