

Mothers,

WHEN DO YOU LET GO?

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John 2:4, Jesus said to her, "Woman, what does your concern have to do with Me? My hour has not yet come." NKJV

John 2:4, "Dear woman, why do you involve me?" Jesus replied. "My time has not yet come." NIV

John 2:4, And Jesus said to her, " Woman, what does that have to do with us? My hour has not yet come." NASU

WHEN DO YOU LET GO, AS A MOTHER? OR DO YOU EVER LET GO?

John 2:1-12

1 On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there.

2 Now both Jesus and His disciples were invited to the wedding. 3 And when they ran out of wine, the mother of Jesus said to Him, "They have no wine."

4 Jesus said to her, "Woman, what does your concern have to do with Me? My hour has not yet come."

5 His mother said to the servants, "Whatever He says to you, do it."

12 After this He went down to Capernaum, He, His mother, His brothers, and His disciples; and they did not stay there many days.

NOTICE THAT THE WEDDING TOOK PLACE:

- AFTER JESUS, in Chapter 1, HAD SOME INTERACTION WITH FIVE MEN WHO CAME AND FOLLOWED HIM. THEY WERE ALSO INVITED TO THE WEDDING.
- IT COULD BE A SUGGESTION THAT THESE MEN COULD HAVE BEEN RESPONSIBLE FOR THE REASON WHY THERE WAS NO MORE WINE.
- IN THIS STORY, MARY AND JESUS HAVE A VERY INTERESTING CONVERSATION THAT GOES BEYOND NOT HAVE ENOUGH WINE.

Mothers, do you know your children?

- How do you let go? Should you allow your children to become quality independent thinkers, good decision-makers, task oriented students.
- Are your children committed Christians?
- Can you trust them to make good decisions - even decisions concerning your welfare?
- Will they be able to speak for you?
- How do you let go?

(5) Helpful Suggestions

- Let Go - From the womb
- Let Go - From the worry and stress of Life
- Let Go – To face the world
- Let Go - To do the work of God
- Let Go - To entrust with the word of God

Mary was with Jesus even to the end.

John 19:26-27

26 When Jesus therefore saw His mother, and the disciple whom He loved standing by, He said to His mother, "Woman, behold your son!"

27 Then He said to the disciple, "Behold your mother!" And from that hour that disciple took her to his own home. NKJV