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- 85.4 million mothers in U.S. (2008)

- During the 1600's, England celebrated a day called "Mothering Sunday." Servants would go home to see their families, bringing cakes and sweets to their moms. This custom was called "going a-mothering".
- Anna Jarvis organized the first U.S. Mother's Day in 1908. Observances were held in Grafton, WV and Philadelphia.
- In 1914, Congress designated the second Sunday in May as Mother's Day.

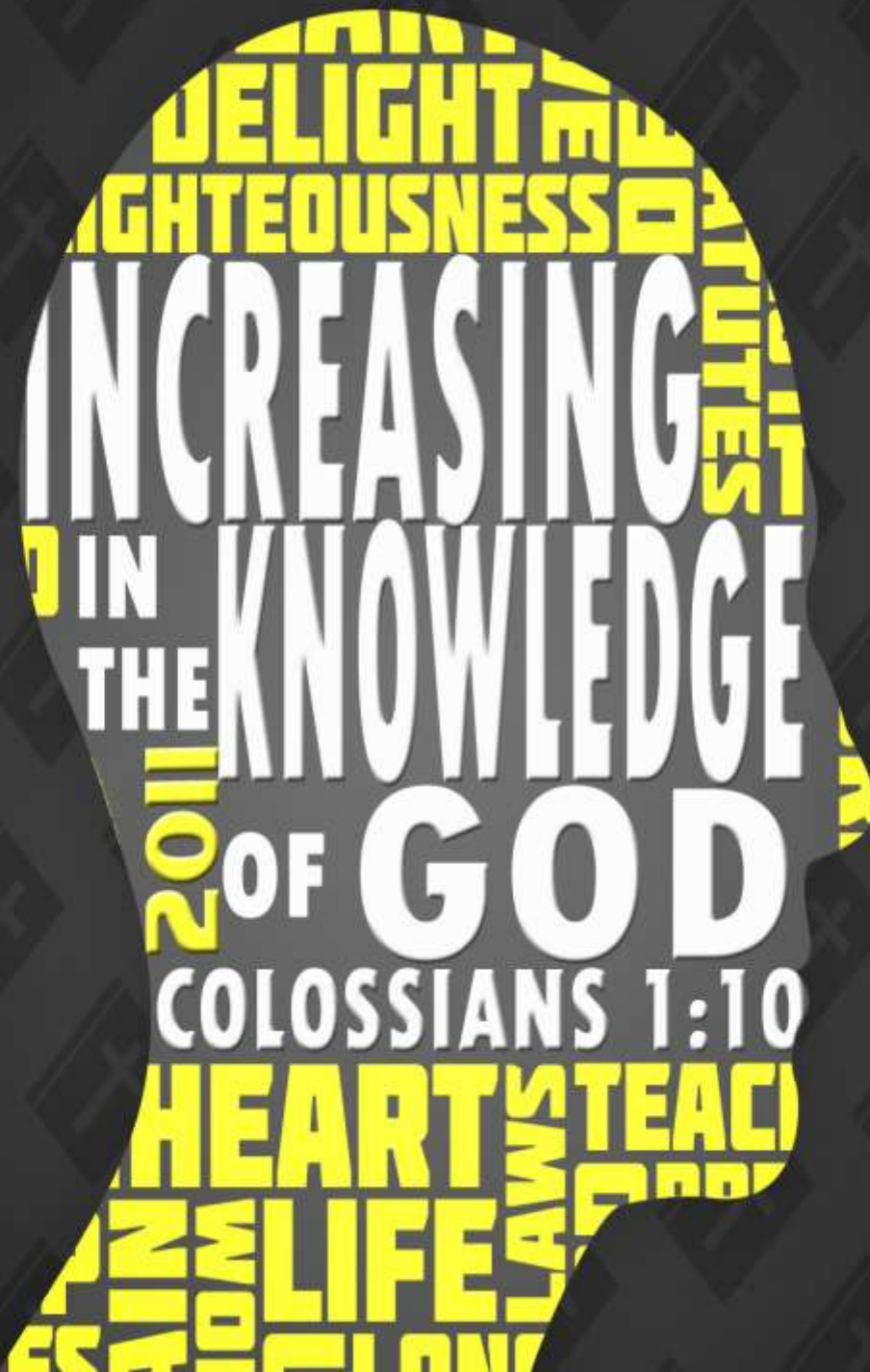
Mother's
DAY CELEBRATION



- **68% of people plan to call Mom on Mother's Day, totaling 122.5 million phone calls**
- **50% of households give Mother's Day cards, totaling some 152 million cards**
- **Mother's Day spending in the United States is expected to reach \$15.6 billion US this year, up 3.7 per cent from 2010 (research firm IBISWorld0.**
- **The average American will spend about \$58 on mom this year, up from \$56.60 in 2010.**



Mothers Deserve More



DELIGHT
RIGHTEOUSNESS
INCREASING
LIFE

IN
THE KNOWLEDGE

2011 OF GOD

COLOSSIANS 1:10

HEART'S TEACH

LIFE
LAWYER

WOMAN
LAWYER



Mother's
DAY CELEBRATION

Ephesians 5:25-30; 6:1-3



**Mother's Day,
Everyday**

WHAT SHE DESERVES



WILLIAM & KATE

A Royal Wedding Herald Sun



"Marriage is a dying institution. I think we have to make our own rules. I don't think we should live our lives in relationships based off old traditions that don't suit our world any longer," said the 'Charlies Angels' star.



Eph 5:25-27

25 Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself up for her, 26 so that He might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, 27 that He might present to Himself the church in all her glory, having no spot or wrinkle or any such thing; but that she would be holy and blameless.

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LOVE



- **Eph. 5:28-30**
- **28 So husbands ought also to love their own wives as their own bodies. He who loves his own wife loves himself; 29 for no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as Christ also does the church, 30 because we are members of His body. NASU**



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LISTENING

- **Ex 20:12** "**Honor** your father and your mother, that your days may be prolonged in the land which the Lord your God gives you. **NASU**
- **Cf. Rom. 1:30**



LISTENING



- **Ephesians 6:4**
Fathers, do not
provoke your
children to anger,
but bring them up
in the discipline and
instruction of the
Lord.

LISTENING



**Mother's Day
Everyday**

WHAT MOTHERS DESERVE EVERYDAY

- **HUSBAND: Loved, Cherished**
- **CHILDREN: Obedience, Honor**





- **LOVE, LISTENING**
- **MESSAGE OF LORD**
- **ACCEPTANCE OF LORD**
- **OUR LIVING FOR LORD**

BEST GIFTS



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