MOTHER'S INFLUENCE

I took a piece of plastic clay And idly fashioned it one day; And as my fingers pressed it still, It moved and yielded at my will.

I came again when days were past, The form I gave it still it bore, And as my fingers pressed it still, I could change that form no more.

I took a piece of living clay, And gently formed it day by day, And molded with my power and art, A young child's soft and yielding heart.

I came again when days were gone; It was a man I looked upon, He still that early impress bore, And I could change it never more.

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The ministry of motherhood should never be underestimated.

Proverbs 1:8-9

Hear, my son, your father's instruction,
and forsake not your mother's teaching,
for they are a graceful garland for your head
and pendants for your neck.

Today, and every day, be thankful for your mother and the gentle molding that brought you to today.

Shalom, Ryan