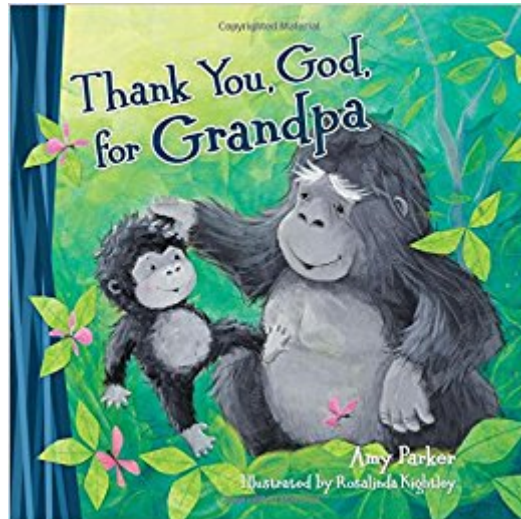




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# Thank You, God, For Grandpa



## Synopsis

Thank You, God, for Grandpas, For Pops and Papas too, For Granddads, Gramps, and Grandpappies • They're great, grand gifts from You! No matter what you call him, there is nothing like the love between a grandpa and his grandchild! With whimsical rhymes and charming illustrations, Thank You, God, for Grandpa encourages little ones to treasure God's special gift of grandfathers. Grandpas and their grandchildren alike will love this heartwarming story that celebrates their sweet relationship. Amy Parker's books have sold more than 800,000 copies, including two Christian Retailing's Best award-winning books and the bestselling A Night Night Prayer. She lives outside Nashville with her husband and two children.

## Book Information

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Age Range: 2 - 5 years

Grade Level: Preschool - Kindergarten

## Customer Reviews

Amy Parker's children's books have sold more than 1 million copies, including two Christian Retailing's Best award-winning books and the bestselling A Night Night Prayer. She lives outside Nashville with her husband and two children.

I Absolutely love these books. The grandparents books do not disappoint. Huge fan of her mommy and daddy books.

Cute book

2 1/2 year old loves it

Good quality too.

Bought this for both of my granddaughters grandpas. Love the idea of them reading this sweet book to her

“Thank You, God, for Grandpa; There’s nothing I can do To make my grandpa love me less  
Grandpa, I love you too!”  
Amy Parker ends in her children’s book, Thank You, God, for Grandpa. ~ What ~ At twenty pages, this board book with a padded front cover targets children ages two to five years old. With no scary scenes, it is a nice story about honoring a young one’s grandfather. Full page color illustrations of a monkey with two of his grandkids cover both sides of the opened pages. Written in rhyme with some complicated wording, this short tale concentrates on a monkey grandpa who loves, teaches, tells stories, spoils, explains Jesus, and interacts with his grandchildren. While there are fun scenes of monkeys hugging, playing games, fishing, skipping rocks, pitching trick curveballs, eating yummy desserts, and catching fireflies, it is also noted how the grandfather shows Jesus’s love and how to pray. The beginning and end of the book stress that young ones should be thankful to God for their grandparent. ~ Why ~ Our three-year-old granddaughter loves being read books before she goes to sleep, and I love how this one focuses on a grandpa and what he does that is special. The pictures are engaging and fun to look at for the age group. ~ Why Not ~ Those who do not have a personal relationship with God may not understand why one would thank God for grandparents. Due to some of three syllable words, it would be best to read it out loud to beginner readers. ~ Who ~ The author of over thirty books that have sold over one-million copies worldwide, Parker focuses on children, teens, and adults. Married, she and her husband have two sons. No information is given on the illustrator, Kightley. ~ Wish ~ Because this book only shows a grandfather and grandchild relationship, it should be noted there is a similar book about grandmoms too. ~ Want ~ If you are looking for a bonding book about a granddad with pictures of monkeys, this is a nice choice. It would be an adorable book to have in the grandparents’ home when the young ones come for a visit and sit in

grandpa's lap to be read it. Thanks to Book Look Bloggers for furnishing this complimentary book that I am reviewing freely.

Grandpa's have to be just about the most wonderful thing on earth. God saw fit to allow me to know only one of mine and I wish we had been closer in my childhood but how precious the relationship has been between my father and my children. How thankful I am for that! Thank you, God, for Grandpa by Amy Parker reminds us that, whatever we call our grandfather, he is a gift from God. Grandpas are wise and teach us. They pass on family traditions and tell us stories of their youth. They play with us and often provide special treats. They tell us about Jesus and how to live our lives. And there is nothing we can do to make them love us less. I love the board book format which surprises no one who reads my blog. I love books that small hands can manage and can feel and touch without any danger of ripping pages. This volume also has a lightly padded front and back cover with rounded corners which I love as well. The brightly colored illustration featuring sweet faced gorillas is destined to be a child's favorite who has just such a Godly wonderful grandfather in his/her life. Whether Grandpa is near or far, we need to keep these precious people at the forefront of our child's minds and I think this companion to Thank You, God, for Grandma, is a wonderful way to do so. I did receive this book free from the publisher in exchange for an honest review and am in no way obligated to write a positive one.

What a sweet book--a perfect glance at how important grandpas really are! This is a heart-warming celebration of the relationship between a grandpa and a grandchild, which is sure to leave young listeners wanting a hug when the book is laid down. The rhymes flow nicely, depicting a different reason why grandpas are so important on each page spread. The reasons reach across the board: from playing to learning to simply spending time together. Especially boys will recognize certain situations. One of the main focuses through-out, however, is the religious tone. Grandpa's also teach about Jesus and how to pray. And this flows across so naturally that it never feels pushed or forced. Phrases like "Thank you, God, for Grandpa; There's nothing I can do to make my grandpa love me less" and "Grandpa, I love you too" come across as warm and cuddly as a favorite blanket. The illustrations are simply cute. The jungle setting with the gorillas is sure to catch young eyes and pull them into the green world as they go from trees to rivers and have fun the entire way. The Grandpa is depicted with such loving characteristics that it's hard not to like him. As to robustness, this board book will take punishment well. It's stable enough to be flipped through time and again, and is sure to handle

drool, trips to the car floor and tosses across the room. I highly recommend this one as a read-aloud, especially for grandpas to their grand kids. I received a complimentary copy from the publisher through BookLook Bloggers. I am only posting a review because I want to express my opinion (I enjoyed the book so much and want to shout it out to the world) by my own free will.

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