

# Character Traits of Moms Who Love

1 Thessalonians 2:7-8

Paul uses the illustration of a loving mother to \_\_\_\_\_  
his \_\_\_\_\_ to the Thessalonian Christians.

1 Thessalonians 2:7a

\_\_\_\_\_ mothers are gentle toward their  
\_\_\_\_\_ for several practical reasons:

1. A tense, uptight, angry mother is \_\_\_\_\_  
by the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Patience is vital for the \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ of the child.
3. What the mother \_\_\_\_\_, affects  
her child.
4. Nursing mothers naturally \_\_\_\_\_ with  
their baby.

There is a natural correlation between the \_\_\_\_\_  
of a mother and nursing infant and \_\_\_\_\_  
relationships.

Jesus Christ came as a “\_\_\_\_\_”  
\_\_\_\_\_.

Matthew 11:29-30

\_\_\_\_\_ are to be gentle in  
their leadership.

1 Thessalonians 2:6-7

A Christian \_\_\_\_\_ is to be gentle toward  
her \_\_\_\_\_, even if he’s an unbeliever.

1 Peter 3:4

The \_\_\_\_\_ of someone caught in  
\_\_\_\_\_ is to be done with gentleness.

Galatians 6:1

A nursing mother is a natural picture of caring for one’s  
\_\_\_\_\_.

1 Thessalonians 2:7

Nursing mothers \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ for their  
own children.

1 Kings 3:16-27

The same word “care” is used of a \_\_\_\_\_ love  
for his \_\_\_\_\_.

Ephesians 5:28-29

\_\_\_\_\_ who \_\_\_\_\_ are known for several other  
character traits.

These moms are truly affectionate, not \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

1 Thessalonians 2:8a

There is something very natural about

\_\_\_\_\_ toward one’s child.

2 Corinthians 9:14-15

A truly loving mother wants her child to  
\_\_\_\_\_ love.

1 Thessalonians 2:8

No loving mother, believer or unbeliever,  
ever wishes anything but \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ for their child.

The goal of parenting is to populate \_\_\_\_\_  
not \_\_\_\_\_.

John 4:23

It’s one thing to not care about your own  
soul. It’s quite another to \_\_\_\_\_ God  
so much that you would want your child  
to spend eternity in \_\_\_\_\_ with you.

Matthew 18:6

Moms who love want the very best for their child, even  
if it means \_\_\_\_\_ their own \_\_\_\_\_.

1 Thessalonians 2:8; Philippians 2:17

Every Christian needs to put on the character traits of moms  
who love, since this is most like \_\_\_\_\_  
himself.

John 10:11-18 reveals this kind of mother’s love in the  
metaphor of a \_\_\_\_\_ and his \_\_\_\_\_.