

This Week's Lesson, Seeds of Love-a Mother's Day Poem

When Mom hugs her children
She plants a seed of love
And all her loving kisses
Come from God above.

When Mom laughs and giggles
She plants a seed of joy
Like when she tickles your belly
Or plays with your favorite toy

When Mom tucks you in at night
She plants a seed of peace
She prays for God to bless you
With a calm and restful sleep

When Mom asks you to wait for something
A seed of patience is what she sows
For all good things in life
Take some time to grow

When Mom makes you something to eat
She plants a seed so kind
She always knows what's good for you
Even if you have cookies in mind

When Mom washes all your clothes
Seeds of goodness she plants
She works so hard to get them clean
So you'll have nice shirts and pants

When Mom takes care of you all day
Faithfulness is the seed she sows
Making sure you have all you need
Even nice shoes for your toes

When Mom takes you in her arms
A gentle seed is planted deep
She may sing you a little song
To comfort you or help you sleep

When Mom tells you "No,no,no!"
She plants a seed of self-control
She knows not everything is good for you
So you should listen to what your told

But the greatest seed a Mom can plant
Is the seed of God's great love
She wants you to know Him as she does
So one day you'll both live with Him in Heaven above

This is a poem for mothers day. But we all know that mothers come with lots of different names. It may be mom, stepmother, grandma or aunt, or so many other names. No matter what we call her she is the one that takes care of us and gives us her unconditional love, just like God gives all his children unconditional love.

Let's take some time today to show how thankful we are that God sent these wonderful people to us. And make it a habit to show our love and how grateful we are to them.

Prayer

Dear God,

Thank you for sending us moms to look after us and teach us about You and your son Jesus Christ. Amen



Mother's Day Craft for this week - Seeds of Love Lesson

Materials:

Green construction paper
Craft paint or ink pads (your choice of colors)
White card stock
Flower template
Ribbon
Glue
Scissors

Directions:

Print template (as many flowers as you'd like to use) on cardstock and cut out, or just make a flower on cardstock with fingerprints.

Use craft paint or ink pad to make your fingerprints on the flower template or just make your fingerprints in a flower shape on blank cardstock.

Take a large sheet of green construction paper, fold it in half lengthwise.

Cut strips $\frac{3}{4}$ "-1" from unfolded size about half way down (see picture) — —>

Roll into a cylinder, glue the uncut portion which will be the bottom of your craft to keep the cylinder together.

Wrap a ribbon around that portion and make a bow.

Glue flowers randomly onto the cut strips of green construction paper.

