

Shadow of the Almighty: The Life and Testament of Jim Elliot by Elisabeth Elliot
Dangerous Surrender: What Happens When You Say Yes to God by Kay Warren
Beyond Opinion: Living the Faith We Defend by Ravi Zacharias

Community

The DNA of Relationships by Gary Smalley, Greg Smalley, Michael Smalley & Robert J. Paul
Everybody is Normal Until You Get to Know Them by John Ortberg
Boundaries by Cloud & Townsend

On Mission

Radical by David Platt

MILESTONE #8: Covenant Marriage

Love and Respect by Emerson Eggerichs
Hidden Keys of a Loving, Lasting Marriage by Gary & Norma Smalley
Boundaries in Marriage by Cloud & Townsend
This Momentary Marriage by John Piper
Five Love Languages: The Secret To Love That Lasts. Gary Chapman - Multiple versions and formats.
Men Are Like Waffles and Women Are Like Spaghetti by Bill & Pam Farrell
The Love Dare by Alex Kendrick
Power of a Praying Wife/Husband - Stormie O'Martian
Covenant Marriage by Dr. Fred Lowery
Rediscovering Biblical Manhood & Womanhood by John Piper & Wayne Grudem
Total Money Makeover by Dave Ramsey

General Family & Parenting

**Right from Wrong* by Josh McDowell (although a bit dated, the biblical principles are priceless)
**Solid Answers* by James Dobson
**Disciplines of a Godly Family* by Kent & Barbara Hughes
**Family Shepherds* by Voddie Bauckham
**Charting the Course: The First Priority of Parenting* by Benny Proffitt
Resolution For Men by Alex Hendrick
Resolution for Women by Pricilla Shirer

Helpful Websites:

www.famtime.com - Family Time Training exists to support churches and equip families toward the goal of getting primary spiritual training back into the home.
www.biblicalparenting.org - Providing Biblical, practical strategies for parents and for churches.
www.fotf.org - Focus on the Family offers varied resources to equip parents and churches in developing strong, biblical families. THRIVING FAMILY is a free periodical offered by Focus that will provide strong support to families. (Also a Radio Broadcast App)
www.parentingbydesign.com - Offers a free weekly devotional designed just for parents, which will help you think through the varied challenges of parenting from a biblical perspective.
www.familylife.com - offers marriage, family and parenting resources/articles and seminars.
www.pluggedinonline.org - get reviews and family-friendly ratings on movies, music and more. (App also)
www.whitsend.org - Adventures in Odyssey radio and video dramas. Great for the car. You can order Cd's/ DVD's, listen online or through the Adventures on Odyssey App. Great for all ages. (*One of Saint's favorite*)

Phone & Tablet Apps:

Bible Studies for Life Family - provides parents with weekly overview of their kids Sunday School lessons with Stories, pictures, scripture focus, music, etc.
The Bible App for Kids (Your Version) - interactive Bible Stories for family devotions.
Legacy Marble Countdown - putting a visual number to the time you have left, so you will make time count.
Walk Thru The Bible KeyWord Learning System - learning the key events, people, and places of the Bible. (Old & New Testament)
Focus On The Family Daily Broadcast - Listen to their radio broadcast on your schedule. They also have an app for Adventures in Odyssey radio dramas.

Helpful Resources For Your LEGACY MILESTONE Journey



Most recommended resources are on display at the Legacy Resource Center (LRC) for you to evaluate and/or read at the LRC. Please do not remove books from the LRC Area.

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MILESTONE # 1: The Birth of A Child

The Jesus Storybook Bible: Every story whispers His Name by Sally Lloyd-Jones

The Big Picture Interactive Bible Story Book by B&H Publishing

Bedtime Blessings: 100 easy devotions for ages 7 & under by John Trent, Ph.D

Wiggles, Giggles, & Popcorn: Spiritual Family Time Activities for Preschoolers by Kirk Weaver

Bubbles, Balloons, & Chocolate: Spiritual Family Time Activities for Preschoolers by Kirk Weaver

God and Me: Devos for Girls - Ages 2-5 by Lynn Klammer

Gotta Have God: Fun Devos for Boys - Ages 2-5 by Lynn Klammer

Thriving Family Magazine. A free resource for families with kids of all ages www.thrivingfamily.com

A Baptist Catechism. Adapted by John Piper (Free copies available at the LRC)

Praise Baby (CD's and DVD's)

MILESTONE #2: Salvation and Baptism

***Bible Study For Life Groups* (Sunday School) – Grace Life Children's Ministry

**21 Toughest Questions Your Kids Will Ask About Christianity* by Alex McFarland

**When Can I?* by Thomas Sanders

I am A Christian, Now What? Study Guide - Volume 1 & Volume 2

***Every Day With God* - A Child's Daily Devotion Bible for 52 Weeks

**Running the Race*: Spiritual family time activities for children by Kirk Weaver

**Playing for Keeps*: Spiritual family time activities for children by Kirk Weaver

Seeing is Believing: Spiritual family time activities for children by Kirk Weaver

***God and Me: Devos for Girls*. Ages 6-9 & Ages 10-12

***Gotta Have God: Fun Devos for Boys*. Ages 6-9 & Ages 10-12

**Five Love Languages for Children* by Gary Chapman

**The Key to Your Child's Heart* by Gary Smalley

**Shepherding a Child's Heart* by Tedd Tripp

**Parenting with Scripture*: A Topical Guide for Teachable Moments. Kara Durbin

**A Parent Privilege* by Steve Wright

**Guarding Your Child's Heart* by Gary Smalley

**Boundaries With Kids* by Cloud & Townsend

**Love and Respect in the Family* by Emerson Eggerichs

**Raising Kids For True Greatness* by Tim Kimmel

Kids Experiencing God at Home by Henry Blackaby

**The Strong Willed Child: Birth through Adolescence* by James Dobson

Family Walk by Bruce Wilkerson, 52 weekly Devotions for families

***Hid'em in Your Heart CD's and DVD's* (scripture songs by Steve Green)

***Adventure in Odyssey Radio Drama's* thru Focus on the Family. (These are fantastic!)

**Levels of Biblical Learning*. (Lifeway Kids) Available free at the LRC.

**Levels of Bible Skills*. (Lifeway Kids) Available free at the LRC.

The Gospel: God's Plan For Me Tract (Lifeway) Available free at the LRC

MILESTONE #3: Preparing for Adolescence

***Bible Study For Life Groups* (Sunday School) – Grace Life Children's Ministry

Young Believers 365: Devotions to help you stand strong 24/7 for ages 8-12 by Stephen Arterburn & Jesse Florea

**Your Girl: Raising a Godly Daughter in an Ungodly World* by Vicky Courtney

**Your Boy: Raising a Godly Son in an Ungodly World* by Vicky Courtney

**Passport 2 Purity Getaway Kit*: a life-changing weekend with your preteen by Dennis & Barbara Rainey

**Preparing for Adolescence: How to survive the coming years of change* by James Dobson

**Bringing Up Boys* by James Dobson

**Bringing Up Girls* by James Dobson

**The New Dare To Discipline* by James Dobson

**Raising a Modern-Day Knight* by Robert Lewis

**Boundaries With Teens* by Dr. John Townsend

One Year Family Devotions by Josh McDowell

MILESTONE #4: Commitment to Purity

***Bible Study For Life Groups* (Sunday School) – Grace Life Student Ministry

Surviving Middle School: Rick Bundschuh

**Parent's Guide to the Spiritual Mentoring of Teens* by Joe White & Jim Weidmann

**Lead Your Teen to a Lifelong Faith* by Joe White & Jim Weidmann

**Preparing Your Daughter For Every Young Woman's Battle* by Shannon Ethridge

***Every Young Woman's Battle* by Shannon Ethridge & Stephen Arterburn

**Preparing Your Son for Every Young Man's Battle* by Steve Arterburn

***Every Young Man's Battle* by Stephen Arterburn & Fred Stoeker

**ReCreate: Building A Culture In Your Home Stronger Than The Culture Deceiving Your Kids* by Ron Luce

***Do Hard Things: A Teenage Rebellion Against Low Expectations* by Alex and Brett Harris

***I Kissed Dating Goodbye* by Joshua Harris

***Boy Meets Girl* by Joshua Harris

**Dating Vs Courtship* by Paul Jehle

** *When God Writes Your Love Story* by Eric & Leslie Ludy

MILESTONE #5: Rite of Passage

***Bible Study For Life Groups* (Sunday School) – Grace Life Student Ministry

Rite of Passage by Jim McBride

**Enjoy the Silence* by Maggie and Duffy Robbins

**Can You Handle the Truth?* 50 In-Your-Face Devotions for Teens by Phil Chalmers

A Baptist Catechism – Adapted by John Piper

***Captivating: Unveiling the Mystery of a Woman's Soul* by John & Stasi Eldredge

**Growing Strong Daughters* by Lisa Graham McMinn

***The Five Love Languages of Teenagers* by Gary Chapman

Celebration of Discipline by Richard J. Foster

***Case for Christ, Student Edition* by Lee Strobel

MILESTONE # 6: High School Graduation

***Bible Study For Life Groups* (Sunday School) – Grace Life Student Ministry

The Ever Loving Truth by Voddie Baucham

How to Stay Christian in College by J. Budziszewski

The Case for a Creator. Lee Strobel

The Blessing by Gary Smalley & John Trent, Ph.D.

MILESTONE #7: Life in Christ

Prayer

Prayer: Does It Make Any Difference by Philip Yancey

A Hunger for God by John Piper

Hearing God: Developing A Conversational Relationship With God by Dallas Willard

Scripture

The Bible Jesus Read by Philip Yancey

30 Days to Understanding the Bible by Max Anders

Journey into God's Word: Your Guide to

Understanding and Applying the Bible by J. Scott Duvall & J. Daniel Hays

Authentic Faith

Knowing God by J.I. Packer

Desiring God: Meditations of a Christian Hedonist by John Piper

Mere Christianity by C.S. Lewis

The Truth Project Study: Developing a Christian

Worldview by Focus on the Family

The Wonderful Spirit-Filled Life by Charles Stanley

Obedient Follower

Celebration of Discipline: The Path to Spiritual Growth by Richard J. Foster

The Pursuit of Holiness by Jerry Bridges

So You Want to Be Like Christ?: Eight Essentials To Get You There by Charles R. Swindoll

Spiritual Disciplines for the Christian Life by Donald S. Whitney

Living on the Edge (Romans 12) by Chip Ingram

Disciple Maker

Disciples are Made, not Born by Walter A. Henrichsen

The Lost Art of Disciplmaking by Leroy Eims

The Master Plan of Evangelism by Robert Coleman

Becoming a Contagious Christian by Bill Hybels and Mark Mittelberg

Don't Waste Your Life by John Piper

Sacrificial Giver/Server

I Am A Church Member: Discovering Attitudes That

Make A Difference by Thom Rainer