



Good morning and welcome to Concord on this Mother's Day. It is good to take time to recognize mothers, dedicate babies, and talk about family life in our changing world. I do think there ought to be a Hall of Fame for Mama!

Usually I preach a Mother's Day sermon dedicated to moms as a stand alone message. Today I am beginning a series that will stretch to Father's Day. For the next several weeks I will be addressing from God's Word the current state of family life in America. "The Family Under Fire" is our theme and I want to look at the clearest teaching I can find in the Bible on this topic. I want you to pray for me and please invite people to church over these next few weeks.

We are going to the very beginning of the instruction manual today.

- I. The _____ Course for the family. (Genesis 2:18-25)
 - A) Adam _____ his wife.
 - B) There were areas of _____ and areas of _____.
 - C) She was made to _____.
 - D) They became _____.
 - E) _____ was part of the plan.
 - F) _____.

- II. The _____ Course. (Genesis 3:1-6)
 - A) _____
 - B) _____
 - C) _____The family was under fire.

- III. The _____ Course.
The promise of a _____ is found in Genesis 3:15.
It is time to go back to the manufacturer's instructions.

Your Servant in Christ,
Bro. Monte