

Content Guide
For Eden's Sake
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Themes: Living in the world, relationships/dating, broken families, emotional and physical abuse in relationships, responsibility, premarital chastity, pro-life.

Educational Value: You can find discussion questions for this novel at the author's website.

Positive Messages: The pro-life message is a reminder that life begins at conception. Isaac's action has a big consequence, he becomes a father. Instead of choosing the easy, sinful way out, he chooses to do the right thing, even though it's more inconvenient.

Spiritual Messages: God's mercy is great and if we're truly sorry for our sins, we will be forgiven. Additionally, He will make good even out of our mistakes.

Positive Role Models: While Isaac does make a big mistake, his further actions demonstrate that we are all redeemable. And that, even though we cannot change our actions or the consequences that follow, we can always make things right.

Violence/Gore: None

Sexuality: While the story begins after a one-night-stand, there are no graphic details discussed or described.

Language: None

Drinking, Drugs & Smoking: This story is about a young man who gets drunk and makes a big mistake. While there is drinking, and the character does mention that he has a couple of beers with his dad, the message is that getting drunk is a sin and can lead to further sin.

WHAT PARENTS NEED TO KNOW

The main character is over 21, and while the characters are not teens, the subject matter is very appropriate for older teens and young adults who are entering into relationships.

Rating Scale: Moderate

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Light- For all readers.

Moderate - Story includes subject matter for teens 13 plus

Heavy - Although not graphic in description, the subject matter is recommended for teens older than 15.