

# The Week of May 8, 2022 Mother's Day Conversation Guide

## This Week's Takeaways

- About Salvation: (Ephesians 2:1-10) Salvation is an act of God's grace, not of our works. God offers redemption of anyone who accepts Jesus as Lord and Savior. They become new persons in Christ, have their sins forgiven by God, are set apart to live for God's purposes and anticipate eternity in heaven with God.
- I engage in the missionary task wherever I am: (Matthew 28:18-20) Through both my words and actions, I engage in gospel conversations with those around me. I take the gospel around the world by going, give, pray and send others.

### **Intro Questions**

- · Was your mother a good spiritual influence in your life?
- Do you have to be a mother to be a good spiritual influence on young people and children?
- · How can you invest in others spiritually?

## **Key Scriptures**

#### Deuteronomy 6:4-9 (CSB)

Listen, Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength. These words that I am giving you today are to be in your heart. Repeat them to your children. Talk about them when you sit in your house and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. Bind them as a sign on your hand and let them be a symbol on your forehead. Write them on the doorposts of your house and on your city gates.

- What should be our ultimate goal for the children in our lives?
- Does your responsibility to spiritual guide our children end once they reach adulthood?

#### Titus 2:1-5

But you are to proclaim things consistent with sound teaching. Older men are to be self-controlled, worthy of respect, sensible, and sound in faith, love, and endurance. In the same way, older women are to be reverent in behavior, not slanderers, not slaves to excessive drinking. They are to teach what is good, so that they may encourage the young women to love their husbands and to love their children, to be self-controlled, pure, workers at home, kind, and in submission to their husbands, so that God's word will not be slandered.

- Download the 3 Circles app (https://www.namb.net/evangelism/life-on-mission-app/)and practice going through it in your group. Pair up and practice together!
- Pray about who you should share the 3 Circles with this week.

# **Next Steps**

• Fill in the circles in the chart on the next page with the names of people you know. Tack it on your fridge this week as a prayer list.

