

What a Beautiful Name!

May 14 2017

Welcome to one of the most special days of the year when we honor Mothers. I think the words of the Apostle Paul fit for moms today. I could hear those words on a mother's lips:

II Corinthians 13:11-14

M- Maturity

“grow in maturity” = mend your net

“encourage one another” = walk along side

“live in peace” = live in harmony

“THEN the God of love and peace will be with you.” (v.11, NLT)

O - Open-hearted

“Holy Kiss” = affection, family connection

M - Much More Many

“amazing grace” & “extravagant love” & “intimate friendship”

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Father Son Holy Spirit

May the blessing of the Gospel be with you!

Reflective Questions

1. What quality or characteristic do you appreciate in your mother? In what way does II Corinthians 13:11-14 sound like the words of Mom?
2. Discuss these final four verses. What part challenges you? What part blesses you?
3. Benedictions are recorded in the Bible from cover to cover: read these 5 and decide how they might bless you: Numbers 6:24-26; Romans 15:13; Thessalonians 5:23; Hebrews 13:20-21; Jude 1:24-25.



Next Sunday, May 21 @ 10am —

What is on God's heart for our church? Let's anticipate this special gathering with an eagerness to respond to God's Word for us.