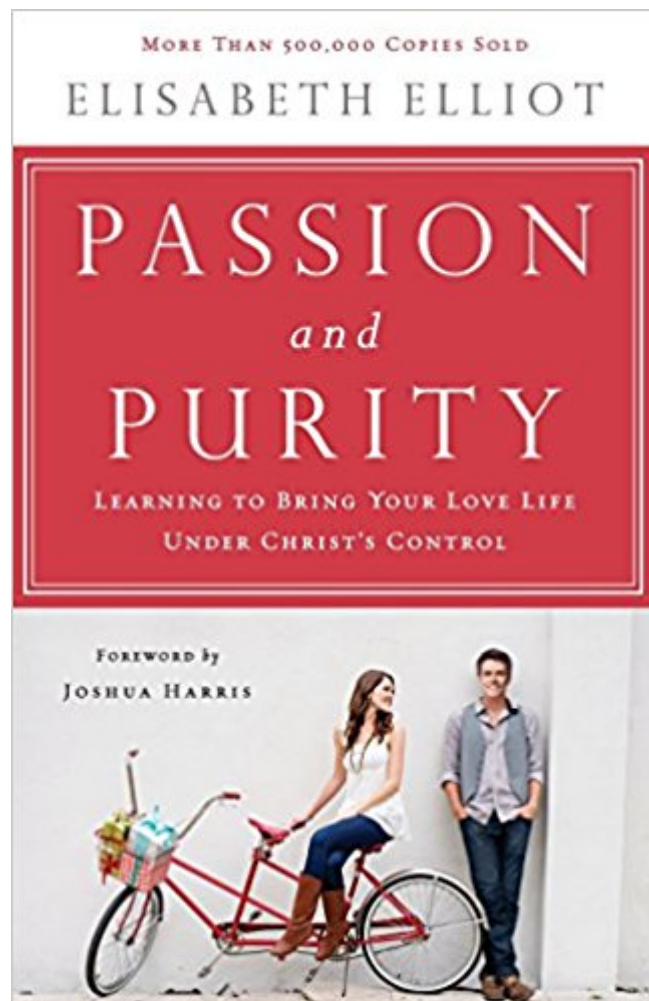




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# Passion And Purity: Learning To Bring Your Love Life Under Christ's Control



## Synopsis

In her classic book, Elisabeth Elliot candidly shares her love story with Jim Elliot through letters, diary entries, and memories. She is honest about the temptations, difficulties, victories, and sacrifices of two young people whose commitment to Christ took priority over their love for each other. These revealing personal glimpses, combined with relevant biblical teaching, will remind readers that only by putting their human passion and desire through His fire can God purify their love. In a culture obsessed with dating, sex, and intimacy, the need for Elliot's freeing message is greater than ever. This beautifully repackaged edition will appeal to today's young people.

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"The book you're holding tells a very moving love story. It's honest. It's practical. But even as it addresses the real questions and concerns of single men and women it always lifts our gaze upward--to the Maker who created us for Himself."--from the foreword by Joshua Harris, bestselling author of *I Kissed Dating Goodbye* We know we need to commit daily to Christ all matters of the heart and to wait upon Him. But so often it is a painful, lonely process that takes longer than we want it to. In her classic book, *Passion and Purity*, Elisabeth Elliot candidly shares with you her love story with Jim Elliot as evidence that she has been there. Through letters, diary entries, and memories, she shares the temptations, difficulties, victories, and sacrifices of two young people whose commitment to Christ took priority over their love for each other. These revealing personal glimpses, combined with relevant biblical teaching, will remind you that only by putting your human passion and desire through His fire can God purify your love. Includes honest, biblical direction on

these important matters of the heart – loving passionately while remaining sexually pure – whether or not to marry, and who is the right one – the man's and woman's role in relationships – putting God's desires ahead of personal desires – how far is too far, physically. In a culture obsessed with dating, sex, and intimacy, the need for Elliot's freeing message is greater than ever.

Elisabeth Elliot (1926-2015) was one of the most perceptive and popular Christian writers of the last century. The author of more than twenty books, including *Passion and Purity*, *The Journals of Jim Elliot*, and *These Strange Ashes*, Elliot offered guidance and encouragement to millions of readers worldwide.

Elisabeth Elliot and this book are absolutely excellent!!! I love how authentic and practical this book is. It completely change my mindset on dating and even on other aspects of life. Elliot does not make being relatable or funny or politically correct her priorities, but trait but puts forth scripture and her personal experience to develop this incredible guide to what it means to be in a God honoring relationship. I bought so many of these as gifts because they are so good!

I wish as a young man I would have known about Elisabeth Elliot. I know I would not have made the common mistakes. Her is so amazing and my daughter loved reading this book. Note that the book will not save you hence you as a parent need to read it and apply it together. Mistakes and bad judgements will happen but there is Grace.

It's beautiful! It isn't written as a "how-to" but rather as a collection of Elliot's thoughts and journaling. I thought it was very insightful, helpful, and full of wisdom!

This book is for a curriculum we are doing now.

I wish I'd read this book a long time ago. Has a lot of insights into what a God-honouring relationship looks like. I love Elisabeth Elliot's honesty with her struggles and feelings through-out her relationship with Jim Elliot. She points every struggle and doubt back to God, and uses a ton of Bible verses and other poems to encourage a godly mindset. I definitely recommend this for all ages of women, whether they're interested in dating, or are already married. Very inspiring!

This book is very helpful, insightful, and honest. Lots of good quotes. Turns your eyes to the Savior and helps you see that there is hope.

This was a very insightful read to remaining pure while seeking God's will.

wow. pierced my heart with truth. just wow. God has used her writings to clear any confusions up for me concerning this topic.

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