

Resource List: Material for Children & Tweens

The resources listed below align with Focus on the Family's philosophy and mission. We trust you will find them helpful. If you would like to obtain any of these items, call us toll free at 1-800-A-FAMILY, or visit our online store at store.focusonthefamily.com. (The information is regularly updated, but there is still the possibility that an item originally available from Focus on the Family might now be unavailable.) You may also be interested in the content posted on our website at focusonthefamily.com.

Included

Magazines & Clubs Books CDs DVDs Resource Lists and Q&As

Magazines & Clubs

Focus on the Family Clubhouse, Jr. Magazine • CJMPKA1012 • ages 7 and under

Each monthly issue of *Focus on the Family Clubhouse, Jr.* magazine contains easy-to-read stories, puzzles, crafts, kids' own writings and drawings, and much more—all with an emphasis on biblical values.

Focus on the Family Clubhouse Magazine • CHMPKA1012 • ages 8-12

A Focus on the Family Clubhouse membership provides twelve months of exciting stories, puzzles, and jokes to help instill a growing faith.

Adventures in Odyssey Club™ • ages 8–12

Members have access to the entire library of Focus on the Family's radio drama *Adventures in Odyssey*®. They also receive exclusive new monthly episodes and video documentaries. Other features include hands-on activities, crafts and articles, as well as special discounts. The club also raises kids' awareness to needs around the world by highlighting partner organizations and their outreach efforts, including Christian Veterinary Mission, Operation Christmas Child, and Compassion International.

Books

801 Questions Kids Ask About God by Focus on the Family (2000) • 9780842337885 • ages 2-10

Kids ask amazing—and often difficult—questions about God, faith, and the Bible. But the thoughtful answers offered here are taken from Scripture and won't leave you at a loss for words.

Adventures in Odyssey® 90 Devotions for Kids by Focus on the Family (2012) • 9781604826715 • ages 6–10

Designed for families to read together, this devotional offers historical stories, modern biographies, Bible adventures, and key scenes from *Adventures in Odyssey*® radio dramas to help children learn about God's love and how to grow closer to Him.

Adventures in Odyssey® Bible (NIrV) by Focus on the Family (2017) • 9781589979284 • ages 8-12

Recurring features like Whit's Wisdom, Candid Conversations, Wooton's Fun Facts, Jason's Jargon, and What's It Mean, Eugene? will keep kids turning the pages, reading the biblical text, and growing in their understanding of God's Word.

Adventures in Odyssey: The Official Guide® (25th Birthday Edition) by Focus on the Family (2012) • 9781589977198 • ages 8–12 Enjoy fun facts about the making of your favorite episodes, books, and videos; hundreds of photos; trivia for over 700 shows; and step-by-step instructions on how to draw the characters.

Candid Conversations With Connie by Focus on the Family

This series offers questions from real girls, and *Adventures in Odyssey's* very own Connie gives truthful answers. These guides encourage tween girls in handling the concerns of growing up and becoming who God wants them to be.

Volume 1: A Girl's Guide to Growing Up (2014) • 9781624053917 •

Volume 2: A Girl's Guide to Boys, Peer Pressure, and Cliques (2015) • 9781624054372 •

Volume 3: A Girl's Guide to Entertainment, Body Image, and Social Media (2016) • 9781624054402 •

God Loves Me More Than That! by Dandi Daley Mackall (2008) • 978140073160 • ages 4-8

Daley Mackall helps kids learn that God's love for them is more amazing, bigger, wider, higher, and deeper than anything they can possibly imagine!

Lintball Leo's Not-So-Stupid Questions About Your Body by Dr. Walter Larimore and John Riddle (2003) ◆ 9780310705451 ◆

boys ages 8-12

This book provides practical information to help you communicate with your preteen boys about the changes their bodies are going through.

Money Matters for Kids by Larry Burkett and K. Christie Bowler (2001) • 9780802446350 • ages 8–12

Money is much more than pieces of paper or bits of metal. Filled with jokes, puzzles, and cool facts about earning, giving, saving, and spending, this workbook can help your child manage their money instead of it managing them!

One Sentence Storybooks (Focus on the Family)

10 mini-books in each set help beginning readers recognize basic vocabulary words while learning about Scripture.

Bible Favorites (2015) • 9781589977990 •

Bible Animals (2016) • 9781589978157 •

Bible Heroes (2015) • 9781589977037 •

The One Year Book of Devotions for Kids (1995) • **9781414349732** • ages 8–12

Help your child learn the importance of developing daily devotional time. Each day's reading includes a Bible passage and a contemporary story that helps kids apply God's Word to their own lives.

The Princess and the Kiss by Jennie Bishop (2000) • 9781593173807 • ages 8–12

A princess is given a special gift from God—her first kiss—but she's told by her parents to wait for a worthy man to share it with. This parable emphasizes the importance of purity on a level younger readers can understand.

The Treasure Tree by Gary and Norma Smalley, and John and Cindy Trent (1998) • 9780849958496 •

This tale of four friends—a lion, an otter, a golden retriever, and a beaver—helps children learn about and appreciate *their* unique personalities.

Whit's End Mealtime Devotions by Crystal Bowman and Tricia Goyer (2013) • 9781604826555•

Over 150 devotions based on Focus on the Family's *Adventures in Odyssey*® series can help your family connect with each other and learn to feast on God's Word.

Adventures in Odyssey® The Blackgaard Chronicles Series (ages 10+)

The Blackgaard Chronicles #1: Opening Moves by Phil Loller (2017) • 9781589979260 •

A conniving city councilman is secretly carrying out plans against John Avery Whittaker and Whit's End. But Philip Glossman is only a pawn in a dark game played by the mysterious Dr. Regis Blackgaard. Meanwhile, against Whit's express orders, Eugene and Connie tamper with a top-secret computer room—and the destructive Applesause program is unleashed. Can Whit counter the forces opposing him? What does Dr. Blackgaard really want?

Adventures in Odyssey® Imagination Station Series (ages 7-11)

Imagination Station #1: Voyage With the Vikings by Marianne Hering and Paul McCusker (2010) • 9781604828559 •

While visiting Whit's Soda Shoppe, cousins Patrick and Beth find a mysterious old letter in the Imagination Station asking for help to find a Viking sunstone. The two race back in time to Greenland circa A.D. 1000 and meet Vikings Erik the Red and Leif Eriksson as they look for the stone.

Imagination Station #5: Showdown With the Shepherd by Marianne Hering and Brock Eastman (2011) • 9781604828719 •

Patrick and Beth go to the Holy Land in the 10th century B.C., but trouble is waiting as soon as they step out of the Imagination Station. First they meet an angry bear, and then they meet an angry giant! Join the cousins as they learn that having a giant faith is more important than having a giant on your side.

Imagination Station #9: Escape to the Hiding Place by Marianne Hering (2012) • 9781604826678 •

Join Beth and Patrick as they arrive in Holland during World War II and help smuggle a baby into the capable hands of Corrie ten Boom. As the cousins hide from Nazi soldiers and encourage Jewish children along the way, they learn to appreciate the bravery and sacrifice of those who helped the Jews during this terrible time.

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Adventures in Odyssey® #60: Head Over Heels (2016) • 9781589978379 • ages 8–12

Will Wooton meet with Penny's family's approval? The Parker family wonders if Mom will learn how to ride a bike, Whit questions whether his daughter should move to town, and Emily wonders how an unknown hero is thwarting the robberies across town. The folks in Odyssey jump head over heels into the path of truth and discernment.

Adventures in Odyssey® #61: Without a Hitch (2016) • 9781589978409 • ages 8–12

Wedding bells are finally ringing for Penny and Wooton, but the journey to the altar takes several unexpected side roads. Meanwhile, the Jones and Parker Detective Agency faces its most perplexing case yet; Olivia and Matthew compete against each other for student body president; and Whit finds himself in the middle of a feud between two warring clans. Celebrate marriage, family, and friends in Odyssey with this hilarious six-episode collection.

Adventures in Odyssey® #62: Let's Put on a Show! (2017) • 9781589978423 • ages 8-12

Jules Kendall feels like she's in the spotlight and has to live up to everyone's expectations. Buck Oliver pretends to understand Eugene and Katrina's faith. A mysterious visitor to the antique shop isn't all he seems as he searches for a clue to a father's final words. And a group of traveling singers put on the craziest musical extravaganza Odyssey has ever seen!

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Last Chance Detectives (ages 6-14)

Last Chance Detectives Gift Set by Focus on the Family (2004) • 9781414300139 •

Join Mike, Winnie, Ben, and Spence as they solve local mysteries and learn important life lessons along the way.

#1: Mystery Lights of Navajo Mesa • 9781414300108 •

#2: Legend of the Desert Bigfoot • 9781414300115 •

#3: Escape From Fire Lake • 9781414300122 •

VeggieTales (ages 4–12)

Larry Boy and the Bad Apple by Word Entertainment (2006) • 820413107598 •

The Bad Apple is rotten to the core, but the citizens of Bumblyburg may not realize it until it's too late. Even Larry Boy must stand strong and learn the dangers of temptation and the strength found in accountability.

Moe and the Big Exit by Big Idea/Word (2007) • 820413108694 •

Meet Moe (Larry the Cucumber), a good-natured cowboy living high on the hog in Dodgeball City. When Moe asks the heartless mayor to let his people go, the mayor refuses—and trouble comes to town.

Princess and the Popstar by Big Idea/Word (2011) • 820413119690 •

Princess Poppyseed dreams of fame and fortune away from the farm, and her favorite singer, Vanna Banana, would love to leave the hectic pace of stardom behind. When the two girls accidentally meet, they decide to switch places—and discover that sometimes you should be careful what you wish for!

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What's in the Bible? (ages 5-8)

Volume 1: In the Beginning (EMI CMG) • 853026002325 •

In this DVD, kids are introduced to Buck Denver and his friends as they talk about the book of Genesis and answer questions like "What is the Bible?" and "Who wrote the Bible?"

Volume 2: Let My People Go (EMI CMG) • 853026002332 •

This time, Buck Denver and his friends talk about the book of Exodus—the oppression of the Israelites and the birth and rise of Moses.

Volume 3: Wanderin' in the Desert (EMI CMG) • 853026002349 •

Buck Denver and his friends return to take us through the Bible books of Leviticus, Numbers, and Deuteronomy. They help answer the question, "Did this stuff really happen?"

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Resource Lists

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Find recommended resources and referrals listed by topic, including:

Christian Growth for Children & Teens • RL022A •

Q&As

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