

Recommended Book on Family Matters

Pastor Shawn recommends the following books for reference on the topic of marriage and family. The number one book to consult is the Bible; these books help you to work through scripture and to form a biblical worldview of marriage and family. This is not a complete list but one that can help you sift through the numerous books available on this topic. You can check Smile.Amazon.com for content and chapters to help you choose your books.

Biblical Definition of Manhood and Womanhood

Recovering Biblical Manhood and Womanhood (Redesign): A Response to Evangelical Feminism Editors: Grudem & Piper

Biblical Foundations for Manhood and Womanhood by Wayne Grudem

Biblical Foundations on Families

Christian Living in the Home by Jay Adams

Marriage and the Family by Andreas Kostenberger

God, Marriage, and Family by Andreas Kostenberger

God on Sex by Daniel Akin

Marriage

Meaning of Marriage by Timothy and Kathy Keller

Sacred Marriage by Gary Thomas

What did you Expect? by Paul Tripp

Mingling of Souls by Matt Chandler

When Sinners Say 'I do' by Dave Harvey

Gospel-Centered Marriage by Tim Chester

Marriage Matters: Extraordinary Change through Ordinary Moments by Winston T. Smith

Tying the Knot: A Premarital Guide to a Strong and Lasting Marriage by Rob Green

Preparing for Marriage Gods Way: A Step-by-Step Guide for Marriage Success Before and After the Wedding by Wayne Mack

Women

Feminine Appeal AND True Beauty by Carolyn Mahaney

The Accidental Feminist: Restoring Our Delight in God's Good Design AND Glory in the Ordinary: Why Your Work in the Home Matters to God by Courtney Reissig

Radical Womanhood: Feminine Faith in a Feminist World By Carolyn McCulley

The Measure of Success: Uncovering the Biblical Perspective on Women, Work, and the Home by Carolyn McCulley & Nora Shank

Lies Women Believe: And the Truth that Sets Them Free by Nancy DeMoss Wolgemuth

Women of the Word: How to Study the Bible with Both Our Hearts and Our Minds by Jen Wilkin

The Excellent Wife by Martha Peace

Passionate Housewives Desperate for God by Jennie Chancey

Glimpses of Grace: Treasuring the Gospel in Your Home AND ***Treasuring Christ When Your Hands Are Full: Gospel Meditations for Busy Moms*** AND ***Missional Motherhood: The Everyday Ministry of Motherhood in the Grand Plan of God*** by Gloria Furman

Give them Grace: Dazzling your kids with the Love of Jesus by Elyse Fitzpatrick and Jessica Thompson

Mom Enough: The Fearless Mother's Heart and Hope Ed. By Tony & Karalee Reinke

Did I Kiss Marriage Goodbye?: Trusting God with a Hope Deferred (for single women) by Carolyn McCulley

Men

The Exemplary Husband by Stuart Scott

Sex, Romance, and the Glory of God by C.J. Mahaney

Manhood Restored by Eric Mason

The Complete Husband by Lou Priolo

Point Man by Steve Farrar

Man in the Mirror by Patrick Morley

The Masculine Mandate by Richard D. Phillips

Disciplines of a Godly Man by R. Kent Hughes

Family Shepherds: Calling and Equipping Men to Lead Their Homes by Voddie Baucham Jr.

The Dude's Guide to Manhood: Finding True Manliness in a World of Counterfeits by Darrin Patrick

Parenting

Shepherding a Child's Heart by Tedd Tripp

Instructing a Child's Heart by Tedd Tripp

Parenting: 14 Gospel Principles That Can Radically Change Your Family by Paul Tripp

Gospel-Centered Family by Ed Moll & Tim Chester ***Sacred Parenting*** by Gary Thomas

Age of Opportunity: Biblical Guide to Parenting Teens by Paul Tripp ***Gospel Powered Parenting*** by William Farley

Ready to Launch: Jesus-Centered Parenting in a Child-Centered World (Workbook) by J.D. and Veronica Greear

Family Driven Faith: Doing What It Takes to Raise Sons and Daughters Who Walk with God by Voddie Baucham Jr.

Biblical Worldview on Cultural Family Issues

Counter Culture by David Platt

Adopted for Life by Russell D. Moore

Orphanology by Tony Merida and Rick Morton

Is God Anti-gay? by Sam Allbury

What does the Bible say about Homosexuality? by Kevin DeYoung

The Secret Thoughts of an Unlikely Convert by Rosaria Butterfield

Abortion: A Rational look at an Emotional Issue by R.C. Sproul

Why Pro-Life? By Randy Alcorn

God and the Transgender Debate: What does the Bible Actually Say about Gender Identity? by Andrew Walker

When Harry Became Sally: Responding to the Transgender Moment by Ryan T. Anderson

Talking Points: Transgender by Vaughn Roberts

Help for those Struggling in Sexual Sin

Finally Free by Heath Lambert

Sexual Detox: for Guys who are sick of Porn by Tim Challies

Sex Is Not the Problem (Lust Is): Sexual Purity in a Lust-Saturated World by Joshua Harris

Help! She's Struggling With Pornography by Rachel Coyle

Help! He's Struggling with Pornography (for Wives) by Brian Croft