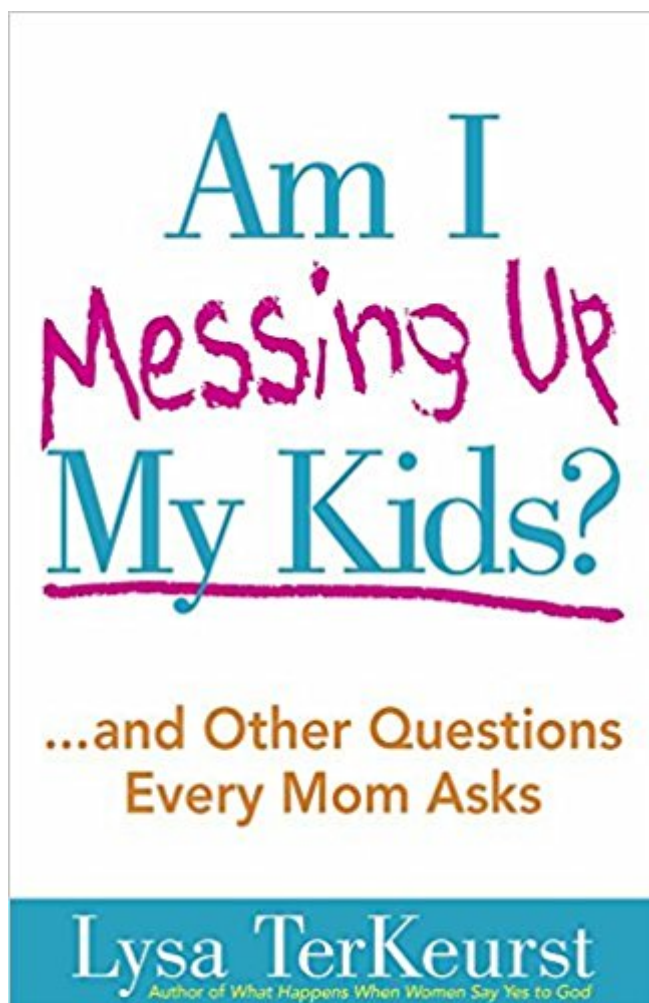




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Am I Messing Up My Kids?: ...and Other Questions Every Mom Asks



Synopsis

Lysa TerKeurst, mother of five and president of Proverbs 31 Ministries, knows about the bouts of “mommy stress” that come with parenting and managing a home and a life. From her own experience and conversations with hundreds of other women, Lysa shares how mothers can release the guilt they sometimes feel and stop blaming their parenting skills every time a child does something wrong. Let kids live with the consequences of their bad choices, simplify life to create breathing room, quit comparing themselves to “perfect” mom, turn to God for support, guidance, and patience. Overflowing with practical ideas, short Bible studies, and plenty of encouragement, this inspiring resource will help moms to realize that with God’s wisdom and mercy, they can experience peace and satisfaction while raising their kids. *Rerelease of The Bathtub Is Overflowing but I Feel Drained*

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Customer Reviews

Lysa TerKeurst is a New York Times bestselling author and a national speaker. She is the president of Proverbs 31 Ministries and an author of 18 books, including *Unglued*, *Made to Crave*, and *What Happens When Women Say Yes to God*, and encourages more than 700,000 women through a daily online devotional. She lives in North Carolina with her husband, five children, three dogs, and a mouse that refuses to leave her kitchen.

This is a good book for Christian moms in stable environments. I was able to get a few nuggets from

the book and some chapters I got more than a few nuggets. However, I have some real issues with a prodigal son. This book does not go that deep. I am married now but was a single mom for 15 years. During that time, when my child was younger, this book would have frustrated me. Again, it does not go deep enough for someone with deeper struggles. I understand that married Christian moms struggle but it is not on the same level as a single mom, mom of a prodigal, etc. This is a great book for Christian moms who struggle. I think that is who the author is writing to and that is good. We need ministry to all people.

It took me awhile to actually finish this book and I wondered at first had I gotten much out of it. However when I went back through my notes I realized that there were many pearls of wisdom gleaned from this light read. So I reread most of it! It was so encouraging. As a mom of 6 it is easy to feel like I am completely messing them up sometimes but ultimately God is in control and has a great plan for my kids and I. We all need to be reminded of this at times.

Love this book and would highly recommend getting it for parents!

Amazing, must-read book if you are trying to walk closer with God and know how to raise your children in His light. This book has become my go to, reference back to. I absolutely love it!! This book really started my closer-than-ever relationship with Jesus! Now, I read all of Lysa's books!

This book is a must read for any mom who feels that the day to day work of being a mom is insignificant! Lisa will encourage you to look at your life from a new perspective, take a step back and see God at work. This book will help you feel like you ARE making a difference in this world, just by trusting God and giving him your worries. Letting God use you as a tool in your children's life and knowing God gave you these children for a special purpose only you can fill!

This is the very first parenting Christian book I have read. I love Lisa's honesty and vulnerability as she shares her parenting challenges and struggles. Her stories are very transparent, thus relatable. I particularly love that she shares bible verses to affirm God's love and guiding hand throughout the entire book. My biggest takeaway is to try to see everything through God's perspective and let Him guide us in our parenting journey. I highly recommend it!

This is the first full book that I have read in about two years! With two little ones ages 1 and 3,

finding time to read is a challenge. But I knew that I needed some help and guidance in this mom life because things just hadn't been going as I always planned. This book has made so many positive changes in my life! I am so glad that I took the time to read it because I will forever remember so many of the lessons I learned and they will help me in my everyday life as a mom.

This book is such a joy to read. To be reminded that my daily time with my children is beyond earthly value. Lisa TerKurst is authentic, inspiring, and down right funny in this revealing book about her parenting and spiritual walk and how the two must be joined daily. A great easy read for all moms!

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