My mother, Velma Hamilton, was an outstanding Christian. She was a very strong worker in His Kingdom. She showed the light in raising my three brothers and me on the farm. ~Paul Hamilton

Together my parents reflect the qualities of God! Mom was omnipresent and omniscient and understanding. Dad was omnipotent and loving.

Dad read the bible to me. Mom always loved me.

She impacted my life by loving and encouraging me.

My mother was a wonderful Christian example for me. We lived on a big farm. There were seven of us children. On Sunday morning she would bundle us all in the car, one time it was a 1937 Pontiac and take us to Pleasant Grove Evangelical church on Rt. 546. Also on some Sundays my mother and brothers and me would go horse backriding. Wonderful memories. ~Maxine Hardin

There were five of us kids in Fostoria. We three older ones started Sunday school. Mom would read bible stories to us. In 1942 we moved to Mansfield, I was 12 years old. We started going to the Methodist church on the square. All of us were sprinkled in 1943. ~Cliff Hardin

## This section is from the kids and it is written just as they wrote it.

She loves all our family ~Aiden Armstrong

My mom is really nice. She is relly good at cooking! And she is fun to paly with. She is very pretty. ~Marlee Cromer

I love how you are so nice to me and love that you do scool with me. I love that you make delouse dinner. ~Lilly Dawson

Love, nice, play, nice hair, plays outside. ~Cayden Sharp

I love my mommy because she gives me good hugs. ~ Jay Thompson

I love my mom because she feeds me, takes me places with her and encourages me. ~Sadie Thompson

I love my mom because she takes care of me. ~Hope Thompson

My mom has impacted me by teaching me how to live and how we all need to know God. ~ Merista Brown

Reading books about Jesus. ~Kilian Litt

She tells me never give up. She helps whenever I need it. ~Keith Rogers

My mom loves me and I love my mom too. Mom takes me to school and she coaches my soccer team. ~Kinsley Clower

Dear mom, Thank you for every you do for me, thank you for wakeing me up and tickling me. Thank you for cooking dinr for me.

I love how you are so nice to me.

My mom is helpful because she takes me to all of my afterschool activities. She is kind and nice. She takes care of all our family. She takes me to school every day because she subs. She even takes care of our dog. And she packs my lunch and makes dinner. She plays with me too!! She is so funny! That is why I love my mom! ~Alaina Hawkins

Dear mom, I love you very much more than you love me. I like holding your hand. I love more than anything. ~Luke Roseberry

My mom is nice and kind. She is helpful. ~Zane Brown

Dear Mom, my mom loves me to the farthest planet and back. She watches my games. She makes really good food. She take me to really fun and yummy places. ~Morgan Armstrong

Mom takes me to school and home. She takes me to hockey and loves me. She makes me dinner. ~Joel Twedt