

Mary, Mother of Jesus

(Luke 1:46-55)

- Introduction:
1. Mary, the mother of Jesus, has received a good bit of attention by the religious world, and rightly so.
 - a. She was a chosen vessel by God (Luke 1:48).
 2. However, most of what is said about Mary today is inaccurate and extra-biblical.
 - a. The “immaculate conception.”
 - b. The perpetual virginity of Mary.
 - c. The sinlessness of Mary.
 - d. The assumption of Mary.
 - e. Mary’s role as co-redemtrix.
 3. In the midst of all the confusion concerning Mary, let us go to her actual words and let us learn some helpful and truthful lessons from her life.

I. Do Whatever He Tells You To Do

- A. (John 2:5).
- B. (Luke 6:46; John 14:15).
- C. (John 14:6).

II. Be Willing To Accept God’s Will

- A. (Luke 1:38).
- B. Submitting to God isn’t always easy, but it’s always right.
- C. (Matthew 6:10).

III. God Is Worthy To Be Praised And Worshiped

- A. (Luke 1:46-56).
- B. (Psalm 29:2; Philippians 2:10-11; Romans 14:11).

IV. Mary Pondered On The Word Of God

- A. (Luke 2:19).
- B. (Psalm 1:1-2; Psalm 49:3).

- Conclusion:
1. Mary must have been a godly woman for God to have chosen her to be the mother of Jesus.
 2. This choice is verified by the relatively little information about what she said and did.
 3. We would do well to heed the actions and advice of this godly mother.