Your mother gave you a good start in life by her prayers and sacrifices. Mother's Day each year is an ideal time to face your conscience and ask yourself if you are a noble monument to your mother.

The primary anxiety of every mother is for the soul of her son. A sinful son breaks the heart of a good mother more quickly and painfully than any other misfortune.

Let nothing stop you from receiving Holy Communion on Mother's Day -- this Sunday. She has given you her best. You ought to give her your best.

How Many Mothers Pray

"Our Father" in the potatoes
"Hail Mary" in the roast,
A "Glory" in the vegetables,
"Father, Son, and Holy Ghost."

These prayers are cooked till tender,
Then they're seasoned to a turn;
A "Thank You, God* you render--
If no moreel you have burned.

Then you dish up food and prayer,
While each kiddie finds his place
And settles down with care
As the youngest says the Grace.

And when that prayer-filled meal is thru
And the dishes in the sink,
Then you start your prayers anew--
Disregarding how they link.....

For this Rosary is a subtle thing,
It's changed in every part;
Your family's eaten some of it--
And the rest is in your heart.

--Adean McDonald Smith
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Radio Tribute to Mothers

A special radio broadcast will honor the Mother of God and all Mothers next Sunday. Tune in WGN at 8:00 P.M. for this half-hour program. The presentation will feature Loretta Young, Ethel Barrymore, Charles Boyer, Dick Haymes and Ann Jamison. The broadcast, entitled "The World's Greatest Mother" will tell the story of the great events in the life of the Mother of Christ. The Mutual Network will carry the program at noon, 12:30-1:00 P.M. The 8:00 P.M. (WGN) program is a rebroadcast.

PRAYERS: (deceased) father of Norb Merdzinski, '41; father of Charles (OC) Haney, '06; grandmother of Bob Stolze (Wal); Sylvester Mergler, friend of Chuck Thiss (Eng Bldg). (Ill) William Krapa '44; Roger O'Connor (Morr), home with virus pneun. William Clemens (25, serious, uncle of Richard Seymour (OC); mother of Karl Schweinfast (OC); grandmother of Gerry (Z) and Don (Morr) Begley, Three special Ints.