

A mother's annual compensation
package in fair market value:
\$138,095

"My momma always said,
'Life is like a box of chocolates.
You never know what you're
gonna get.'" —**Forrest Gump**

"Stupid is as stupid does."

My mother taught me...

TO APPRECIATE A JOB WELL DONE

"If you're going to kill each
other, do it outside.
I just finished cleaning."

My mother taught me...

PRAYER

"You better pray that
will come out of the carpet."

My mother taught me...

LOGIC

"Because I said so, that's why."

My mother taught me...

FORESIGHT

“Make sure you wear clean underwear, in case you’re in an accident.”

My mother taught me...

IRONY

“Keep crying, and I’ll give you something to cry about.”

My mother taught me...

OSMOSIS

“Shut your mouth and eat your supper.”

My mother taught me...

ANTICIPATION

“Just wait until we get home.”

My mother taught me...

GENETICS

“You’re just like your father.”

My mother taught me...

JUSTICE

“One day you’ll have kids, and I hope they turn out just like you!”

⁸Hear, my son, your father's instruction, and forsake not your mother's teaching, ⁹for they are a graceful garland for your head and pendants for your neck.

—Proverbs 1:8-9

Listen to Your Mother (Words to Live By)

1. Happiness

This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. —Psalm 118:24

Listen to Your Mother (Words to Live By)

1. Happiness
2. Smile

A glad heart makes a cheerful face, but by sorrow of heart the spirit is crushed.

—Proverbs 15:13

Listen to Your Mother (Words to Live By)

1. Happiness
2. Smile
3. Work

Listen to Your Mother (Words to Live By)

1. Happiness
2. Smile
3. Work
4. Service

**Serve the LORD
with gladness!
—Psalm 100:2**

Listen to Your Mother (Words to Live By)

1. Happiness
2. Smile
3. Work
4. Service
5. Gratitude

**In every thing give thanks:
for this is the will of God
in Christ Jesus concerning you.
—1 Thessalonians 5:18 KJV**

Listen to Your Mother (Words to Live By)

1. Happiness
2. Smile
3. Work
4. Service
5. Gratitude
6. Generosity

**“It is more blessed to
give than to receive.”
—Acts 20:35**

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| 3. Work | |
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| 5. Gratitude | |
| 6. Generosity | |

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Let each of you look not only
to his own interests, but also to
the interests of others.

—Philippians 2:4

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| 6. Generosity | |

...pray without ceasing...

—1 Thessalonians 5:17

The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working. —James 5:16

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| 6. Generosity | 12. Faith |

For the LORD God is a sun and shield; the LORD bestows favor and honor. No good thing does he withhold from those who walk uprightly. —Psalm 84:11

“No man is poor who has had a godly mother.”

—Abraham Lincoln