



LGBTQ+ RESOURCES FOR PARENTS

Dear Wonderful Parent/Grandparent/Family member/Guardian,

You have a loving heart and a caring soul to dive into this topic. Below is a list of books, podcasts, episodes, and parachurch ministry resources, which have been carefully chosen in order to support those who identify as LGBTQ+ in the church and to support those who love them. Direct links to these resources are included in the document as well. If you would like to have a conversation, we would love to connect with you.

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RECOMMENDED READING / GUIDES

Title & Book Link:	Summary :
<p>Guiding Families Guiding Families Website</p>	<p>The Guiding Families book is a practical, God-honoring guidance to relate effectively with LGBTQ+ people in your family, church, ministry, school, or other community settings.</p> <p>Guiding Families Direct Care provides a safe place for LGBTQ+ people of all ages as well as parents and family members of LGBTQ+ loved ones.</p>
<p><i>Homosexuality and The Christian</i> By Mark A. Yarhouse PsyD Amazon Book Link</p>	<p>This book provides a holistic perspective on homosexuality and the Christian compared to what is typically proof texted in scripture. Mark Yarhouse is a clinical psychologist who specializes in conflicts tied to religious identity and sexual and gender identity. He is also</p>