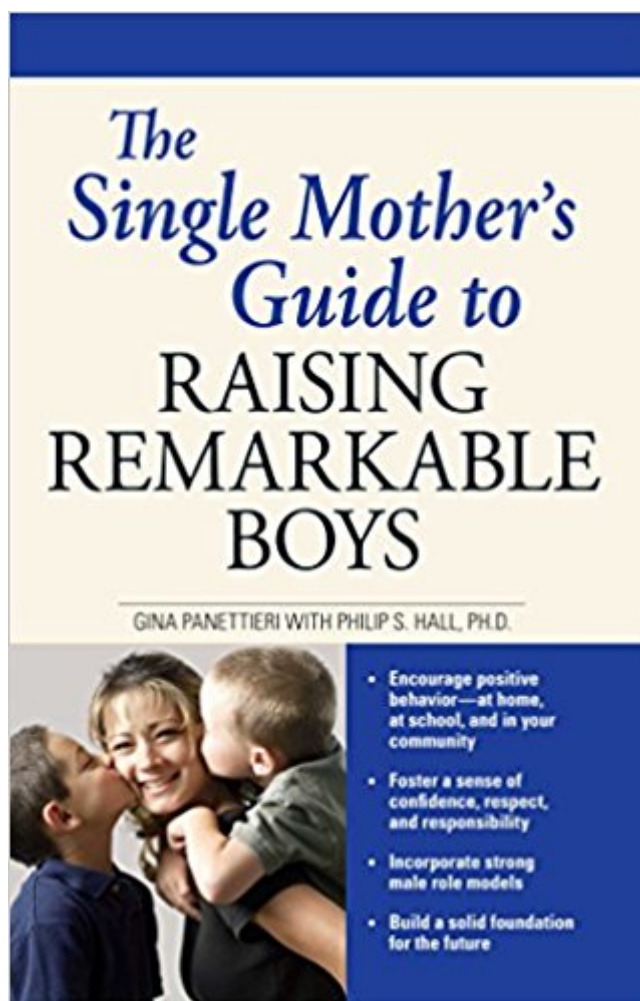


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The Single Mother's Guide To Raising Remarkable Boys



Synopsis

As a single mother to a growing son, you take on many roles: coach, chef, cheerleader, buddy, housekeeper, teacher, disciplinarian, and nurturer. *The Single Mother's Guide to Raising Remarkable Boys* helps you juggle all these roles with aplomb. You'll also learn how to help your son: Succeed at school Excel on the sports field Find an appropriate male role model Socialize and combat peer pressure Deal with sex, drugs, and video games Complete with resources and recommended strategies for every stage of a boy's life, *The Single Mother's Guide to Raising Remarkable Boys* helps you go it alone—and raise a happy, healthy, well-adjusted young man!

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Customer Reviews

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I bought this book hoping that it would address the question of whether it is true that not having a father is as bad for a boy as our society likes to tell us. Recent research shows that the economic factors have much more to do with the boys' failure to thrive when raised by a single mother. Consequently, a competent mother with the right resources can be just as good if not better at raising a boy than two parents in a less-than-happy partnership. Although the author of this book attempts to cheer on the single moms she writes for, the tone of the book suggests that a single mother has many weaknesses to compensate for. But it is always better, I think, to act out of one's strengths instead of forever trying to identify and compensate weaknesses. This book has a disheartening undertow to its flow. I also think that its long chapter on the innate biological differences between boys and girls makes too big a deal out of them. A single mother needs to know that the society's preconceptions against fatherless boys are just as likely to hamper their success as anything else. I am still looking for a book that would do the hard thinking about the real needs of children, in traditional and less so families.

A little outdated for examples and content. Great concepts though.

for women who have found themselves single and raising sons.filled with advice.
encouragement,validation and practical resources to seek more help on specific issues.

The book has lots of facts. I haven't finished it yet since I'm obviously a single mother. So far I love it.

Super guide for new single moms

This is a great resource and source of encouragement for any new mom wondering how she would do it alone, and raise a great intelligent, respectful, loving, humble and successful man. Many of my worries have reduced considerably once I discovered all the tools available and all the ways you can choose to make the experience the most transformative for your son and yourself.

Very good book that explains why boys and girls are different from each other. It also talks about struggles and advantages of being a single mother.

This is an ok attempt to help out single moms. Seems more like a check the block attempt to find

something to sell books about. This is information most single moms are probably already doing as a means of simply surviving. No real insight that experience hasn't already taught.

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