

## **When Is Mother's Day?**

In the United States and in most countries around the world, Mother's Day celebrations are held on the second Sunday of May. On that day, daughters and sons spend time honoring the motherhood of their moms. They shower their mothers with love, gifts, flowers, and sweet [Happy Mother's Day](#) wishes. However, some countries celebrate this event on a different date.

## **Mother's Day History & Facts**

Mother's Day is a holiday celebrated worldwide and is one of many family traditions to commemorate the maternal bonds between mothers and their kids. In 1908, Anna Jarvis created the American incarnation of the special occasion, and fast forward to 1914, it became an official holiday in the United States every second Sunday of May.

The concept of Mother's Day celebration can be back tracked to the time of the ancient Romans and Greeks. Part of their culture was to organize festivals to honor Rhea and Cybele who are their mother goddesses respectively. However, the type of Mother's Day that we celebrate today is more heavily derived by Mothering Sunday which is an old Christian Festival.

Mothering Sunday is a religious activity and a major tradition in some European towns and countries, especially in the United Kingdom. The event was held in Lent's fourth Sunday. Originally, it was considered as a period when Christians would revisit their main church (mother church) in their hometown and attend a special service. As the years and decades went by, Mothering Sunday became more of a secular holiday than a religious tradition. It faded as a major custom and was eventually overshadowed by the American incarnation of Mother's Day between the 1930s and 1940s.

## **Mother's Day Dates from 2022 to 2032**

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YEAR	DAY	DATE
2022	Sunday	May 8
2023	Sunday	May 14
2024	Sunday	May 12
2025	Sunday	May 11
2026	Sunday	May 10
2027	Sunday	May 9
2028	Sunday	May 14
2029	Sunday	May 13
2030	Sunday	May 12
2031	Sunday	May 11
2032	Sunday	May 9

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MOTHER'S DAY	INTERNATIONAL MOTHER'S DAY
Celebrated in the US and most countries on the second Sunday of May	Celebrated in some countries on different dates and months, some in February, March, August, November, and December
Is considered a legal national holiday in the United States but not a public holiday	Also not considered as a public holiday in many countries. However, it's a public holiday in Costa Rica and workers enjoy paid vacation
Is mostly commercialized with Mother's Day Sale events and campaigns	Also heavily commercialized but celebrated solemnly by some European countries through Mothering Sunday

## Happy Mother's Day Wishes

Mother's Day isn't complete without the greeting cards and handmade cards filled with emotion and love for your dear mama. Relive the memorable maternal memories you have with your mom by writing a heartfelt Mother's Day wish. Don't have any ideas? Don't worry. You can take inspiration from the examples below:

- "Thank you for every breakfast, lunch, and dinner that you prepared for me and Dad. Love you, mom, and Happy Mother's Day!"
- "You're the first love of my life. Happy Mother's Day and thank you."
- "The only woman who'll never leave me is you. I love you and Happy Mother's Day, Mama."
- "Your love and guidance made me to the good person I am today. Happy Mother's Day, Mommy!"
- "Happy Mother's Day from your not-so-naughty child who loves you dearly."
- "I like superhero characters but you are my favorite real-life superhero! Happy Mother's Day, my queen mother."

## Happy Mother's Day Messages

Want more? Here are some of our funniest and sentimental Happy Mother's Day Messages holding emotions of gratitude and love of a child to his/her dear mother:

- "You're simply the world's best mom that a son or daughter could ever have. Thank you for your words of wisdom and encouragement."
- "There are no words to express how lucky I am to be your child."
- "You're my teacher, bestfriend, and playmate. But most importantly, you're my one and only mother. I love you, Mama!"
- "Your laugh, your voice, and your presence are what makes our home feel like home. Than you so much, Ma!"
- "You were always there for me since Day 1. My favorite person, my mother."
- "You give life and you nurture life in our family. You're the best, Mom!"
- "I know you feel tired sometimes, but always remember, Mom, me and Dad will always be here to support and love you."

## Mother's Day 2022 by Country

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DATE	COUNTRY
February 13 (Sunday)	Norway
March 21 (Monday)	Syria
February 13 (Sunday)	Ireland, Isle of Man, Jersey, United Kingdom, Guernsey
May 1 (Sunday)	Spain, Portugal, Romania, Lithuania, Hungary
February 13 (Sunday)	USA, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Honduras, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Malaysia, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Philippines, Puerto Rico, Switzerland, Taiwan, Ukraine, Venezuela
May 10 (Tuesday)	El Salvador, Mexico
May 26 (Thursday)	Poland
May 29 (Sunday)	Dominican Republic, France, Sweden
June 12 (Sunday)	Luxembourg
August 12 (Friday)	Thailand
August 15 (Monday)	Costa Rica
October 16 (Sunday)	Argentina
November 16 (Wednesday)	North Korea
November 27 (Sunday)	Russia
December 8 (Thursday)	Panama

## Mother's Day Poems for Mom

Poems and also songs are excellent gift ideas for this year's Mother's Day celebration. They're ideal content for the Mother's Day cards you'll craft. Feel free to take inspiration from these poems and quotes we've gathered. Your mother will surely love the handmade cards you'll make for her.

### *Angel Mother*

By Joana Fuchs

Mother, you're the angel  
who brought me into being  
and watched over me.  
You guided me, sheltered me,  
repaired and restored me.  
When I was lost,  
your focused attention  
and unconditional love  
lifted me and showed me the way.  
I give you the credit  
for the best parts of who I am today.  
I don't have words or gifts,  
or anything that's worth enough  
to let you know  
what having you in my life has meant to me.  
Happy Mother's Day, Mom.  
I love you with all my heart.

## ***Wonderful Mother***

By Pat O'Reilly

God made a wonderful mother,  
A mother who never grows old;  
He made her smile of the sunshine,  
And He molded her heart of pure gold;  
In her eyes He placed bright shining stars,  
In her cheeks fair roses you see;  
God made a wonderful mother,  
And He gave that dear mother to me.

## ***Mother***

By Nikita Gill

The water of her womb, your first home  
The body she pulled apart to welcome you to the world.  
The spirit in you she helped grow with all she knew.  
The heart that she gave you when yours fell apart.  
You are her soft miracle.  
So she gave you her eyes to see the best in the worst.  
You carry your mother in your eyes.  
Make her proud of all she watches you do.

## ***A Mother***

By Christy Ann Martine

A mother wraps her love  
around the heart of her child,  
keeping each beat steady  
through the rhythm of life  
until wings take shape  
and it's time for the soul  
to take flight.

***I Love You Mom!***

By Anonymous

Mom's smiles can brighten any moment,  
Mom's hugs put joy in all our days,  
Mom's love will stay with us forever  
and touch our lives in precious ways...  
The values you've taught,  
the care you've given,  
and the wonderful love you've shown,  
have enriched my life  
in more ways than I can count.

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***Mommy, I Love You***

By Nicholas Gordon

Mommy, I love you  
For all that you do.

I'll kiss you and hug you  
'Cause you love me, too.  
You feed me and need me  
To teach you to play,  
So smile 'cause I love you  
On this Mother's Day.

### ***God Created Mothers***

By Holly Giffers

When God created mothers,  
All as lovely as can be,  
He made one extra special,  
And saved her just for me!

### ***Best Friends***

By Anonymous

Best friends forever, mom and me  
picking flowers and climbing trees.  
A shoulder to cry on, secrets to share  
Warm hearts and hands that really care.

### ***What 'Mother' Means***

By Karl Fuchs

"Mother" is such a simple word,  
But to me there's meaning seldom heard.  
For everything I am today,

My mother's love showed me the way.  
I'll love my mother all my days,  
For enriching my life in so many ways.  
She set me straight and then set me free,  
And that's what the word "mother" means to me.

***To My Mother***

By Christina Rossetti

To-day's your natal day;

Sweet flowers I bring:

Mother, accept, I pray

My offering.

And may you happy live,

And long us bless:

Receiving as you give

Great happiness.

**Mother's Day vs Father's Day**

## Mother's Day vs Father's Day

MOTHER'S DAY	FATHER'S DAY
Celebrated yearly on the second Sunday of May	Celebrated yearly on the third Sunday of June
Was first celebrated in 1908 and its concept can be traced back to Ancient Rome and Greece	Was first celebrated in 1910
Was declared an official holiday in 1914	Was declared a permanent national holiday in 1972.

### How to make Mother's Day card easy?

Follow these steps to easily make a Mother's Day card:

- Mother's Day is celebrated on the second Sunday of May every year. Some countries like Norway, Ireland, and Costa Rica celebrate it on a different date.
- Attach beautiful images or pictures of your mother.
- Set a pink or red background for the card's decoration, or you can use your mother's favorite color.
- Write a loving message or caption of appreciation. Feel free to take inspiration from examples online.
- Print the card using high-quality paper materials.

### How to celebrate your first Mother's Day?

Here are some tips to celebrate this year's Mother's Day and honor your mother and grandma:

- Cook breakfast or brunch for her.
- Make her favorite desserts.
- Play fun games with her together with the entire family.
- Give her cards or posters with loving messages or Bible verses about motherhood.
- Treat her with jewelry and designer shirts or take her to a Mother's Day sale event.
- Go to the movies with her.
- Bake her cookies or buy her a Mother's Day cake.
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## **Best 10 Sweet Mother's Day Messages**

Here are 10 examples of sweet messages you can say to your mom this Mother's Day:

- “Thank you for being the best mother all day, all night. Happy Mother’s Day, our queen mother!”
- “Your hugs and kisses complete my day. Happy Mother’s Day and I love you.”
- “Through the highs and lows of my life, you were always at my side. Thank you for everything, Mama, and Happy Mother’s Day.”
- “Me and Dad love you so much! Today is your special day!”
- “I thank God every day for having a loving mother like you. Happy Mother’s Day!”
- “Your love and care is a part of my very being. I love you so much, my Dear Mother. Have a wonderful day!”
- “You’re my light and source of strength. You’re my Mother forever. I love you and Happy Mother’s Day.”
- “Saying you’re the best mom in the world is an understatement. You’re the best person in the world! Happy Mother’s Day, Mama.”
- “I would celebrate Mother’s Day every day if that what it takes to express how grateful I am to be your son/daughter. I love you forever.”
- “Everyday I thank the universe for having you as my mother.”

## Should you wish your mother-in-law Happy Mother’s Day?

Yes, you should also wish your mother-in-law a Happy Mother’s Day. When you officially got married to your husband/wife, she also essentially becomes your mother, even though you call her by her first name. Remember that you didn’t just marry your partner; you also married his/her family.

## Most inspiring Mother’s Day Campaigns

Here are some marketing campaign ideas businesses can use for Mother’s Day:

- Have a Mother’s Day sale event
- Offer discounts to moms
- Give Mother’s Day gift certificates and vouchers
- Publish Mother’s Day-related content weeks or days prior to the occasion
- Share [Mother’s Day celebration ideas](#) through blogs and social media posts
- Prepare and share a gift guide dedicated to Mother’s Day presents
- Create limited edition products centered around Mother’s Day

## **How did Mother's Day start?**

The modern Mother's Day that we celebrate annually was created in 1908 by Anna Jarvis. It became an official US holiday in 1914 celebrated by Americans and the majority of countries worldwide every second Sunday of May.

## **When will Mother's Day be celebrated?**

Mother's Day is celebrated on the [second Sunday](#) of May every year. Some countries like Norway, Ireland, and Costa Rica celebrate it on a different date.

## **What to write on a Mother's Day card?**

The main thing you must write on a [Mother's Day card](#) is a Mother's Day greeting to your mom. It could be as simple as "Happy Mother's Day and I Love You, Mom." Just get creative and write your message from the heart.

## **When will Mother's Day be celebrated in 2022?**

This year 2022, Mother's Day will be celebrated on May 8 (Sunday). However, some countries will celebrate it in other dates and months.