



Snapshots of Jesus' Mom

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I. At a Passover Festival

Luke 2:41-52 (NLT)

41 Every year Jesus' parents went to Jerusalem for the Passover festival.

42 When Jesus was twelve years old, they attended the festival as usual.

43 After the celebration was over, they started home to Nazareth, but Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem. His parents didn't miss him at first,

Luke 2:41-52 (NLT)

44 because they assumed he was among the other travelers. But when he didn't show up that evening, they started looking for him among their relatives and friends.

45 When they couldn't find him, they went back to Jerusalem to search for him there.

46 Three days later they finally discovered him in the Temple, sitting among the religious teachers, listening to them and asking questions.

Luke 2:41-52 (NLT)

47 All who heard him were amazed at his understanding and his answers.

48 His parents didn't know what to think. "Son," his mother said to him, "why have you done this to us? Your father and I have been frantic, searching for you everywhere."

49 "But why did you need to search?" he asked. "Didn't you know that I must be in my Father's house?"

Luke 2:41-52 (NLT)

50 But they didn't understand what he meant.

51 Then he returned to Nazareth with them and was obedient to them. And his mother stored all these things in her heart.

52 Jesus grew in wisdom and in stature and in favor with God and all the people.



II. At a Wedding

John 2:1-12 (NLT)

¹ The next day there was a wedding celebration in the village of Cana in Galilee. Jesus' mother was there,

² and Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the celebration.

³ The wine supply ran out during the festivities, so Jesus' mother told him, "They have no more wine."

John 2:1-12 (NLT)

4 “Dear woman, that’s not our problem,” Jesus replied. “My time has not yet come.”

5 But his mother told the servants, “Do whatever he tells you.”

6 Standing nearby were six stone water jars, used for Jewish ceremonial washing. Each could hold twenty to thirty gallons.

John 2:1-12 (NLT)

**7 Jesus told the servants, “Fill the jars with water.”
When the jars had been filled,**

**8 he said, “Now dip some out, and take it to the
master of ceremonies.” So the servants followed
his instructions.**

**9 When the master of ceremonies tasted the water
that was now wine, not knowing where it had come
from (though, of course, the servants knew), he
called the bridegroom over.**

John 2:1-12 (NLT)

¹⁰ “A host always serves the best wine first,” he said. “Then, when everyone has had a lot to drink, he brings out the less expensive wine. But you have kept the best until now!”

¹¹ This miraculous sign at Cana in Galilee was the first time Jesus revealed his glory. And his disciples believed in him.

¹² After the wedding he went to Capernaum for a few days with his mother, his brothers, and his disciples.



III. At the Cross

John 19:25-27 (NLT)

25 Standing near the cross were Jesus' mother, and his mother's sister, Mary (the wife of Clopas), and Mary Magdalene.

26 When Jesus saw his mother standing there beside the disciple he loved, he said to her, "Dear woman, here is your son."

27 And he said to this disciple, "Here is your mother." And from then on this disciple took her into his home.