Church Sub Theme for 2019-24: "What's The Church Supposed To Be Like?!" (Problems in the Church)

Sunday May 12, 2024 Sermon Outline

> "Motherhood A Challenge And A Blessing!" - Various Scriptures -(Mother's Day Sermon)

I. BIOLOGICAL MOTHERHOOD IS BEST FULFILLED IN MARRIAGE (The Challenge)

- A. It Was God's Plan For The Human Race
 - 1. In the beginning, Gen 1:27,28; 3:20
 - 2. In the repopulation of the earth, Gen 9:1,7
- B. Outside Of Marriage It Violates God's Plan, It is sin.
 - 1. It is mere immorality, 1 Thess. 4:3; Col 3:5; Matt 19:9; 1:18,19; John 8:41
 - 2. When it happens what are we to do?
 - a. As Individuals, --Repent before God <u>for Salvation</u>, Acts 26:17,18; <u>For Restoration</u> as a Christian,1 Jn. 1:9

b. As Parents -- Restore, 2 Cor 12:21; Gal 6:1

c. As a Church Family --Love and not a judgmental attitude, John 15:12;1 John 3:11; Luke 6:37

II. MOTHERS ARE TO BE HONORED

- A. God Commands It, Ex 20:12; Eph 6:2
- B. God Regards Disrespect Of Mothers As A Serious Sin, Ex 21:15, 17; Deut. 21:18-21; Deut. 27:16; Prov 23:22; Matt 15:4-6
- C. Motherhood Must Not Be Elevated Above Relationship With God, Matt 10:37;Matt 12:46-50

III. MOTHERS CAN HAVE GREAT INFLUENCE

- A. For Good, Prov 6:20; 31:1; 26-30; 2 Tim 1:5
- B. For Evil, 1 Ki 22:51,52; 2 Chr 22:2,3; Matt 14:6-11