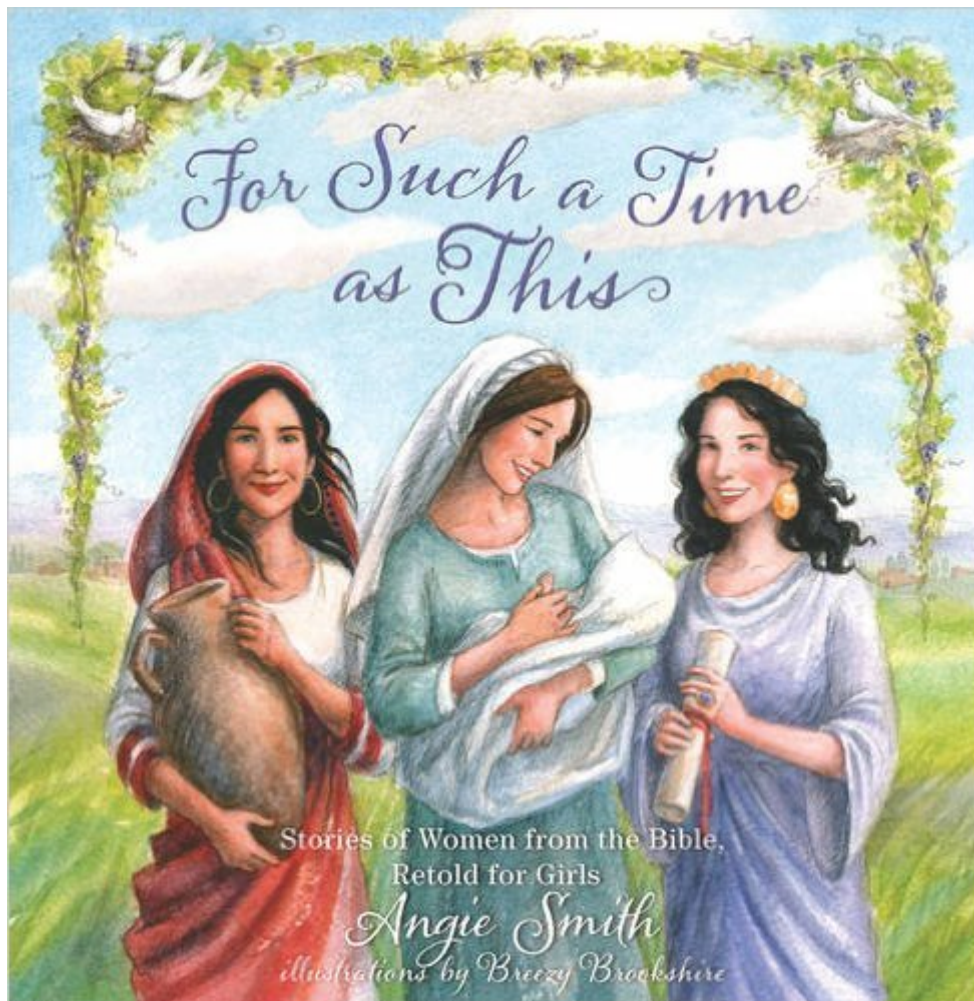


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# For Such A Time As This: Stories Of Women From The Bible, Retold For Girls



## Synopsis

From bestselling author Angie Smith comes her second children's book, *For Such a Time as This*, a Bible storybook for girls that features 40 biblical retellings from prominent women in both the Old and New Testament. Illustrated once more by Breezy Brookshire, *For Such A Time As This* is the pair's second children's book together following the success of *Audrey Bunny*. *For Such a Time as This* illuminates the stories from the perspective of prominent women of the Bible, including Eve, Sarah & Hagar, Esther, Mary Magdalene, Gomer, and more with vivid and historical accuracy. Girls aged 6 to 10 will enjoy learning about God through the recounts of the Bible's heroines and stunning illustrations. Summaries at the end of each story highlight the attribute of God to be learned and offer thoughtful reflections for both parent and child to take away.

## Book Information

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Age Range: 6 - 10 years

Grade Level: 1 - 5

## Customer Reviews

"For Such a Time as This" is a children's book designed to serve as an everyday companion without sacrificing its keepsake qualities. I think it will earn worn pages and a cracked spine- it certainly would have in my house! First, I want to talk about the way Angie Smith writes. It's beautiful, almost like a really good women's devotional, without ever being above a girl's understanding. She brings each account around to the way God's heart was displayed, and she shows the character's responses to him. We his grace and mercy and patience and hope- she

points out his hand in each woman's life. And she uses words well. She reframes what the Scriptures tell us in a way that expands our imagination. These aren't narrow, flat, factual retellings. They're positive, imaginative renderings of God's revelation. Christmas is "One night where the ordinary kissed the sacred, never to be the same again." In Eden, "Life together was barefoot and perfect, every moment a gift from the Giver." Children will get these images. They'll get the idea that creation and life and goodness are tangled up, and they'll look for holiness in the middle of it all. And now, take a look at Breezy Brookshire's illustrations. The colors, the lines, the movement! (The details... notice the koala bear she tucked into Shem's arms as they board the ark?) As kids, my sister and I wore out Kenneth N. Taylor's Bible story book. We loved his artwork, yet he focused mostly on the masculine figures. This book features the feminine faces. We see lovely Rebekah, with her pure heart shining out of her eyes. We see the aged Anna, waiting for the Promised One.

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