

**A Mother's
(Parents and Grandparents)
Love**

**Some day when my children are old enough to understand the
logic that motivates a mother,
I will tell them:**

**I loved you enough to ask you about where you were going,
with whom and what time you would get home.**

**I loved you enough to insist that you buy a bike (car) that we
could afford to give you, with your own money.**

**I loved you enough to make you return a Milky-Way with a
bite out of it-to a drug store and to confess: "I stole this."**

**I loved you enough to stand over you for two hours while you
cleaned your room, a job that would have taken me 15
Minutes.**

**I loved you enough to let you see anger, disappointment,
disgust and tears in my eyes.**

**I loved you enough to admit I was wrong and ask for your
forgiveness.**

**I loved you enough to let you stumble, fall, and hurt.
But most of all, I loved you enough to say NO when you hated
me for it.**

That was the hardest part of all.

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