Questions for Conversations

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Share your best memory with your mom.

Why do you think that one came to mind?

We often think of parents as being above us. Why do you think Jesus included mom in his list (Who is my mother and brothers)?

Rob suggested that the spiritual family is more "real" than the biological one. Do you agree? Why or why not?

If you agree, how do we go about keeping our focus or keeping the "real" family, the real family?

What do you think of Rob's idea that being mothered is the first mode of becoming a follower of Jesus (and that mothering is the first step of making followers)?

What might it look like for you to be mothered in the faith this week? Who might be that person for you?

What crazy thing could someone ask God for you, for, like James and John's mom in Matt 20?

Who might God be asking you to mother (yes, even us guys)? Paul said in I Cor. 3.2, "I (Paul, a guy) gave you milk (nursed you) not solid food because you were not ready."

What crazy thing could you ask God for someone else, like James and John's mom in Matt 20?

Pray about these things and other needs and joys.