

# MoNdAy FuNnIeS

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### WISDOM FOR THE WEEK:

The most important thing  
a father can do for his children

is to love their mother.

-Author Unknown

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#### ODE TO MOM

(Contributed by Greg Gay.... Thanks Greg)

(Those silly words/phrases that we catch ourselves saying that remind of us Dear MOM)

I'm going to give you until the count of three.

Don't pick, it'll get infected.

I would have never talked to MY mother like that!

Who do you think you are?

I don't care what "everyone" is doing, I care what YOU are doing!

What, you want more money?

Well, the people in Hades want ice water, but do you see me with a PITCHER?

If I catch you doing that one more time, I'll...  
You had better wipe that smile off your face before I do it for you.  
When you don't listen to your Mom, that's when you get into trouble.  
Don't use that tone with me!  
Someday your face will freeze like that!  
What if everyone jumped off a cliff? Would you do it, too?  
Look at me when I'm talking to you.  
You're going to put your eye out with that thing!  
Do you think your socks are going to pick themselves up?  
Your father is going to hear about this when HE gets home!  
How many times do I have to tell you...don't throw things in the house!  
No, you can't go steady! You KNOW what that leads to.  
Were you born in a barn? Close the door -- and DON'T slam it!  
Don't EVER let me catch you doing that again!  
Be good -- and don't do ANYTHING to embarrass your parents.  
No child of MINE would do something like that.  
"I don't know" is NOT an answer.  
Don't put that in your mouth, you don't know where it's been.  
If you don't do it NOW, then when are you going to do it? No.  
Beauty is as beauty does!  
What do you mean you aren't going to eat everything on your plate?  
Think of those poor starving children in India.  
You can't find it? Well, where did you leave it last?  
If bologna was a tin horn you'd have an orchestra!  
Money does NOT grow on trees.  
I'm not everyone else's parents and you're not everyone else!  
Five minutes of pleasure is not worth a lifetime of hell.  
You made your bed, now lie in it.  
This hurts me more than it hurts you.

Don't make me tell you again.  
Stop your crying before I give you something to cry about.  
Don't go out with a wet head, you'll catch cold.  
I'm not Freddy's mom, I'm your mom and I care what happens to you.  
I'm not going to tell you how to spell that when you can look it up in the dictionary!  
Life isn't fair.  
Who do you think you are? Madam Butterfly?  
Would you do that if the Queen were here?  
When I was young we had respect for our elders now look at the world!  
Did you iron that?  
I don't THINK soo...  
Don't use that tone with me!  
When you don't listen to your Mom, that's when you get into trouble.  
You look too much like your father to be my child.  
Look it up in your contract: I'm the Mom, you're the kid. I get to do the nagging.  
There is nothing for nice girls to do past midnight.  
What do you mean CARRY ME? I carried you for nine months!!  
I'm not here to entertain you.  
That's OK, sweetie, anything to get you out of jail!  
Am I talking to a brick wall?  
Eat those carrots, they're good for your eyesight. You never see rabbits wearing glasses, do you?  
A good smack never did me any harm .....

You had better wipe that smile off your face before I do it for you.  
There's no shame in being poor, but there is shame in being dirty!  
You'll never live to see sixteen!!  
There's someone either dying or being created under your bed -

- look at all this dust!  
Eat your meat.  
Did you flush?  
I worry about you.  
Can you give me an itinerary for your trip?  
Who are you going with? Do I know them?  
I hate having you drive alone at night.  
Somebody's gonna end up crying.  
You don't WANT to clean your room? You don't have to Want to!  
You can be anything you want to, if you just set your mind to it.  
A man who plays when he should be working will never amount to much.  
There's enough dirt in those ears to grow potatoes!  
What would you do if I wasn't here?  
If you don't quit that, I'm going to knock you into the middle of next week.  
You'll miss me when I'm gone!



Make it a wonderful and happy week!!!!

The happy friends in your life,

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