“Elisabeth Elliot” by Megan Hill
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New Children's Picture Bool׳ Introduces Young Readers to Courageous Faith of Elisabeth Elliot



BRENTWOOD, Tenn., June 5, 2026—Through her remarkable life, Elisabeth Elliot offers young readers a real-world example of trusting God through both joy and hardship.

In “Elisabeth Elliot” (August 2026, B&H Publishing), author Megan Hill, managing editor for The Gospel Coalition and author of numerous books for children and adults, introduces young readers to the remarkable life of missionary, author, speaker and radio host Elisabeth Elliot.

Narrated by a colorful macaw, the beautifully illustrated picture book follows Elliot's journey from her childhood fascination with missionary stories to her years serving in Ecuador and her decades of writing and speaking about faith.

From an early age, Elisabeth dreamed of following God wherever He might lead. That calling eventually took her far from home and into situations that were often lonely, frightening and heartbreaking. Yet through every challenge, she learned to depend on God and trust His plans.

Through engaging storytelling and age-appropriate biographical details, children will discover how Elisabeth remained faithful through both tragedy and triumph, ultimately becoming one of the most influential Christian voices of the twentieth century.

“Children need examples of ordinary people who trusted an extraordinary God,” Hill said. “Elisabeth Elliot's life wasn't easy, but through joy, loss, uncertainty and adventure, she continued to follow Jesus wherever He led. My hope is that young

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readers will see that courage isn't about being fearless—it's about trusting God one step at a time and saying yes to Him, even when the path ahead is unknown."

Designed for children ages 4–8, the book introduces young readers to themes of faith, courage, missions and perseverance while encouraging them to trust and follow God.

"Elisabeth Elliot" is the latest biography in the Here I Am! series from B&H Kids. Other titles in the series include "Lulu Fleming," "Lottie Moon," "Dietrich Bonhoeffer," "C.S. Lewis" and "Augustine of Hippo." For more information, visit bhpublishing.com.

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ABOUT THE AUTHOR



Megan Hill lives in Massachusetts in a hundred-year-old house with her husband and four children. She likes cozy fires, warm cookies and soft blankets. When she was a little girl, she asked her dad if she could go with him to the church prayer meeting, and she's been going ever since. While her children are at school, she writes books for adults and kids, and she serves as the managing editor for The Gospel Coalition.

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TALKING POINTS & INTERVIEW ANGLES

Raising Courageous Kids in an Anxious Age: As many parents seek to build resilience and character in their children, Hill can discuss why stories of faithful Christians like Elisabeth Elliot help children develop courage, perseverance and trust in God.

Why Kids Need Christian Heroes: Children are surrounded by athletes, entertainers and influencers. Hill can discuss the value of introducing young readers to faithful Christians whose lives point to Christ.

Teaching Courage Through Real-Life Stories: Elisabeth Elliot faced fear, loss and uncertainty throughout her life. Hill can discuss why true stories of courage resonate with children and help build resilient faith.

Introducing Missions to the Next Generation: Elisabeth Elliot's story offers parents an opportunity to introduce children to missions, global Christianity and what it means to follow God's call wherever He leads.

Helping Children Trust God During Hard Times: Elisabeth's story includes hardship and loss, yet remains filled with hope. Hill can discuss how parents can talk with children about suffering through a biblical lens.

Why Biography Matters for Young Readers: Children's biographies provide more than historical facts—they offer examples of faithfulness, character and perseverance that can shape a child's imagination and values.

Mal ing Church History Accessible to Kids: Hill can discuss the importance of helping children connect with Christians from previous generations and see themselves as part of God's larger story.

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POSSIBLE INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

- Why did you want to write a children's book about Elisabeth Elliot?
- As a mother of four, what kinds of stories do you think children most need to hear today?
- What aspects of Elisabeth's life most stood out to you while researching her story?
- Why is Elisabeth Elliot's story still relevant for children today?
- Why do you think children today need stories of courage and perseverance more than ever?
- Why are biographies such an effective tool for teaching children about Christian faith and character?
- What role can stories of missionaries play in helping children develop a heart for God's global mission?
- How can parents use books like this to start conversations about courage, obedience and trusting God?
- What do you hope families take away after reading this book together?

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