

Content Guide

Title: A Summer to Treasure

Themes: Family values, sibling relationships, dangers of too much technology, relics

Educational Value: This story is a family road trip across some of the Southwest states. The family visits many national parks, as well as some impressive Catholic churches.

Positive Messages: The story emphasizes the importance of family, especially sibling relationships.

Spiritual Messages: The story discusses relics of the Catholic Church. The characters pray, attend Mass, and read the Bible.

Positive Role Models: Grandma Grace shares pearls of wisdom with her grandchildren. Through her guidance, the three siblings each realize they need to refocus areas of their lives.

Violence/Gore: One of the characters falls and suffers a serious injury. The siblings quarrel with one another.

Sexuality: There is some attraction between the two older siblings and new people they meet. They are innocent exchanges.

Language: none

Drinking, Drugs & Smoking: none

WHAT PARENTS NEED TO KNOW

Rating Scale: MODERATE

Scale: Light

Light- For all readers.

Moderate - Story includes subject matter for teens 13 plus

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