

MOTHERING

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Mothering is characteristic of a woman's feminine instinctive energy that displays nurturing, caring, creating beauty, love, kindness, and protection. Normally this is portrayed by a mother towards her children and family. Mothering can also refer to a woman who is not the biological mother if she fulfills the main role of mothering a child and others.

Mothering can also be displayed towards yourself, family members, spouses, parents and grandparents, friends, pets and animals, your home, work, the environment, and various groups or interests.

Usually, the skills and displays of Mothering are passed on with each new generation from grandmother, to mother, to daughter.

Men can also display this attribute, without being labelled feminine; but the instinct of mothering is not as characteristic in men as it is in women. Also, most men are hormonally wired differently and programmed for warfare instead of peace and love.

*Statue of Mother with Children
at the Monumental Cemetery of
Staglieno*



In Nature, everything has a balance of both feminine and masculine energy. Yet, this beautiful and vital characteristic of Mothering is rarely if ever outwardly displayed, valued, or respected by most Western cultures, especially in today's modern world. Considering the value of mothers, motherhood, and Mothering, this void creates a massive imbalance in all aspects of life with long-term consequences. Unfortunately, many cultures display and promote a dominance of masculine energy, which adds to this imbalance; and when there is an imbalance, there is violence, discord, warfare, and high cost. This plays a big part in why there are so many never-ending wars, domestic violence, broken families, physical and mental illnesses, and blow out Budgets. War and warfare are among the worst detriments to Mothering. To learn more about the racket of warfare, go to <https://worldbeyondwar.org/>. World Beyond War is working tirelessly, trying to raise awareness, educate, and change the status quo of global warfare and violence.

In countries like the UK, Australia, and NZ, warfare and soldiers are glorified all year long, decade after decade, with billions of dollars spent on media spin, war memorials, and monuments; whereas motherhood, mothers, and Mothering hardly ever get recognition, funding, or monuments built in their honor.

From early childhood to old age, **Mothering Matters!** <https://www.naturalchild.org/>

https://www.naturalchild.org/articles/peter_cook/mothering_matters.html

Below are EXCERPTS from the late Dr. Peter Cook, MB, ChB, MRCPsych, FRANZCP, DCH, child and family psychiatrist 1927-2017 and author of *Mothering Matters*, *Mothering Denied*, and *Early Child Care: Infants and Nations at Risk* (Melbourne: News Weekly Books, 1997).

“Evidence that good mothering matters, both for the individual and for society, is steadily growing. More reports from the Early Child Care Network of the US National Institute for Child Health and Development (NICHD) increase concerns about early childcare and its effects on young people. Some 25 top US scholars co-ordinate this multi-million dollar study, following more than 1000 babies from birth, to compare the effects of maternal care with various alternatives. Fathering is important, but this article is about mothering.

But in 2002, the NICHD Network reported in American Educational Research Journal (39, 133-164) that, although higher quality childcare was associated with better cognitive performance at four and a half years, the more time during these years that these children had spent in any type of non-maternal childcare, regardless of its quality, the more assertiveness, disobedience and aggression they showed with adults, both in kindergarten and at home.

At school one year later, they continued to be more aggressive and disobedient, not just assertive or independent. So non-maternal childcare, whatever its quality, is associated with important risks.

The NICHD researchers warned that even modest adverse effects on behaviour can have serious social consequences when large numbers of children are affected.

NICHD studies also found that when children spent more time in childcare, their mothers displayed less sensitivity when interacting with them at six, 15, 24, and 36 months of age. Sensitive, responsive mothering through the early years was the best predictor of social competence at six years, which in turn predicts schooling success.

Early childcare also precludes longer breastfeeding, which, besides better health, leads to significantly higher IQs in adults. For example, those breastfed for 9 months, averaged 6 points higher IQ as young adults, Journal of the American Medical Association, May 8, 2002.

*Mothers are more likely than fathers to encourage assimilative and communion-enhancing patterns in their children.^[18] Mothers are more likely than fathers to acknowledge their children's contributions in conversation.^{[19][20][21][22]} The way mothers speak to their children ("*motherese*") is better suited to support very young children in their efforts to understand speech (in context of the reference English) than fathers.^[19]"*

Immense, costly, long-term damage is being done to each generation because of the high cost-of-living pressures that force women back to work shortly after giving birth; fathers who don't support the mother staying home with their child/children during the early years; or, if split up, demand equal time to evade paying child support; and governments diverting tax funds from mothering programs to massive military Budgets. Undoubtedly, they will pay a high price later in life. Plus, this short sightedness will damage a country's long-term economic future.

Below are a dozen reasons why mothers, motherhood, and Mothering are so VITAL!

1. Mothers give life and commit their life to their offspring and family tirelessly, from

the heart.

2. Mothers create a beautiful, safe, home environment for the whole family.
3. Mothers are totally devoted to nurturing and nourishing their offspring, which enables them to grow and develop properly.
4. Mothers make many sacrifices and work hard (with no pay) for the health, wellbeing, and betterment of their offspring and family.
5. Mothers protect their offspring, help keep them safe, and teach them survival methods.
6. Mothers discipline and guide their off spring in the right direction
7. Mothers are the emotional backbones of their offspring and families.
8. Mother's lift the spirit of and encourage their offspring when they are down and make the best of friends.
9. Mothers spend a lifetime educating, worrying, and caring about their offspring.
10. Mothers inspire and support their offspring to fulfil their dreams.
11. Mothers are role models for their off spring.
12. Mothers love their offspring unconditionally.

Can you imagine a world without Mothering?

Now, imagine a world without war... A world without violence... A world without ill-health... A peaceful, environmentally friendly world where Mothering is cherished and children and future generations thrive.

How a culture nourishes their children and values Mothering will determine what each future generation will be like. The role of motherhood and Mothering encompasses a tremendous responsibility that needs to be taken seriously with more attention than just celebrating Mother's Day once a year.

Historically, the role of women was confined to being a mother and wife who was expected to dedicate most of their energy to these roles and taking care of the home.

While aspects of this needed improvement, the women's movement was hijacked by special interests, such as the banking industry, who wanted more revenue, and the powerful influence of Hollywood. In achieving their agenda, they have radically changed and damaged the vital role of mothers, the importance of motherhood, the value of Mothering, and future generations. Instead of improving women's lives and the attributes of mothering, women became sex symbols and/or over-worked slaves of a bad, unsustainable system. And, war has been glorified to encourage men (and now women) to fight immoral, foreign corporate wars.

Adding to this assault on Mothering, many mothers have been forced to enter the work force just to survive or help pay the bills because of the constant increases in life's necessities. These financial stresses have also contributed to the increase of single motherhood. Single mothers and low income families are particularly impacted by these issues. Hence, the role of Mothering has been seriously hindered, harmed, and neglected.

Day care does not take the place of 'mothering' infants and toddlers, no matter how good they are. This is a big part of why there are so many social and psychological problems and violence in today's society. No one in government is properly addressing this massive void, nor working on establishing programs to even acknowledge the vital role of Mothering in

society. The only remedy they and their medical advisors and so called ‘experts’ provide for the high increase in suicides and violence, is more medication, which turns millions of people into zombies.

Worse, mothers are losing control of their kids at an alarming rate because tyrannical government policies, under the guise of ‘protecting others,’ do not value or respect a mother’s instinct and wisdom. Instead they treat mothers like idiots, mandate an unethical ‘one size fits all’ protocol, push more drugs, and often deny mothers the right to properly raise their own children. Those implementing this ‘social engineering,’ in collaboration with the film, TV, music, media, medical system, and giant food industries have a lot to answer for.

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The Natural Child by Jan Hunt “**Children behave as well as they are treated.**”

Mothers, motherhood, and Mothering should always be highly valued and treated with respect 24/7, every day of the year. The feminine energy of Mothering is vital because the next generation is dependant on it for survival. It is a necessary part of every aspect of life, including reproduction. Future generations, a better world, and the survival of our species depend on how well each of us values and respects the vital role of Mothering.

If you are a female, empower yourself! Make use of your feminine energy, beautify, and apply the art of Mothering in everything you do. The benefits are immense.

If you are a male, stop and think for yourself. Value and respect those who Mother you, your off-spring, and your environment. The rewards are highly beneficial.

If you are in government, raise your consciousness, learn from and harness the power of Natural Law, and fund programs that support Mothering in every area of governance, including foreign affairs, national security, crime prevention, real health care, and the environment. This is the best method for ensuring peace and security and reducing crime, physical/mental illness, environmental degradation, and blow out budgets. Plus, Mothering provides solutions to many of today’s problems and supports a sustainable, long-term, thriving economy.

Watch **THRIVE II**, and invite others to watch the movie, for free, during this limited-time: thriveon.com/free21

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