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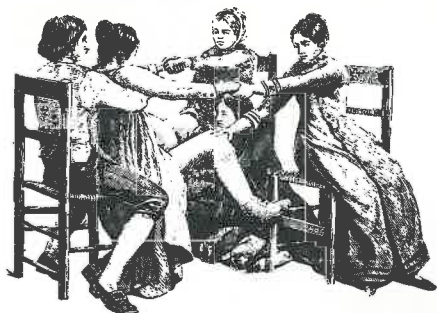
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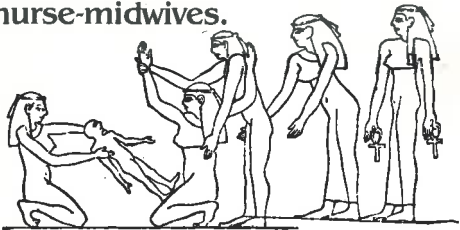
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This compelling film (in one half hour) sensitively conveys the current trends in midwifery. And the caring, competent women that are nurse-midwives.



Thousands of women are right now seeking nurse-midwives to be their primary care-givers during pregnancy and birth. Yet certified nurse-midwives still must struggle to practice their time-honored profession.

Sister Angela, Linda and Marion are three such midwives, each working to give women and their families safe, compassionate and personalized healthcare.



Marion McCartney, C.N.M., Maryland, partner in the first privately-owned home birthing service, and currently fighting to keep her hospital delivery privileges.

"Families want to regain control over their own birth, and nurse-midwives are willing to give them that control. No matter if nurse-midwives are practicing at home or in the hospital or in the birth centers, we're going to be around for a long time to come."



Linda Viera, C.N.M., Colorado, in private practice with an OB, performing deliveries in a hospital birthing room.

"When I changed practices, two-thirds of the patients came with me—what a triumph! I was the person giving them the emotional support they needed, along with the education."

A patient of Linda's: "She listens to your questions, and she really answers you. She gives you credit for having a mind."



Sister Angela Murdaugh, C.N.M., Texas, working in Su Clinica Familiar, an alternative birth center.

"We all believe that the best medicine for everyone is the human touch; people caring about you."

Helen Varney, C.N.M., M.S.N., author of *Nurse-Midwifery*. "Daughters of Time captures the spirit, scope of practice, and politics of contemporary nurse-midwifery. It is a sensitive film, technically excellent, with a sense of pride and beauty in content."



Board Member of **The American Nurses' Association**, **Ada Jacox, R.N., Ph.D.**

"I highly recommend this film to nurses and nursing students in any clinical area for a positive experience in professional self image."

Marshall H. Klaus, M.D., author of *Maternal-Infant Bonding*.

"This provocative film beautifully describes the history of midwives and emphasizes an important principle of birthing—continuous support during labor from a caring woman."

The Board of the **National Women's Health Network**.

"An outstanding documentary about nurse-midwives at work."

Marian Tompson, founder, *La Leche League*. "Warm and spontaneous, it illustrates the special quality of midwifery care. Highly recommended."

David and Lee Stewart, NAPSAC. "Every expectant parent in the U.S. should see this movie." "

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