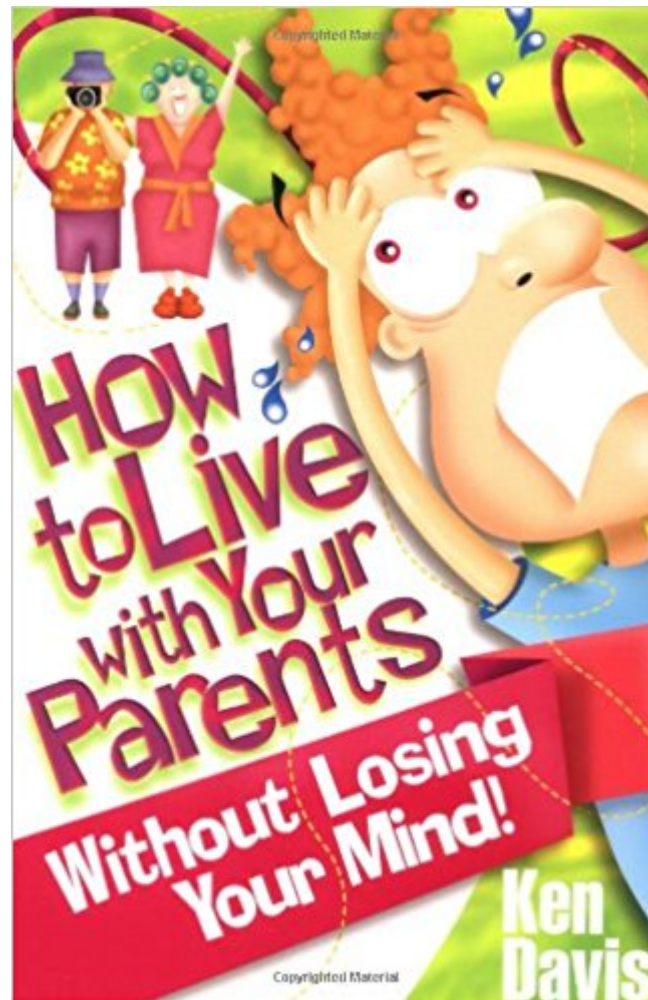




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How To Live With Your Parents Without Losing Your Mind!



Synopsis

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skills that can really make a difference. But don't get the idea this book is for teens only. Parents should read it, too. They'll find new understanding of how they really make decisions, how they assert their authority, and how they express their love. This warm, funny book will help moms and dads do a better job of parenting their teenagers; and it will help young adults improve the way they "teach" their parents. Read it, let your family read it . . . and watch good things start to happen -- Publisher

Ken Davis, President of Dynamic Communications International, is a popular speaker, writer, humorist, and communications consultant. He has written a number of books including I Don't Remember Dropping the Skunk, But I Do Remember Trying to Breathe and How to Speak to Youth . . . and Keep Them Awake at the Same Time

I got this book for my kids when they were teens and I enjoyed reading it as much as they did. Mr. Davis presents lessons to them in how to understand why their parents say no and how to be able to earn more privileges. Such as if they want to stay up later are they getting up in the morning themselves without mom coming in multiple times. Are they grumpy? Are they dragging through the day. Then if they can show they are ready for the responsibility go and calmly ask and state your reasons why you feel you are ready. However, he tells them there could be a no answer yet or perhaps a trial period. Their positive response to no and doing chores etc. will show mom and dad that perhaps more privileges are in order.

This should be a required read for every Jr. High & High School student! I wanted to make sure my kids read it, so we read it as a family. They laughed, we laughed. I think it puts the shoe on the other foot quite well.

Fun

This is a great book to read for parents and teens who really want to build a great relationship. Especially in a teen ministry!!!

I bought this for my daughter who is 11 yrs. old and a type "A" personlity. She wants to be in charge and we have discipline issues with her. She loves to read and reads all the time. I can not get her to read this book! (Probably because I bought it for her she won't read it.) Personally, I have not had

time read it, but will soon.

This is a great book for any youth leader. It provides sensitive and thoughtful insight into how hard it is for teenagers growing up in today's world. All too often, adults forget that they, too, were once teenagers. This book uses sound Biblical references in trying to show teenagers that they are: 1) not alone, 2) their parents DO love them and 3) their parents are not out to get them! I am using this book for an 8-week Bible study with 9-12 graders at my church for Sunday School. They found the 2nd chapter about the inside of your parents' minds hilarious and helpful. Yes, they DO believe there is a microchip in their parents' brains that is programmed to ruin their lives and their fun! The chapter on sibling relationships is equally well-done. I think this book is providing good food for thought for my kids about how to survive in their families and make a difference, not only in their families, but in the world as young disciples of the Risen Lord.

Ken Davis has a very good sense of humor that helps us look at our everyday problems and situations and he gives us ideas on how to make the best of it. I used it for our Jr. High Bible class and it was a good conversation starter and problem solver.

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