

God's Gift of Love

Ministry of the Mother's Love

What is The Ministry of the Mother's Love?

When a mother does not love her child properly, with the Love of God, coming from a personal relationship with her Heavenly Father, that lack of nurture is often the source of a broken heart and ultimately, separation from an intimate relationship with God.



The Ministry of the Mother's Love addresses that situation in a person's life.

The Scriptures tell us that the image of God is both male and female. **Genesis 1:27** says, "So God created man in his own image, created he him, male and female, created he them." This points out that God's image is reflected in both our father and our mother.

Consider **Psalm 139:13-16**, "For you formed my inward parts; you knitted me together in my mother's womb. I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well. My frame was not hidden from you, when I was being made in secret, intricately woven in the depths of the earth. Your eyes saw my unformed substance; in your book were written, every one of them, the days that were formed for me, when as yet there were none of them."

God's image, reflected in the Mother, is seen throughout scripture. God says, He is tender hearted, He is full of tender mercies, He gathers the lambs with his arm and carries them in his bosom, gently leads those with young, He is full of loving kindness, teaching and guiding.

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When seen through God's eyes, both a mother and a father would properly nurture a child. In growing up, our mothers did not always nurture us as God would have had them do and perhaps they ignored us or abandoned us in some way or another. Without this love and nurture that God intended, this is often a fundamental source of a broken heart and separation from an intimate relationship with God.

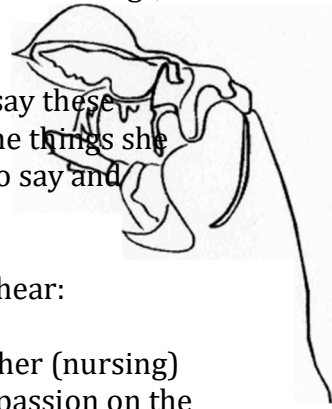
Begin the Ministry:

Today, I will stand here in place of your Mother. I take responsibility for you as a sister and stand in for your pain.

What your mother did not say or could not say because of her issues in her life, I will say to you today and you will hear these words in your heart. These are the things your Father God wanted you to hear from your mother.

Sometimes it is helpful asking forgiveness first and then say the things they should have heard their mother say. . Take your time saying each of these things. Sometimes you will know or have some indication that the person is

saying in her heart - "My mother wouldn't say these things to me." Assure them that these are the things she would have said and that God created her to say and wanted her to say.



Then speak the words their heart needs to hear:

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Here, encourage them to continue to forgive aloud anything they think of, and as they begin to audibly forgive for things they remember of their own childhood.

Continue Ministry:

In the name of Jesus, I release you from your pain. I release you to be the woman/man God intended you to be and I speak healing to your broken heart. Father God, heal the places of hurt and abandonment, heal these hearts that have been so broken and damaged.

Share with us, your presence and your love, and hold these your children in your arms, carry them in your arms and gently lead them as you created their Mothers to do.

End by encouraging them to continue to forgive their mothers as God brings up more things they remember. This will continue the healing process.