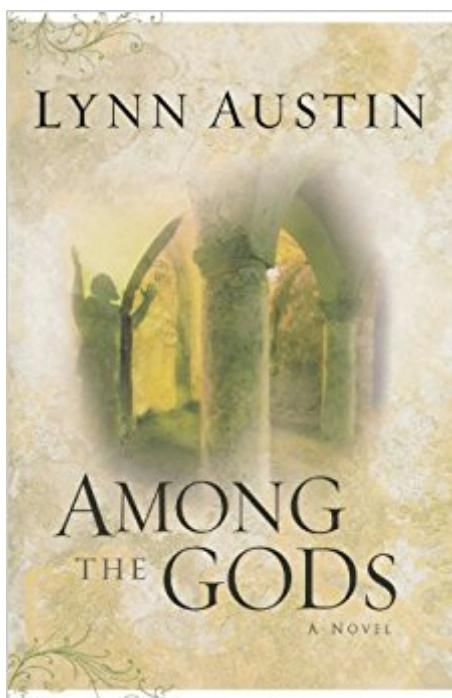


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"The story is a masterful combination of fiction and nonfiction.... Among the Gods is one of Austin's best works...." -- Sarah Lachowicz, Christian Book Previews.com

Lynn Austin has sold more than one million copies of her books worldwide. She is an eight-time Christy Award winner and an inaugural inductee into the Christy Award Hall of Fame, as well as a popular speaker at retreats, conventions, women's groups, and b

As a five book series, I thought that surely the excitement and encouragement from this story would run out by book 3, but I couldn't put a single book down, I think I read all 5 books in a week! These books have changed the way I read the Old Testament scriptures and given me a true picture of what life must have looked like for them back then. I loved these stories and how they made the Bible come to life for me!

I absolutely loved these books, all five of them. I had to get the other four books after reading her first on Chronicles of the Kings. Intrigue, historical, right on the mark, scriptural referencing, and

enlightening. Lynn Austin has a way of putting you into the story, you are alive and experience what she is writing about. I love the Old Testament stories, but this series has brought the OT to a new level for me. I read the scriptures quoted in the books and you can see the story more fully. I actually got to where I wanted to go back and read Isaiah again. I am saving up so I can get her other books of this genre. Lynn Austin is a winner. Her books, *Chronicles of the Kings*, are outstanding. I added them to my favorites so I will be sure and read them again and again.

I really enjoy Lynn Austin's Biblical fiction. She bases her stories on Biblical accounts and reads between the lines to fill in the details to develop the characters and describe the culture and way of life in Biblical times. The reader really feels present in the story. I like the way the characters live out their faith and apply Biblical principles to real living. I don't want her books to come to an end.

As I read the five books which make up *The Chronicles of the Kings*, it opened up the untold stories behind the scriptures and allowed me to fill in some of the blanks that the scriptures don't share with us. Most certainly, this is fiction, and I do not, in any way, give it the weight of truth that the scriptures carry. However, Lynn Austin has done the research that can give us some clues as to what we could have seen happening if we could have pulled back the curtain of the biblical account. The characters were rich with personality. I felt like I got to know them very well. My heart broke for the pain and burdens they carried, and rejoiced for the victories of their lives. The grace and mercy of God, the complicated plans He has that are so far beyond our understanding, His patience with us, and His great love that guides us to Him was shown and demonstrated as these stories unfolded. On the other hand, we also get to see how the evil one manipulates, confuses, and lies to those with whom he can find a foothold or a listening ear. I will never be able to read about this line of kings in the same way again. I read all five books in a very short time because I found it difficult to put them down. I'm writing this review at almost 3 a.m. because I had to see how everything would end. I could not have been more pleased. Although I read more nonfiction than fiction, I would highly recommend the *Chronicles of the Kings* series. Start with book 1! You won't want to miss any of it.

What a beautiful series. It doesn't. get better than this. Biblical historical romantic fiction that is researched and the narrative is beautifully woven with romance, suspense and drama.

Often books in a series grow less interesting as the book numbers increase. That was absolutely not the case with these books. I didn't want them to end! Lynn Austin is a wonderful story teller and

her characters come to life. I feel like I've walked with them through these trials and have seen the Lords goodness and miracles. The insight into the times and culture of the Bible stories will forever change how I read those and other stories in the Bible. I am so grateful to have read these books!!

Wonder series! Clearly makes the Word of God more understandable! Also, the series illustrates the history of these tumultuous reigns and the impact of obedience to God's Word had upon these nations, people and their culture!

I actually listened to these books through audio books...but purchased the paperback books for my daughter. These novels are deeply engrossing, beautifully written, and are true to the human condition. Love them!

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