

Book List Titles you might be interested to read

<u>Gay and Bisexual Subjects</u>			
TITLE	AUTHOR	PUB. DATE	DESCRIPTION
Born This Way; Real Stories of Growing Up Gay	Vitagliano, Paul	2012	A compilation of sweet, funny and at times heartbreaking personal stories of growing up LGBTQ.
Straight Parents, Gay Children	Bernstein, Robert A.	1995	Inspiring families to live honestly and with greater understanding.
My Two Moms	Wahls, Zach	2012	The author shares lessons he's learned about love, strength and family.
Coming Out, Coming Home	LaSala, Michael	2000	The challenges and triumphs of the coming out process in the words of 65 gay and lesbian youth and their parents.
Gay, Straight, and the Reason Why	LeVay, Simon	2011	Summary of scientific evidence that points to the interaction of genes, sex hormones and the cells of the body and brain.
Silent Lives: How High a Price	Boesser, Sara L.	2004	Personal reflections and group discussions about sexual orientation.
"You Can Tell Just by Looking"	Bronski, Michael	2013	Debunks myths about LGBT life and people.
Mom Knows: Love, Gay Pride, and Taking Action	Tuerk, Catherine	2012	A mother's journey to acceptance, complete support of and advocacy on behalf of her gay son.
Gay Children – Straight Parents	Richard Cohen	2007	A step by step plan that offers a path toward renewed family relationship grounded in love, faith and mutual respect.
This Is a Book for Parents of Gay Kids	Dannielle Owens-Reid	2014	Answers to parents' questions, and insight and guidance on both emotional and practical topics. Filled with real-life experiences from gay kids and parents.
<u>Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Children</u>			
Coming Around; Parenting Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Kids	Dohrenwend, Anne	2012	An insightful guide for understanding and coming to terms with a child's sexual orientation and gender identity.
Now What? For Families with Transgender and Gender- Nonconforming Children	Butt, Rex	2013	Defines terms, explains options, provides resources, lays out history, and offers guidance.
Gender Born,	Ehrensaft,	2011	Guidance on both the philosophical dilemmas

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Gender Made; Raising Healthy Gender-Nonconforming Children	Diane, PhD		and practical, daily concerns of working with children who don't fit a "typical" gender mold.
The Transgender Child: A Handbook for Families and Professionals	Brill, Stephanie and Pepper, Rachel	2008	The book offers an extensive understanding of gender creative and transgender youth.
Parrotfish	Wittlinger, Ellen	2007	Told with both humor and sadness, the book describes the struggles of a teen who cuts her hair short, buys men's clothes, and announces she'd like to be called by a new name, Grady.
Pink and Blue, Telling the Boys from the Girls	Paloetti, Jo B.	2014	A chronicle of the origins of today's highly gender-specific American baby and toddler clothing, and the message they send to society.
Beyond Magenta: Transgender Teens Speak Out	Kuklin, Susan	2014	The author interviews six transgender or gender-neutral teens. Each is unique because of family dynamics, living situations, gender, and the transition these teens make in recognition of their true selves.
<u>Gender Identity / Gender Expression / Gender Questioning</u>			
Helping Your Transgender Teen	Krieger, Irwin	2011	Insights gained from the author's years working with the transgender community.
Transgender Explained for Those Who are Not	Herman, Joanne	2009	Written by a transgender woman, the book offers an easy to read explanation of what it means to be transgender.
Trans Forming Families: Real Stories About Transgender Loved Ones	Boenke, Mary	2008	A resource for parents or family members having difficulty adjusting to a transgender family member.
Gender Outlaws: The Next Generation	Bornstein, Kate	2010	A book that combines older conversations with new and transitional dialogues, yielding new ways of thinking about identities.
Transitions of the Heart	Pepper, Rachel	2012	32 mothers of transgender and gender creative children tell their own stories.
Two Spirits, One Heart	Aizumi, Marsha	2012	A compelling story of parenting a young woman who came out as a lesbian, then

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			transitioned to male.
Transgender 101; A Simple Guide to a Complex Issue	Teich, Nicholas	2012	The chapters describe the coming out process and its effect on the rest of the family and friends.
Middlesex	Eugenides, Jeffrey	2002	Transgender fiction.
Mother - Talk	Pearlman, Sarah	2012	A collection of stories of 24 mothers – 12 who found out a daughter was a lesbian and 12 who learned that a child once a biological female was planning to transition to male.
Trans-Kin; A Guide for Families & Friends of Transgender People	Hubbard and Whitley, ed.	2012	Collection of stories from significant others, family members, friends and allies of transgender persons.
Trans Bodies, Trans Selves; A Resource for the Transgender Community	Erickson-Schroth, Laura	2014	A comprehensive guide for transgender people. Chapter topics, each written by transgender or genderqueer authors, include race, religion, employment, medical and surgical transition, mental health, relationships, sexuality, parenthood, arts and culture.
Nobody Passes, Reflecting the Rules of Gender and Conformity	Bernstein Sycamore, Matt	2006	A collection of essays that confronts and challenges the very notion of belonging. The book explores and critiques the various systems of power seen (or not seen) in the act of “passing”.
Finding the Real Me	Tracie O’Keefe & Katrina Fox	2003	A collection of real-life stories told by a wide range of sex and gender diverse people..
My Husband Betty	Helen Boyd	2003	An exploration of cross-dressing men and their female partners.
Right Side Out	Annah Moore	2006	Through several candid vignettes, Moore shares some of the all-time highs and lows on her journey through life.
The Transgender Companion	Jennifer Seeley	2007	A guide written by a transsexual for transsexuals with helpful information on how to transition and pass successfully.
The Other Woman, A Story About Three Transsexuals	Pamela Hayes	2007	An exploration of the transsexual experience of three women who are the best of friends, exploring the rejection, the pain and the yearning of trans women.
The New Goddess, Transgender Women in the 21 st Century	Edited by Gypsy Teague	2006	A collection of essays and memoirs by transgender women

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Get Dressed, Breaking Out Of The Cross-dressing Closet	Gina Lance	2008	This work chronicles the lifelong struggle facing the reality that she is a cross-dresser, with advice to those who also face the same struggle.
Alice in Genderland	Dr. Richard Novic, M.D.	2008	The story of Dr. Richard Novic, Harvard-educated psychiatrist and cross-dresser.
She's Not the Man I Married, My Life With A Transgender Husband	Helen Boyd	2007	An intimate exploration of the impact her husband's gender change will have on their relationship.
Crossing – A Memoir	Dr. Deirdre McCloskey, PhD	1999	Dr. McCloskey, Distinguished Professor of Economics, History, English and Communication at the University of Illinois at Chicago, who authored 14 textbooks on economics and the economy during her career, shares her transition from husband and father Don, to Deirdre.
Wrapped In Blue, A Journey of Discovery	Donna Rose	2006	A glimpse into the life of an extraordinary life circumstances and found the answers she was looking for.
<u>LGBTQ Books for Children</u>			
My Princess Boy: A Mom's Story About a Boy Who Loves Dressing Up	Kilodavis, Cheryl	2012	A non-fiction picture book about acceptance.
And Tango Makes Three	Richardson, Justin	2005	A story about acceptance; a penguin family with two dads.

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