

# A Mother of Great Faith 伟大信心的母亲

## Exodus 出埃及记 2:1-10

### Introduction 引言

- Mothers are a very special people.  
母亲是很特别的人.
- Moses was one of the greatest leaders in the Bible because he had a great mother.  
摩西在圣经里是其中最伟大的领袖因为他有一位伟大的母亲.
- How can you be a great mother? Today's message is important for mothers and every Christian.  
如何成为伟大的母亲? 今天的信息对母亲和基督徒重要.
- Background: Pharaoh has give orders that every Israelite baby boy is to be thrown into river Nile. What should Moses' mother do?  
背景: 法老吩咐以色列的男婴都要被丢进尼罗河. 摩西的母亲该怎么办?

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1. Believe and act by faith in God that your child can do “fine” things  
要凭信心相信并行动, 孩子能做“美”善的事 (2:1-4)
  - The meaning of “fine”  
“美”的意思
  - Believe by faith that your child can do “fine” things  
凭信心相信你的孩子能作“美”善的事 (2:1-2a)
  - Act by faith by taking the necessary risks in a practical way  
凭信心采取必要的风险和实际行动 (2:2b-4)

*If my child's life objective is to please God, will his/her interests be neglected?*  
*我的孩子若以讨神喜悦为人生的目标, 他的利益是否会被忽略?*

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2. Believe that God will take care of your child  
相信神会眷顾你的孩子 (2:5-10)
  - Pharaoh's daughter happens to be bathing in the river and she notices the basket  
法老的女儿刚好在河边洗澡并注意到蒲草箱 (2:5)
  - Baby Moses happens to be crying  
婴孩摩西刚好在哭 (2:6)
  - Pharaoh's daughter happens to be willing to engage a Hebrew nurse  
法老的女儿刚好愿意聘请希伯来的奶妈 (2:7-8)

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- Moses' mother is paid to nurse her own child under the protection of Pharaoh  
摩西的母亲领薪来照顾自己的孩子并得到法老的保护 (2:9)
- Moses receives the best education and care in the palace of Egypt  
摩西受到埃及王宫的高等教育和照顾 (2:10)
- “For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for Me will save it.” (Luke 9:24)  
“因为凡要救自己生命的, 必丧掉生命. 凡为我丧掉生命的, 必救了生命” (Luke 路 9:24)

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3. Parents must train their children in godliness  
父母要栽培孩子敬畏神 (2:9b)
  - Mother teaches Moses knowledge about God  
母亲教导摩西有关于神的知识
  - Parents must train your children in godliness  
父母要教养孩子敬畏神
  - “Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old he will not depart from it”  
“教养孩童, 使他走当行的道, 就是到老他也不偏离”  
(Proverbs [English Standard Version] 箴言 22:6)

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- Train through family devotion  
通过家庭礼拜来教养
- Train by example  
通过榜样来教养
- “These commandments that I give you today are to be on your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up.”  
“我今日所吩咐你的话都要记在心上,也要殷勤教训你的儿女. 无论你坐在家里,行在路上,躺下,起来,都要谈论”  
(Deuteronomy 申命记 6:6-7)

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### Conclusion 结论

- Parents' main responsibility is to raise up godly children who will please God in their lives and be useful to God's people.  
父母主要的责任是培育敬畏神的人, 使他们在生命中讨神喜悦并对神的子民有用处.
- This requires you to have faith in God as you need to take practical risks when you put God's interest before your child's.  
你必须对神有信心, 面对实际的风险因你必须将神的事情放在首位, 在你的孩子/你的利益之前.
- Trust God to take care of your children.  
相信神会眷顾你的孩子
- To train children to be godly, do family worship. Teach by your own example. Show them how you face life crisis.  
教养孩子成为敬畏神的人, 可通过家庭礼拜和需要以身作则. 示范给他们看你是如何应对人生的危机.