

The image shows the cover of a spiral-bound notebook. The cover features a photograph of a wooden rolling pin resting on a surface of white flour. In the center of the flour, there is a heart shape that has been formed by the rolling pin. The notebook has a black spiral binding on the left side. The title 'MOTHERING' is printed in large, bold, red capital letters at the top. Below it, the words 'from Scratch' are written in a black cursive font. At the bottom, a red diagonal banner contains the word 'Journal' in a white cursive font.

MOTHERING

from Scratch

Journal

Dear Mom,

We know well the feeling of never measuring up. Of believing we are always doing it wrong. Trying to mother the way we think we “should” or the way someone else does it robs us of joy and plagues us with feelings of failure, guilt and inadequacy.

YOU are the unique mom God chose for your unique children. He wants you to be the mom He created YOU to be. He knows you’ll do a great job at it!

Our book leads you through a journey of discovery of what works best with the God-given personalities of you and your family.

This eJournal gives you a place to record the answers to the “Stirring Your Thoughts” questions at the end of each chapter (they are included in this journal, as well). We also suggest you write any additional insights or promptings God gives you. It will be helpful to go back and reflect when you’re feeling discouraged or overwhelmed. A blank page is at the end of this journal if you need to print extra pages. You can also type in the Journal, if you don’t wish to print it. You’ll also find a “His Mercies Are New Every Morning” printable.

Thank you for allowing us the privilege of encouraging you in your role as Mom. You are doing important work!



Melinda & Kathy



Chapter Six

We're wise to maximize
the short window we
have to guide and
influence our children
before it closes.





His mercies
are **NEW**

every morning.

Lamentations 3:23

