

**When Everyone is Your Mother
The Early Life of Moses
Exodus 2.1-10**

1. Miriam looked out for the needs of baby Moses.
2. A Godly woman looks out for others.

The Three “Mothers” of Moses

A. Jochebed - A Mother who Trusted

1. Her trust led her to release baby Moses.
2. A Godly mother trusts in God’s providence.

Are you trusting in God’s providence?

B. Pharaoh's Daughter - A Mother who Rescued

1. Her compassion led her rescue baby Moses.
2. A Godly mother opens her heart.

Are you demonstrating unconditional love?

C. Miriam - A Mother by Action

Are you looking out for others?

Are we trusting in the providence of God? Are we loving unconditionally and are we loving in a way that looks out for others?

On Your Own or With Your Family

Take some time this week to read about these other mothers from Scripture. How were they similar to the women in Moses’ life? How were they different? **Hannah (1 Samuel 1.1-2.11), Mary (Luke 1.26-38) and Naomi (Ruth 1-4).**

In what ways can we demonstrate a greater trust in God’s providence in our daily lives?

Meditate this week on the unconditional love that God has shown us. Consider reading these Psalms as you think about God’s love: **Psalm 36; Psalm 57; Psalm 103; Psalm 139.**

Think of someone in your life who has been a mother to you in some way. Do something special this week to encourage and thank them.