



My mother was wrong about some things. She was right about everything else.

I have lived long enough to have proof of each of those statements, and could jot down on a Post-It note examples of the former, and fill pages and pages with examples of the latter.

For instance, she'd say, "If you don't learn to cook, you won't find a husband." Ha! She was wrong about that one (thank God).

She would also say, "*Sobre todo, ten fe.*" Above all, have faith. That was one of the many things she was so right about. And I hold onto every syllable for dear life. That, and "llévate un suéter." Take a sweater with you. She was right about that one, too. ☐

Anyway, it was a constant lesson with her. I believe Free Will was a good idea, and I thank God for that gift. And my mother was, is, still, both compass and buzz-killer. In the wisest of ways.

For the lessons, and all the people in my life who have shared their wisdom with me, I am forever grateful.

Who have you gained wisdom from, and what are you thankful for today?

Until next Thursday's post...si Dios quiere.

*"I am learning all the time. My tombstone will be my diploma."*

*-E. Kitt*

*"When your mother asks, 'Do you want a piece of advice?' It's a mere formality. It doesn't matter if you answer yes or no. You're going to get it anyway."*

*-E. Bombeck*



"Sooner or later we  
all quote our  
mothers."

-B. Williams

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