



Before you were a mom

You never tripped over toys or forgot the words to a lullaby.

You didn't worry whether or not your plants were poisonous.

You had complete control of your mind and your thoughts.

You slept all night.

Before you were a mom

You never held a sleeping baby just because you didn't want to put him down.

You never felt your heart break into pieces when you couldn't stop the hurt.

You never knew that something so small could affect your life so much.

You never knew you could love someone so much.

Before you were a mom

You didn't know the feeling of having your heart outside your body.

You didn't know how special it could feel to feed a hungry baby.

You didn't know that bond between a mother and her child.

You didn't know that something so small could make you feel so happy.

Before you were a mom

You had never gotten up in the middle of a quiet night just to be sure all was okay.

You had never known such warmth, joy, heartache, wonder, or satisfaction.

You didn't know you were capable of feeling so much love.

Before you were a mom.

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