

Recommended Reading from Sacred Worth

Torn: Rescuing the Gospel from the Gays-vs.-Christians Debate

Justin Lee

Torn provides insightful, practical guidance for all committed Christians who wonder how to relate to gay friends or family members—or who struggle with their own sexuality.

UnClobber: Rethinking Our Misuse of the Bible on Homosexuality

Colby Martin

Armed with only six passages in the Bible—often known as the “clobber passages”—the traditional Christian position has been one that stands against the full inclusion of LGBTQ members. *UnClobber* reexamines what the Bible says (and does not say) about homosexuality and breathes fresh life into outdated and inaccurate assumptions and interpretations.

God and the Gay Christian

Matthew Vines

The author combines a detailed mastery of a wide range of material from the ancient world and the Christian tradition, a clear and articulate writing style, a deep commitment to his Christian faith, and an incisive judgment that can cut through complex arguments and mountains of data, and identify the core issues and their implications for human life.

Does Jesus Really Love Me?: A Gay Christian's Pilgrimage in Search of God in America

Jeff Chu

Part memoir and part investigative analysis, this book explores the explosive and confusing intersection of faith, politics, and sexuality in Christian America by award-winning reporter Jeff Chu.

Walking the Bridgeless Canyon: Repairing the Breach Between the Church and the LGBT Community

Kathy Baldock

Baldock uncovers the historical, cultural, medical, and political filters of discrimination through which the LGBT community is seen. With the foundation firmly established, she examines the most controversial filter of all: what the Bible says.

Unconditional: A Guide to Loving and Supporting Your LGBTQ Child

Telaina Eriksen

This guide provides parents a framework for helping their LGBTQ child navigate through a world that isn't always welcoming. It can be useful to siblings and extended family as well to provide information, insights, and suggestions how to support the child and find support themselves.

This Is a Book for Parents of Gay Kids: A Question & Answer Guide to Everyday Life

Danielle Owens-Reid and Kristin Russo

Written in Q&A format, the authors provide guidance on both emotional and practical topics. “A book kids wish their parents would read.”

The Transgender Child: A Handbook for Families and Professionals

Stephanie Brill

Written for parents by experienced researchers and counselors on gender issues, this book is an informative and essential first read for families of transgender children.