

Equipping Our Parents

List of Recommended Summer Reading (Or any time)

We have listed recommended books by grade, but you can choose books off of any list. We would especially recommend reading a book on Classical, Christian Education if you have never read one.

Classical Christian Education -New to Classical Education

1. Recovering the Lost Tools of Learning: An Approach to Distinctively Christian Education by Douglas Wilson, 1991.
2. Repairing the Ruins: The Classical and Christian Challenge to Modern Education by Douglas Wilson, 1996.
3. The Well-Trained Mind by Susan Wise-Bauer
4. The Case for Classical, Christian Education by Doug Wilson
5. Free Resource: Introduction to Classical, Christian Education: http://classicalacademicpress.com/images/free_resources/20091210_ICE.pdf

Purity and Dating

6th- High School (middle school is recommended):

1. The Young Lady in Waiting
2. I Kissed **Dating** Goodbye
3. Authentic Beauty
4. Raising a Modern Day Knight
5. Raising Maidens of Virtue
6. The Bride Wore White
7. Passport to Purity
8. So, You're About To be A Teenager by Rainey
9. Raising a Modern Day Princess by Pam Farrel
10. Preparing Your Son for Every Man's Battle: Honest Conversations About Sexual Integrity by Steve Arterbum
11. Preparing Your Daughter for Every Woman's Battle: Creative Conversations about Sexual and Emotional Integrity by Shannon Ethridge
12. Before You Meet Your Prince Charming by Sarah, Steven and Grace Mally
**homeschooled siblings
13. Beautiful Girlhood
14. Beyond Beautiful Girlhood (probably best for ages 14 and older)
15. Boyhood and Beyond (probably best suited to read aloud to 9 - 12 yr olds - not really about purity, more about being a young man of character)
16. A Girl After God's Own Heart by Elizabeth George
17. Six Ways to Keep the "Good" in Your boy: Guiding Your Son from His Tweens to His Teens by Dannah Gresh
18. Six Ways to Keep the "Little" in Your Girl: Guiding Your Daughter from Her Tweens to Her Teens by Dannah Gresh

19. A Young Man After God's Own Heart by Jim George (probably best for ages 15 and up)
20. A Young Woman After God's Own Heart by Elizabeth George (probably best for ages 15 and up)
21. Secret Keeper: The Delicate Power of Modesty by Dannah Gresh (probably best for ages 14 and up)

Elementary:

22. The Princess and the Kiss by Jennie Bishop
23. The Squire and The Scroll by Jennie Bishop
24. His Little Princess: Treasured Letters from your King by Sheri Rose Shepherd
25. His Mightiest Warrior: A Treasure Map From Your King by Sheri Rose Shepherd

Biblical Worldview- 9th-12th grade (or any grade!)

1. Total Truth by Nancy Pearcey
2. The Universe Next Door (5th Ed.) by James W. Sire
3. War of Worldview by Ken Ham
4. Hidden Worldviews: Eight Cultural Stories That Shape Our Lives by Steve Wilkens
5. Deadliest Monster by J.F. Baldwin

Do you have a suggestion we can share with other parents? Please email Amy Davis at adavis@discovercca.org. Thank you!