

Books for the Middle School Collection

(Are also appropriate for high school)

NON-FICTION

1. **COPING WHEN A PARENT IS GAY**, *Miller, Deborah A.* ISBN: 0823814046, ©1993. Examines the impact of parent's sexual orientation on family relationships, describing the experiences of young people in various types of families. Includes biographical references and index, \$10.00.
2. **GAY MARRIAGE: AT ISSUE**, *Miller, Deborah A.* ISBN: 0823914046, ©1998. Presents opposing viewpoints on gay marriage, @\$12.46.
3. **GAY RIGHTS: CURRENT CONTROVERSIES**, *Roleff, Tamara, Ed.* ISBN: 1565101531, ©1997. Explores current controversies surrounding issues of Gay Rights, \$16.20.
4. **HEARING US OUT: VOICES FROM THE GAY AND LESBIAN COMMUNITY**. *Sutton, Roger.* ISBN: 0316823260, ©1994. Interviews with gays and lesbians who speak from many perspectives. Includes bibliographical references, \$8.95.
5. **JOURNEY OUT**, *Pollack, Rachel and Schwartz, Cheryl.* ISBN: 0670858455, ©1995. Suggests how gay, lesbian, and bisexual teenagers may discover their sexual orientation, find self-acceptance, come out, cope with prejudice, and deal with religious and political issues, includes information about sexual safety, STD's and healthcare, \$6.99.
6. **KNOW ABOUT GAYS AND LESBIANS**, *Hyde, Margaret.* ISBN: 1562942980, ©1994. Traces the history of social attitudes toward gays and lesbians and examines specific problems faced by homosexual teens and parents and the challenge of AIDS. Includes bibliographical references and index, \$15.00.
7. **MAKING LOVE VISIBLE: IN CELEBRATION OF GAY AND LESBIAN FAMILIES**, *Manassee, Geoff.* ISBN: 0895947781, ©1995. Photographs accompanied by interviews of diverse gay and lesbian families, showing a breadth of love, creativity and acceptance, \$18.95.
8. **OTHER VICTIMS: FIRST-PERSON STORIES ON NON-JEWS PERSECUTED BY THE NAZIS**, *Friedman, Ina R..* ISBN: 0395745152, ©1990. Personal narratives of Christians, Gypsies, deaf people, homosexuals, and blacks who suffered at the hands of the Nazis before and during World War II. Includes bibliographical reference, \$5.95.

9. **OUT SPOKEN: ROLE MODELS FROM THE LESBIAN AND GAY COMMUNITY**, *Ford, Michael-Thomas*. ISBN: 0688148972, ©1998. Stories from 11 prominent members of the gay and lesbian community, @\$4.95.
10. **SERVING IN SILENCE: THE MARGARETHE CAMMERMEYER STORY**, *Cammermeyer, Margarethe*. ISBN: 0140231595, ©1994. An autobiography of the former Army U.S. colonel from Washington State who had a long and distinguished career as a nurse until she revealed that she was a lesbian, \$11.95.
11. **SHARED HEART: PORTRAITS AND STORIES CELEBRATING LESBIAN, GAY, AND BISEXUAL YOUNG PEOPLE**, *Mastoon, Adam*. ISBN: 0688149316, ©1997. Forty gay, lesbian, and bisexual young adults share their stories of coming out to friends and families, and their struggles to live honestly and openly. Includes bibliographical references, \$25.00.
12. **ZACK'S STORY: GROWING UP WITH SAME-SEX PARENTS**, ISBN: 082252581X, ©1996. An 11-year-old boy describes family life with his lesbian mother and her partner, \$12.00.

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13. **ALL THE WAYS HOME: PARENTING AND CHILDREN IN THE LESBIAN AND GAY COMMUNITIES**, *Rizzo, Cindy*, ed. ISBN: 0934678650, ©1995. A collection of short fiction revolving around common experiences in gay and lesbian families, \$10.95.
14. **AM I BLUE? COMING OUT FROM THE SILENCE**, *Bauer, Marion Dane*, ed., ISBN: 0064405877, ©1994. A collection of short stories about homosexuality by authors including Bruce Colville, M.E. Kerr, William Steator and Jane Yolen, New York Public Library Books for the Teen Age, @\$5.95.
15. **ANNIE ON MY MIND**, *Garden, Nancy*. ISBN: 0374404143, ©1982. Liza puts aside her feelings for Annie after a disaster at school, but eventually she allows love to triumph over the ignorance of people, \$3.95.
16. **ATHLETIC SHORTS**, *Crutcher, Chris*. ISBN: 0688108164, ©1989. A collection of short stories featuring characters from earlier books including Angus Bethune, by Chris Crutcher, \$4.50.
17. **BAD BOY**, *Wieler, Diana J.* ISBN: 0385304153, ©1989. A.J. Brandiosa becomes the bad boy of the Cyclone hockey team, learns that his best friend is gay, and tries to cope with his own sexuality during his senior year in high school, \$5.95.
18. **DEAR ONE**, *Woodson, Jacqueline*. ISBN: 0385304161, ©1991. Twelve-year-old Feni has to adjust when the pregnant young daughter of an old friend of her mother's comes to stay with them, \$3.99.

19. **DELIVER US FROM EVIE**, *Kerr, M.E.* ISBN: 0060244763, ©1994. Sixteen-year-old Parr Burrman and his family face some difficult times when word spreads through their rural Missouri town that his older sister is a lesbian who leaves the family farm to live with the daughter of the town's baker, \$4.95.
20. **DROWNING OF STEPHAN JONES**, *Greene, Bette.* ISBN: 0553297937, ©1991. As her mother battles a group that wants to ban all "anti-Christian" literature from the public library, Carla faces her torn loyalties when her boyfriend starts harassing the homosexual owners of an antique shop, \$4.50.
21. **EAGLE KITE: A NOVEL**, *Fox, Paula.* ISBN: 0531068927, ©1995. Liam's father has AIDS. His family cannot talk about it until Liam reveals a secret that he has tried to deny ever since he saw his father embracing another man at the beach, \$3.99.
22. **EARTHSHINE**, *Nelson, Theresa.* ISBN: 0531087174, ©1994. Slim watches over her father, a disarmingly charismatic man, as his struggle with AIDS reaches its climax, \$4.50.
23. **FROM THE NOTEBOOKS OF MELANIN SUN**, *Woodson, Jacqueline,* ISBN: 0590458809, ©1995. Thirteen-year-old Melanin Sun's comfortable, quiet life is disturbed when his mother reveals she has fallen in love with a woman, Newberry Award Winner, \$14.95.
24. **GOOD MOON RISING**, *Garden, Nancy.* ISBN: 0374327467, ©1996. In her senior year of high school, Jan loses the starring part in the school play, takeover as director when her beloved drama teacher becomes ill, and comes to realize her own sexual orientation, \$16.00.
25. **HOUSE YOU PASS ON THE WAY**, *Woodson, Jacqueline.* ISBN: 0385321899, ©1997. When 14-year-old Staggerlee, the daughter of a racially mixed marriage, spends a summer with her cousin Trout, she begins to question her sexuality. Coretta Scott King Award Winning book, \$4.00.
26. **JACK**, *Hyde, Margaret.* ISBN: 0679732217, ©1989. Fifteen-year old Jack's confused feelings for his father, who left him and his mother four years earlier, are further complicated when he finds out that his father is gay, \$12.00.
27. **MOVES MAKE THE MAN**, *Brooks Bruce.* ISBN: 0060206985, ©1997. A black boy and an emotionally troubled white boy in North Carolina form a precarious friendship. Newbery Honor Book, 1985, \$4.95.

28. **NIGHT KITES**, *Kerr, M.E.* ISBN: 0064470350, ©1986. Seventeen-year-old Erick's comfortable and well-ordered life begins to fall apart when he is forced to keep two secrets: the identity of his new girlfriend and the nature of his brother's debilitating disease, \$4.95.
29. **NO BIG DEAL**, *McClain, Ellen.* ISBN: 0140380469, ©1994. Rumors begin to circulate that Janice's favorite teacher is gay. She has to decide whether to stand up for him, \$4.99.
30. **TOMMY STANDS ALONE**, *Velasquez, Gloria.* ISBN: 1558851461, ©1995. A high school student and a member of a Mexican-American family struggles with his sexual identity and learns that he will not have to stand alone anymore, \$7.95.