

# ALTAPASS ALLEGORIES

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When the mother of Moses prepared a basket for her son, not only was she acting under the direction of God but also the motivation of a mother's love. When Hannah left her son at the temple, she loved him enough to prepare him for the greatest life he could have, being the servant of the most High God.

The moment a mother holds her infant for the first time, there enters a love into her heart like no other on earth. She will spend the rest of her life loving, protecting, and praying for that child. This is not something new with mothers of today. The love of a mother is as old as time itself.

There lived a small boy in Florida who was told repeatedly by his parents not to go into a nearby pond. Alligators had been seen there. One afternoon, the boy came home from school hot and tired. The pond looked cool and inviting. Forgetting all warnings, he dived in and started swimming. Close to the center of the pond he came face to face with a large alligator. Turning around, he tried hard to swim away but the alligator was faster and soon clamped his teeth into his leg. The boy's mother heard him screaming. While a neighbor dialed 911, the mother jumped into the water and swam out to help her son. A tug of war ensued between the mother and the alligator. The mother never let go. Rescuers soon came to the mother's aid and the boy was saved. When he was released from the hospital, a TV crew asked to interview him. After revealing the alligator bites, he asked the reporter if he wanted to see the rest of his injuries. When asked what he meant, he told them he had scars his mother made when she wouldn't let go.

Now isn't that just like a mother? Whether it's an alligator or Satan himself trying to pull her child under she just keeps holding on. As long as there is life in her she will never let go. How many of us have been delivered from the clutches of Satan by a mother's love and prayers. Jesus heard and came to rescue us. Thank you, mothers, for never letting go. God bless you!

Happy Mother's Day!