



# INDISPENSIBLE MOTHERHOOD

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*Selected Scriptures*

**I. How is our world undermining motherhood?**

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*“... the whole world lies in the power of the evil one.” (1 John 5:19)*

Satan is a real being, acting as a spiritual force and ruling this world for the sake of evil.

*“Your adversary, the devil, prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour.”*

Satan is an apex spiritual predator who is seeking to rip apart, to ravage, to claim as his victims as many souls as he can for the purpose of practicing evil.

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Are God's people immune to Satan's attacks?

*“But I am afraid that, as the serpent deceived Eve by his craftiness, your minds [hearts] will be led astray from a sincere and pure devotion to Christ.” (2 Cor. 11:3)*

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What is Satan's primary method of trapping Christians in his schemes and lies?

### Spiritual deception

Authority: who you most listen to and follow for how you live

*“He who gives attention to the word [of God] will find good. And blessed is he who trusts in the Lord.” (Prov. 16:20)*

*“There is a way which seems right to a man, but its end is the way of death.” (Prov. 16:25)*

**under the authority of their own minds**

## II. Why is the world we live in so confused, angry, and rebellious about something we consider so basic to life?

Now, when we think about the truth that:

- This entire world lies in the power of Satan,
- Satan is an active spiritual force seeking to ravage, ruin, and lie against our souls
- The devil schemes to deceive us into following his authority instead of God's authority as it is given to us in the Bible...

We might ask,

- 'Where is the hope for us to overcome this spiritual force of deception and lies, and to escape the evil Satan desires to create for us?'

### **III. Jesus is our Authority and Hope**

John 14:1, 6, 27; 16:1, 33; 17:17

1 John 2:15; 3:8; 4:4-6; 5:1, 4-5, 20-21

## **IV. What does this have to do with motherhood?**

We are answering the issue of spiritual deception about motherhood by turning to God's truth-book to expose the lies and guide us in truthful living for the greater glory of God.

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Who made motherhood?

Who came up with the role of being a mother?

Who made the responsibilities for that role?

The answers reveal our single highest authority for what it means to be a mom.

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Genesis 2:21-24

Genesis 1:28 (Repeated to Noah in Gen. 9:1, 7)

**Motherhood is rooted in womanhood.**

Deuteronomy 6:1-7

Ephesians 6:4

**But who** will still be home with you when the kids are grown and flown?

A godly marriage is made up of godly fathers and mothers who show the love of Jesus to each other, and then they labor together to model and minister that same love of Christ to their children... for a lifetime.

**Resist** Satan by submitting to God's truth...

**Draw near** to the Lord...

And make **loving your husband** in the love of Jesus the priority for your home life.

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