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The Rainbow Study Bible, on: 2005/3/4 8:44

Anyone familiar with this study Bible? My wife and I are considering getting our two older sons (ages 9 and 10) each one of these for Easter. (KJV of course!) I kinda like the idea of a color schemed Bible for that age to help them understand and read the Bible better on their own. Since we homeschool, the Bible is part of everyday school work for them anyway..

Does anyone have one, and if so... what do you think of it? Or does anyone have any other suggestions for a study Bible for that age?

Please dont suggest "Refuel" (the Bible "magazine")... That will set me off... LOL!

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Krispy

Re: The Rainbow Study Bible - posted by jsb515, on: 2005/3/4 12:42

whats wrong with other translations ? I use many different versions and compare the scriptures to get more sense out of it. Also i've never heard of refuel magazine what is it ?

Yes the rainbow study bible is great I believe your kids would truly enjoy it.

Re: The Rainbow Study Bible - posted by philologos (), on: 2005/3/4 13:43

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I am impressed! very impressed. :-P

Re:, on: 2005/3/4 15:07

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There are other threads dealing with this issue... we'll leave it alone on this thread.

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It's the Bible formatted as a young men's magazine... kinda like a cross between Rolling Stone and GQ. I'll start a thread about it shortly... it's worldly compromise at it's worst.

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I'm not looking for my kids to be entertained, but I think I understand what you mean. I'm looking for a format that will help them learn... and yes, enjoy the Bible.

Krispy

Re: - posted by Angyl, on: 2005/3/4 15:53

Never heard of it, but make sure you keep me posted if you get it. I've a profound respect for your opinion, as you know, and while I'm not in the market for my daughter to study the Bible like that anytime soon...

and pretty firmly believe we'll all be flying out of here before she reaches that age...

if you use it and it rings your bells, I'll want to know so I can pick up a copy. :-)

Re:, on: 2005/3/4 15:59

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I wouldn't admit that publicly! LOL

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I'll keep ya posted, bro...

Krispy

Re: The Rainbow Study Bible - posted by Mikkel, on: 2005/3/4 16:33

I'm a little hesitant with anything called "the rainbow" study Bible. Oh well.

Re: - posted by PTywama3 (), on: 2005/3/4 18:23

Heck, why not call it enjoyment? I love the stories through Samuel and Kings, and there was a good reason for the Gospel to be tagged "the greatest story ever told."

"Your testimonies also are my delight; They are my counselors." Ps. 119:24

Aside from that, the rainbow study bible kinda drove me bonkers - distracted me a bit from what I was trying to work with. But that's just one short-lived experience.

the girl behind the counter has the right heartspace, on: 2005/3/4 19:58

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Re: the girl behind the counter has the right heartspace - posted by inotof (), on: 2005/3/5 10:59

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Re: the girl behind the counter has the right heartspace, on: 2005/3/7 11:52

Quote:

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Nooo... my friend, I just try to use a little discernment about where I cast pearls.

Krispy

Re:, on: 2005/3/7 11:56

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Someone stole a Bible... now thats depravity. lol .. I hope that Bible leads them to Jesus.

Anyway... the more I look into the Rainbow Study Bible, the more I think I'm heading in the direction of the Pilgrim Study Bible. I think it's a little more on my kids speed as far as being designed to teach the basics. My two older boys both have been blessed with incredible spiritual insight, and of course we teach them the Word on a daily basis... but I think for their own personal study, I'm leaning toward the Pilgrim Study Bible.

I think the Rainbow has its place, but I agree with your assertion about it being **too** well organized. I think it would be better to teach the boys how to highlight the Word themselves, instead of having it done for them already.

Krispy

Re: - posted by inotof (), on: 2005/3/7 17:59

Have you tried the KJV Study bible for kids?