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Hannah: a Wife & a Mother

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Hannah, the Mother of Samuel

**“There is no one holy like the LORD;
there is no one besides You;
there is no Rock like our God.”**

(1 Samuel 2:2)

Who's Hannah?

- Hannah, as we know her.
- She's much more than we know!
- Hannah: a Symbol Reality!
- Living with the Shame of being Barren
- Comparing to Sarah & Elizabeth
- St. Mary, daughter of Hannah & Joachim
- The Answered Prayer: Apparition of 1968

Hannah: An Icon of Faith

Question:
Have You Given Up?

Hannah: The Icon of Prayer

Her “Bittersweet” Prayers!

Praying in Tears!

Hannah & Persistence

When We Don't Use Our Rights

Ask, Demand, Knock

The “Secret” about Hannah

- Her Potential to Love
- Love to God
- Love to Husband
- Love to Samuel, a Gift from God to All

Hannah, The Mother

- What Did She Do Special for Samuel?
- The Earlier Years of Mothering
- Love & Bonding
- Selflessness
- Example in Her Marriage
- Detachment from Her Child's Life
- A Mother's Pride!

Hannah, The Wife

- Who Can Find?
- Especially these Days
- Raising Daughters to become “Hanna’s”
- It starts with Good Parenting
- It’s about protecting, not sheltering!
- It needs Real Modeling!
- It needs an Altar at Home!

Glory be to God forever. Amen

Thank You