



HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY  
**SUPERMOM**

# **MOM'S ARE IMPORTANT!**

**First you don't get here without them**

**When you scrape your knee you usually go looking for mom**

**We learn a great deal of our life skills from mom**

**When it comes to faith mom often they lead**





# A LOT TO LEARN ABOUT LIFE



**He is teaching  
on His second coming**

**REMEMBER LOT'S WIFE**

**(Luke 17:30-36)**





# REMEMBER LOT'S WIFE

**He emphasizes how sudden that moment will come**

**No time to collect your possessions even if you are right there with them.**

**There will be no time to harvest something new**

**We can't be in love with our life here on this planet**

## CHAOS AND CONFUSION



# **IN NOT OF**

**Make no mistake Jesus is very interested in the IN not OF concept**

**When is it happening?**

**Even though Jesus says no one knows (Matthew 24:36)**

**What was Jesus Warning Us about?**



# REMEMBER LOT'S WIFE

**By the time Lot reached Zoar, the sun had risen over the land. Then the Lord rained down burning sulfur on Sodom and Gomorrah—from the Lord out of the heavens. Thus, he overthrew those cities and the entire plain, destroying all those living in the cities—and also the vegetation in the land. But Lot's wife looked back, and she became a pillar of salt.**

**Genesis 19:23-26**





# ***SHE LOOKED BACK!***

**With the coming of dawn, the angels urged Lot, saying, “Hurry! Take your wife and your two daughters who are here, or you will be swept away when the city is punished.”**

**God had sent messengers to deliver her family from destruction, but she looked back**

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**She escaped with her family and her life,  
but she looked back**





# **WHY LOOK BACK?**

**Like Lot's wife God sent somebody into our lives to rescue us from certain destruction**

**You have been rescued (Galatians 5:3-5)**

**And you are commanded to flee. (2 Timothy 2:22)**

**Maybe we have much more in common with Lot's wife then we think**



# WHY LOOK BACK?

**When he hesitated, the men grasped his hand and the hands of his wife and of his two daughters and led them safely out of the city, for the Lord was merciful to them. As soon as they had brought them out, one of them said, “Flee for your lives! Don’t look back, and don’t stop anywhere in the plain! Flee to the mountains or you will be swept away!”**





# **DAWDLED**

**It always begins with leadership**

**She looked back, however, it was Lot that refused to move forward**

**It says he hesitated**

**What if he had boldly led his family instead of being pulled from his “life” kicking and screaming**

**Lot’s hesitation added to his wife’s doubt**



# **DISBELIEF**

**I don't think we take God at his word**

**The verse says He is a merciful God**

**He wouldn't really allow anybody to actually be sent to Hell?**

**He's a forgiving God He really would not punish for something as small as looking back?**





# **WE FORGET**

**When he comes, he will prove the world to be in the wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: about sin, because people do not believe in me.**

**John 16:8-9**

# **DO YOU BELIEVE?**

**“Therefore, I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothes?”**

**Matthew 6:25**



# ***DISTRACTED***

**Remember they had built a life in that city.**

**They had investments**

**Their daughters were going to be married**

**Their future was in that city.**

# ***THIS CAN'T BE HAPPENING!***





# ***DISTRACTED***

**I am saying this for your own good, not to restrict you, but that you may live in a right way in undivided devotion to the Lord.**

**1 Corinthians 7:35**

**We are easily distracted individuals**

**How far did she get?**

**It does not matter how far you go if you never actually leave it behind**



# **DISOBEDIENT**

**She was warned not to look back**

**God told her run for your life**

**Don't STOP! *DESIRE -- I WANT!***

**Often, we look back simply because We Want  
(Romans 6:12)**

***MY LIFE!***





# DISINTERESTED

DIDN'T WANT TO GO

**She never really wanted to leave her old life behind**

***“Whoever tries to keep their life will lose it, and whoever loses their life will preserve it.”***

**Even with messenger of God standing right before them they hesitate**

**FORCED TO LEAVE**





# **REMEMBER LOT'S WIFE**

**She just a person that  
looked back**





***WE HAVE A LOT TO LEARN  
ABOUT MOVING FORWARD  
Starting with STOP Looking Back***

