



Mom, I want to thank you for always being there for me when I most needed you. You're not only my mother, but my best friend as well. I thank you for all the wonderful moments we have shared. I love you very much, and God bless you.

**- Love you always,
Johana Orantez**



Mom, you told me what you thought, but you let me think for myself. You told me what you saw, but you let me look for myself. You told me where you have been, but you encouraged me to go further. Now I look back and say, thank you, Mom, for teaching me to be a mother.

**- Chermaine Fontenette,
Public Works/Sanitation**



Dear Mommy *Querida*, we wish you a very happy Mother's Day with all our little hearts. We love you so much. Sorry for misbehaving sometimes.

**- Your little ones, Maya and
Koppany Horvath (children of
Robbie and Adriana Horvath;
Robbie works at Hyperion)**

Happy

Mother's

Day



Mommy, I love you so much. You have been an inspiration to me. Have a very blessed Mother's Day. I love you.

- Yvette Bentley, LAPD



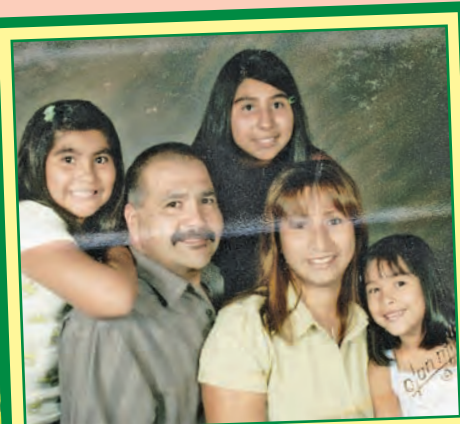
All that I am or ever hope to be, I owe to my angel, my mother! Happy Mother's Day!

- L'keva Harris, LAPD



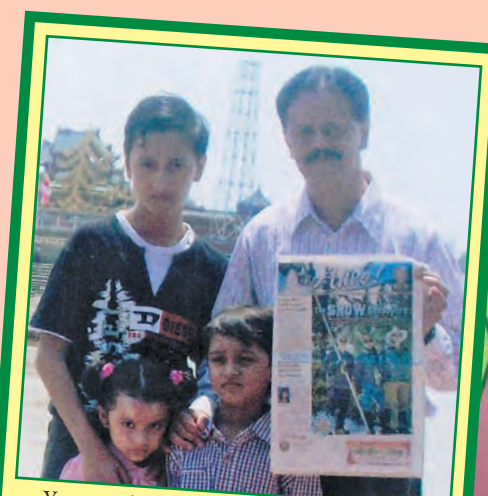
Mother, I want to take this opportunity to thank you for being so wonderful and supportive. I love you and appreciate all you do. Wishing you a Happy Mother's Day!

- Love, Viv (Vivian Zavala)



"Hi, Mom." We hope you have a wonderful Mother's Day!

**- Love, your daughters Suzette,
Nadia and Melissa Gutierrez**



You are the best in my life. You are always inside my heart. I love you very much, Mom. From your loving son from Los Angeles.

- Ismail Nanabawa, Airports



Three generations of love: We love you, Granny J.

- Janice Norwood, Transportation



Wishing you a Happy Mother's Day. Thank you for all you do for us, grandpa and the grandkids throughout the year! Feliz Dia de Las Madres. Te Queremos Mucho.

- Your daughters, Bertha and Leonor



Nanay Vi, you have been my best friend, my confidante, and my angel. This Mother's Day, you are in another place, a place with our Lord and Creator, and I miss you a lot. Thank you for all the 62 years you have shared with me and the blessings of your 85 years of life! I love you very much.

- Leticia Gabagat-Yapana, DWP



To the woman who gives so much of herself and worries more than she should. Love you, Mom. Te quiero mucho, Mami.

- Robert Larios



Mom, I can't express enough gratitude for all that you've done for me. I attribute the person who I am today to the guidance and support you have given me over the years. I love you very much and Happy Mother's Day!

- Faye



Happy Mother's Day to the best Mom and Nana! Thank you for always being caring, loving and being your "unique disco dancing" self. XOXOXO

- Mr. B, Chris, Jay, Michael and Carlos

to all the great mothers out there!

Here are the personal messages sent to **Alive!** by some very loving and grateful children who wanted to pay tribute to their Mom.

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Mom, thank you for being the most awesome mother a man could ask for. I hope I will be as good of a father as you were a mother. I love you!

- Club CEO John Hawkins



Mom, thank you for every stitch that kept me warm. Those homemade oven-baked peanut butter cookies. For taking care of Dad, Sherrill, Sam and all the pets. And for creating a place called home! I love you, Mom!

- Pamela Sue Bond