# Mother's Day



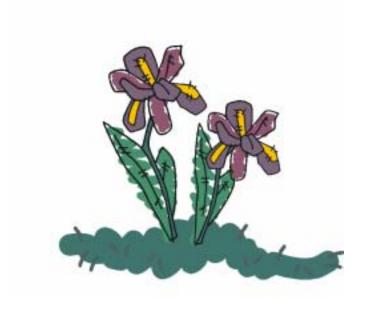
Songs, Poems and Fingerplays

# Mother's Day Kisses

A kiss from me, a kiss to you; a kiss for everything you do.

A kiss for love, for wrongs and rights; a kiss for motherly sacrifice.

A kiss for answering God's call; Motheryou deserve them all!



# **Mother Dear**

Mother dear, can you guess who it is that loves you best? I'll give you three guesses, 1 2 3 There! I knew you'd think of me!



#### Were You, Mom?

Mom, did you used to play with kites and skipping rope? Did you sometimes wash your hands, forgetting about the soap? Did you walk in squishy mud or like to play in rain? Did your mom say, "Eat your vegetables." again, again, again? Did your aunts and uncles kiss you? Did you wish that they would not? Did you always mind your manners and do what you were taught? Did you run and jump and slide or fall and scrape your knee? Mom, were you ever really once a little kid like me?



#### Mommy, Mommy

You and the children stand together and do the movements suggested by the verse.

Mommy, mommy, let's sweep the floor.

(Pretend to sweep the floor)

Mommy, mommy, let's go to the store.

(Pretend to drive a car)

Mommy, mommy, let's bake a cake.

(Pretend to mix ingredients)

Mommy, mommy, let's take a break.

(Wipe brow and whisper "whew")

Mommy, mommy, loves me so.

(Draw a heart shape in the air with fingers)

Mommy, mommy, watch me grow.

(Stretch arms up high)

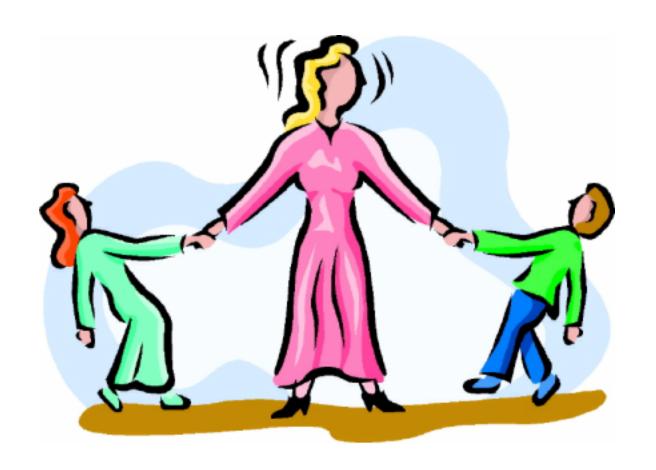
Mommy, mommy, turn out the light.

(Make a click sound and turn pretend light off)

Mommy, mommy, say good-night

(Put hands together beside cheek and tilt head)





# Mommy's Song

(Sung to: "Daisy, Daisy")

Mommy, Mommy,
You know that I love you.
You're my mommyNobody else will do!
Oh, Mommy, when we're together,
We have the best time ever!
Oh, Mom, it's true:
I do love you!
Mommy, nobody else will do!



# I Love Mommy

(Sung to: "Frere Jacques")

I Love Mommy, I love Mommy,
Yes, I do; yes, I do.
And my mommy loves me
Yes, my mommy loves me,
Loves me, too; loves me, too.

# **Helping Mother**

I like to help my mother
(nod head knowingly)
To me it's just like play.
(point to self)
I wash the dishes
(pretend to wash dishes)
And sweep the floors
(pretend to sweep)
Because it's Mother's day
(broad smiles)



## **Mommy**

Mommy, Mommy, let me say,
"I love you in every way.
I love you for all you do.
I love you for being you."
Mommy, Mommy, let me say,
"Have a Happy Mother's Day!"



# **Five Pretty Mommies**

(Sung to "Five Little Ducks")

Five pretty mommies I once knew, Fat ones, skinny ones, tall ones, too, But the one in the middle she belongs to me. I love her and she loves me!

Down to the grocery we did go, Wibble - wobble, wibble - wobble, to and fro, But the one in the middle she belongs to me, I love her and she loves me!

