

Do Not Forsake Your Mother's Teaching

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King Solomon _____ his mother

Solomon compiled the book of Proverbs, Prov. 1:1

Despite her scandalous past (David's adultery, David murdering Uriah), 1 Kings 2:19

Proverbs' Theme: *The fear of God is the key to all wisdom and blessing*

If we don't fear/revere God, then someone/something else sits on the throne of our heart

1. God entrusts _____ to teach the fear of God

2. Children, obey _____ authority, Prov. 1:8, Ex. 20:12
Those who do not, the Bible calls fools, scoffers, mockers, 2 Peter 3:3

3. Why should we obey? It leads to blessings, Prov. 1:9, 19:23, Eph 6:2

My response to God's Word

- A. **Honor:** I will thank a woman today for teaching or mentoring me.
 - B. **Submit:** when mom or authority speaks, I will listen attentively, and look them humbly in their eyes.
 - C. **Confess:** sometimes I scoff at authority. I will listen with an open mind.
 - D. **Pray:** Mother's Day is difficult for me. Please pray for God's comfort, healing, peace.
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