



MOTHER/DAUGHTER DATE

*Sometime before Mother's Day, go out for coffee or something special.
Spend some time talking about the following...*

Mother

Thinking of when your daughter was younger, describe some ways you matched her life to yours... maybe in clothing or other ways.

Daughter

Thinking of when you were younger, describe your favorite memory with your mother.

Mother and Daughter

What are three things in your lives that don't match and often cause stress between you. Each of you should make your own list and then compare them. Be careful to describe your own preferences and ideas without correction, criticism or disrespect.

Mother

Are you situating yourself near to Jesus so that He can redeem you each day? (Psalm 144:15) Describe what you do to situate yourself near to Him. Explain something that He has recently "fixed" in your heart or mind. Describe something that you need to bring to Him to fix.

Daughter

Honestly describe your desire to be in right relationship with Jesus by picking one of the following phrases:

- Deep desire, nothing matters more
- Distracted desire, you care about a relationship with Jesus , but other things distract you from Him
- Delayed desire, you know He is important, but you keep putting Him off for later
- Deficient desire, you really don't have a desire for knowing Jesus

Jesus desires to be in relationship with you. He can take your lack of desire and redeem even that if you will give it to Him. How will you situate yourself near to Jesus in this season of your life? (Psalm 144:12) Give your mother the opportunity to share with you why it is so important to her that you choose to do that.

Mother Daughter

Share with your daughter about any challenges you are having in being anxious as a mom (Philippians 1:6). Share with her one thing she could do to encourage you as her mom and woman of God.

Daughter

Share with your mother about any challenges you are having in stepping up to be responsible for your relationship with Jesus and your parents (Ephesians 6:1-2). Share with her one thing she could do to really encourage you as her daughter and as a young woman of God.

PRAY TOGETHER!