

**LGBTQ+ Non-fiction as of 3/19**

Sorted by Call Number / Author.

- 305.906 LET Letters to our children : lesbian and gay adults speak to the new generation. New York : Franklin Watts, c1997.  
Gay men and lesbians from all walks of life describe their personal experiences, travails, and triumphs.
- 306.76 BEL Belge, Kathy. Queer : the ultimate LGBT guide for teens. San Francisco, CA : Zest Books, ©2011.  
The "Q" word, am I queer -- Embracing your queerness, coming out -- Navigating your queer sphere, finding your people -- Rising above, how to overcome queerphobia -- Making your move, queer dating -- Getting together, queer relationships -- The big "S", queer sex. Addresses some of the challenges faced by gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender teens, offering advice on how to come out to family and friends, develop a social life, deal with homophobia, and other topics, and includes personal testimonies.
- 306.76 CRO Cronn-Mills, Kirstin, 1968-. Transgender lives : complex stories, complex voice. Minneapolis : Twenty-First Century Books, [2015].  
Contains the personal stories of several transgender people.
- 306.76 FUL The full spectrum : a new generation of writing about gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, questioning, and other identities. 1st ed. New York : Alfred A. Knopf, c2006.  
A collection of writings by gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, and questioning youth about their experiences in coming to terms with their sexuality. Offers revelations of uncertainty, hope, love, joy, courage, and fear of coming out.
- 306.76 GAR Garden, Nancy. Hear us out! : lesbian and gay stories of struggle, progress, and hope, 1950 to the present. 1st ed. New York : Farrar Straus Giroux, 2007.  
Explores, through nonfiction and fiction, what it has meant to be gay in America during the last fifty years.
- 306.76 KUH Kuhn, Betsy. Gay power! : the Stonewall Riots and the gay rights movement, 1969. Minneapolis : Twenty-First Century Books, c2011.  
All the past : homosexuality in early America -- Never forget : World War II and the forties -- The fear : the fifties -- So bold : the sixties -- The Stonewall riots -- Euphoric : 1969-70 -- Hope : the seventies -- Becoming invincible : the modern LGBTQ movement. Recounts the history of the gay rights movement, discussing changes that have taken place from early American history to contemporary policies and public perception, and highlighting the Stonewall Riots of 1969.
- 306.76 LET The letter Q : queer writers' notes to their younger selves. 1st ed. New York : Arthur A. Levine Books, 2012.  
Sixty-four authors and illustrators write letters to their younger selves about their LGBT lives today and offer consolation and advice on how to move forward.
- 306.76 MAR Marcus, Eric. What if someone I know is gay? : answers to questions about gay and lesbian people. New York : Price Stern Sloan, c2000.  
Offers no-nonsense answers to questions kids have about gay and lesbian issues and offers suggestions for adults who are faced with these questions.
- 306.76 NAR Nardo, Don, 1947-. Transgender life. Farmington Hills, Mich : Gale, a Cengage Co., [2018].  
Transgender people have always existed -- What causes someone to become transgender? -- The challenge of coming out as transgender -- Learning to deal with gender dysphoria -- Deciding whether or not to transition -- The gender spectrum --

Legal issues that transgender people face. Provides information on transgender life, including challenges people face, debates, legal issues, and more.

- 306.76 PRA Prager, Sarah, 1986- author. Queer, there, and everywhere : 23 people who changed the world. First edition.  
Introduction -- Elagabalus -- Jeanne D'Arc -- Kristina Vasa -- Juana Inés de la Cruz -- Abraham Lincoln -- Albert Cashier -- Gertrude "Ma" Rainey -- Lili Elbe -- Frida Kahlo -- Mercedes de Acosta -- Eleanor Roosevelt -- Bayard Rustin -- Alan Turing -- Josef Kohout -- José Sarria -- Del Martin & Phyllis Lyon -- Sylvia Rivers -- Renée Richards -- Harvey Milk -- Glenn Burke -- Mychal Judge -- George Takei -- Looking back, moving forward. Presents twenty-three brief biographical sketches of men and women throughout history who are considered to be part of the queer community for one reason or another, including Abraham Lincoln and Joan of Arc, as well as openly gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender people like Lili Elbe and Alan Turing who have greatly influenced history and paved the way for the modern gay and transgender rights movement.
- 306.76 TRA Transgender people. Detroit, Mich. : Greenhaven Press, c2011.  
Transgender people suffer from gender identity disorders / Psychology Today -- Transgender people should not be labeled with mental disorders / Kelley Winters -- The transgender rights movement is necessary / Paisley Currah, Richard M. Juang, and Shannon Price Minter -- The transgender rights movement is harmful to society / Traditional Values Coalition -- Christians should be compassionate toward transgender people / John W.. Kennedy -- Transgender people need federal protections in the workplace / Meghan Stabler -- Transgender people do not need federal protections in the workplace / Glen Lavy -- Transgender children should be accepted / Alan B. Goldberg and Joneil Adriano -- Children's sex and gender should not be reassigned / Gail Besse -- Sex reassignment surgery is a medical necessity / World Professional Association for Transgender Health, Inc. -- Sex reassignment surgery is not a medical necessity / John Rohan -- Schools are unprepared to accommodate transgender athletes / Pat Griffin and Helen Carroll. Focuses on transgender people and offers a variety of perspectives, eyewitness accounts, governmental views, scientific analysis, newspaper and magazine accounts, and many more to illuminate this issue.
- 306.76/0973/0904 Eaklor, Vicki Lynn. Queer America : a GLBT history of the 20th century. Westport, CT : Greenwood Press, 2008.  
Provides an overview of the history of bisexual, gay, lesbian, and transgender individuals in the United States during the twentieth century, discussing significant events and individuals and including a time line and suggested resources.
- 306.76/6 Huegel, Kelly, 1974-. GLBTQ (Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender, Questioning) : the survival guide for queer & questioning teens. Minneapolis, MN : Free Spirit Pub., c2003.  
Describes the challenges faced by gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgendered teens, offers practical advice, real-life experiences, and accessible resources and support groups.
- 306.768 KUK Kuklin, Susan, author. Beyond magenta : transgender teens speak out. First edition. Spectrum. Jessy: the house of my soul -- Christina: every girl is different -- Mariah: the real deal -- Cameron: variables -- Nat: something else -- Lifeline. Luke: untouchable -- Notes and resources. Author's note -- About the Callen-Lorde Community Health Center -- Q & A with Dr. Manel Silva -- About Proud Theater -- Glossary -- Resources. Shares insights into the teen transgender experience, tracing six individuals' emotional and physical journey as it was shaped by family dynamics, living situations, and the transition each teen made during the journey.

- 306.84 AND      Andryszewski, Tricia, 1956-. Same-sex marriage : granting equal rights or damaging the status of marriage? Minneapolis, MN : Twenty-First Century, 2012.  
Examines the history of the gay rights movement in the United States and the struggle for equal protection under the law, including the right for same-sex couples to marry, including the opinions and perspectives of leaders, activists, politicians, and ordinary Americans on both sides of the issue.
- 306.84 STE      Sterngass, Jon. Same-sex marriage. New York : Marshall Cavendish Benchmark, c2012.  
An issue takes shape -- A brief history of marriage -- The religious argument -- Procreation and children -- The civil rights debate -- The future of same sex marriage. Allows readers to use critical thinking to create informed opinions on where they stand on the issue of same sex marriage.
- 306.87 GAY      Gay parenting. Detroit, MI : Greenhaven Press, ©2013.  
What is the impact of gay parenting on children? -- How do gay families impact society? -- What methods of parenthood should be available to gays and lesbians? -- What laws should regulate gay parenting? -- Bibliography of books -- Organizations to contact -- Index. Contains twenty-five essay discussing perspectives on gay parenting, including the impact on children, how gay families impact society, the parenthood methods available to homosexuals, and what laws should regulate gay parenting.
- 306.874 BRO      Brown, Tracy. Frequently asked questions about same-sex marriage and when a parent is gay. 1st ed. New York : Rosen Pub., 2013.  
Are same-sex couples different from other couples? -- Why are some people against same-sex marriage? -- Can same-sex couples become parents? -- How can I explain my parent's sexuality to others? -- How can I deal with people who judge?. Uses a question-and-answer format to explain various topics pertaining to same-sex marriage and having a gay parent. Details reasons oppose gay marriage and reveals how readers can find someone to talk to about any questions they may have.
- 306.874 OUT      Out of the ordinary : essays on growing up with gay, lesbian, and transgender parents. New York : St. Martin's Press, 2000.  
Presents twenty-one essays on the various psychological and social aspects of growing up with parents who are gay, lesbian, or transgender.
- 306.874 SNO      Snow, Judith E. How it feels to have a gay or lesbian parent : a book by kids for kids of all ages. New York : Harrington Park Press, c2004.  
In their own words, children of different ages talk about how and when they learned of their gay or lesbian parent's sexual orientation and the effect it has had on them.
- 307.76 BAU      Bausum, Ann. Stonewall : breaking out in the fight for gay rights. New York : Viking, ©2015.  
Explores the history of the fight for gay rights, beginning with the 1969 raid on the Mafia-run Stonewall Inn in New York City's Greenwich Village. Discusses the resulting revolution, the origins of gay pride, the plague of AIDS, and the current status of gay rights.
- 323.1 MAL      Malaspina, Ann, 1957-. The ethnic and group identity movements : earning recognition. New York : Chelsea House, c2008.  
The urge for freedom -- The journey up Gold Mountain -- The disability rights movement -- Chicanos fight for their rights -- America's seniors speak out -- Gays in the United States -- American Indians reclaim pride -- Muslims in the United States after 9/11 -- Where our roots start. Introduces students to the various ethnic, social, and political reform movements in U.S. history including those involving the disabled and elderly, religion, and ethnic origin.

- 342.73 BRE Brezina, Corona, author. Understanding equal rights. First edition.  
What are equal rights? -- History of equal rights -- Rights of African Americans -- Rights of other racial minorities -- Women's rights -- LGBT rights -- The expansion of equal rights -- The future of equal rights. Explores the history of equal rights movements in the United States and details the efforts of various groups of obtain equality. Considers the future of equal rights movements and includes color photographs, a glossary, and additional reading sources.
- 342.7308 AME Amendment XIV : equal protection. Detroit, Mich. : Greenhaven Press, c2009.  
Amendment text and explanation -- Chronology -- Historical background of the Fourteenth Amendment: Speech in the House of Representatives opposing adoption of the Fourteenth Amendment / Andrew Rogers ; Call for the House of Representatives to vote on the Fourteenth Amendment / Thaddeus Stevens ; Speech in the House of Representatives praising the Fourteenth Amendment / Jehu Baker ; New York Times editorial following ratification of the Fourteenth Amendment / New York Times ; Speech in the House of Representatives opposing enforcement of the Fourteenth Amendment / William S. Holman ; Speech in the House of Representatives opposing enforcement of the Fourteenth Amendment / William S. Holman ; Speech in the Senate favoring enforcement of the Fourteenth Amendment / Henry Wilson --. Equal protection for racial minorities: The Fourteenth Amendment prohibits laws that are discriminatory in effect / Stanley Matthews ; Racial segregation in public accommodations is not unconstitutional / Henry Billings Brown ; Under the Constitution racial segregation cannot be tolerated / John Marshall Harlan ; Racial segregation in public education is unconstitutional / Earl Warren ; Race cannot be used as a basis for school admission, even to achieve diversity / John Roberts ; Affirmative Action in school integration does not violate the Fourteenth Amendment / Stephen Breyer --. Equal protection for women, immigrants, and gays: Laws that discriminate on the basis of gender are unconstitutional / Warren Burger ; Children of illegal immigrants are entitled to free schooling / William J. Brennan ; Congress, not the courts, is responsible for policies regarding illegal immigrants / Warren Burger ; Laws that discriminate on the basis of sexual orientation are unconstitutional / Anthony Kennedy ; The Constitution does not require preferential treatment for gays / Antonin Scalia ; The Supreme Court's rulings on equal protection have been inconsistent / Geoffrey R. Stone --. Current debate on equal protection: Banning of same-sex marriage will someday be ruled unconstitutional / Kermit Roosevelt ; A constitutional amendment should be adopted to ban same-sex marriage / Richard Land ; The federal hate crimes bill would violate the concept of equal protection / Robert H. Knight ; Hate-crime laws are necessary because not all citizens are yet equal / Mel Seesholtz ; A woman is entitled to equal protection when she did not consent to pregnancy / Eileen McDonagh ; An unborn child is entitled to equal protection under the Fourteenth Amendment / Charles I. Lugini. Explores Amendment XIV of the Constitution through primary and secondary sources. Chapters put the amendment in historical context, examine how it has been tested in the courts and presents current controversies.
- 362.7 TEE Teens at risk. Detroit : Greenhaven Press, c2009.  
The adolescent brain puts teens at risk / Adam Ortiz -- Violent video games put teens at risk / Kristin Kalning -- Violent video games have not been proven to harm teens / Benjamin Radford -- Depression puts teens at risk / Helpguide.org -- Bullying puts teens at risk / Finessa Ferrell-Smith -- Eating disorders put teens at risk / B. Timothy Walsh and V.L. Cameron -- Gay teens are at risk / Matthew S. Robinson -- Abstinence sex education reduces teen sexual activity / Emma Elliott -- Abstinence sex education does not reduce teen sexual activity / Arthur Caplan -- Teens should be allowed an abortion without parental consent / Cynthia Dailard and Chinue Turner Richardson -- Teens should not be allowed an abortion without parental consent / Teresa Stanton Collett -- Gun control legislation reduces teenage crime and violence / Bert H. Deixler -- Gun control legislation does not reduce crime / Peter J. Ferrara -- Zero tolerance laws are unfair / Randall G. Shelden -- Revised zero tolerance laws can be effective / American Psychological Association Zero Tolerance Task Force -- Mandatory minimum sentences will reduce youth gang violence / J. Randy Forbes -- Mandatory minimum sentences will not reduce youth gang violence / Robert C. Scott

-- The minimum legal drinking age should be lowered / Choose Responsibility -- The minimum legal drinking age should not be lowered / U.S. Department of Health and Human Services -- Drug education programs can reduce teen drug use / Rodney Skager -- Drug education programs do not reduce teen drug use / Paul Armentano -- Smoking portrayed in movies increases teen smoking / Business Wire -- Society needs to be aware of teens' prescription drug abuse / Kathiann M. Kowalski. A collection of essays that provides varying perspectives on teenagers at risk, debating what factors put a teen at risk, if substance abuse and adverse consequences of teenage sex and pregnancy can be reduced, and how society can deal with adolescent crime and violence.

- 364.15 SLA Slater, Dashka, author. The 57 bus. First edition. Monday November 4, 2013 -- Oakland California -- Sasha -- Tumbling -- Pronouns -- Blank cards -- Luke and Samantha -- Gran turismo 2 -- How do you know what gender you are? -- Genderqueer -- Gender, sex, sexuality, romance-some terms -- Sasha's terms -- Becoming Sasha -- Bathrooms -- Bathrooms revisited. One teenager in a skirt. One teenager with a lighter. One moment that changes both of their lives forever. If it weren't for the 57 bus, Sasha and Richard never would have met. Both were high school students from Oakland, California, one of the most diverse cities in the country, but they inhabited different worlds. Sasha, a white teen, lived in the middle-class foothills and attended a small private school. Richard, a black teen, lived in the crime-plagued flatlands and attended a large public one. Each day, their paths overlapped for a mere eight minutes. But one afternoon on the bus ride home from school, a single reckless act left Sasha severely burned, and Richard charged with two hate crimes and facing life imprisonment. The case garnered international attention, thrusting both teenagers into the spotlight.
- 613.9 LIT The little black book for girlz : a book on healthy sexuality. Toronto ; : Annick Press ;, c2006. Presents a collection of stories, facts, interviews, poems, and artwork that address sexuality issues of young women, including relationships, birth control, pregnancy, homosexuality, and much more.
- 811 MER Merrell, Billy. Talking in the dark : a poetry memoir. New York : PUSH, c2003. The author describes in poetry growing up gay, watching his parents' marriage collapse, giving up on love, finding love, and losing friends to AIDS.
- 921 AND Andrews, Arin. Some assembly required : the not-so-secret life of a transgender teen. New York : Simon & Schuster BFYR, [2014]. "Seventeen-year-old Arin Andrews shares all the hilarious, painful, and poignant details of undergoing gender reassignment as a high school student in this teen memoir"--Provided by publisher.
- 921 HAR Hartzler, Aaron, author. Rapture practice : a true story about growing up gay in an evangelical family. First paperback edition. Aaron Hartzler chronicles his religious upbringing defined by his family's insistence that the Rapture could occur at any moment. Hartzler reveals how his acceptance of this belief began to change once he developed an appreciation for his life and the wonders it has to offer, and discusses how he learned to live life to the fullest and find his true place in the world.
- 921 HIL Hill, Katie Rain. Rethinking normal : a memoir in transition. 1st ed. New York : Simon & Schuster BFYR, [2014]. "Nineteen-year-old Katie Hill a transgender girl shares her personal journey of growing up as a boy and then undergoing gender reassignment during her teens"--Provided by publisher.

- 921 JEN Jennings, Jazz. Being Jazz : my life as a (transgender) teen. 1st ed. New York : Crown, [2016].  
An autobiography of Jazz Jennings in which she shares her experiences of transitioning for male to female and becoming an advocate for transgender youth.
- 921 MAR Martin, Ricky. Me. New York : Celebra Book, [2010].  
A memoir in which singer/actor Ricky Martin discusses his childhood in Puerto Rico, his family, his experiences as part of the boy band Menudo, the struggles that come with fame, his decision to reveal he is homosexual, the birth of his sons, the creation of People for Children, and other topics.
- 921 VIN Stone, Elizabeth, 1946-. A boy I once knew : what a teacher learned from her student. 1st ed. Chapel Hill, N.C. : Algonquin Books of Chapel Hill, 2002.  
An English teacher reflects upon the ten years' worth of diaries that arrived one day on her doorstep, willed to her by a former student she had not seen in twenty years, who died of AIDS.
- 940.53 PLA Plant, Richard, 1910-. The pink triangle : the Nazi war against homosexuals. New York : H. Holt, c1986.  
Discusses the persecution of homosexuals under the Third Reich.
- eBook 155.3 CRA Craig, Joe. A guy's guide to sexuality and sexual identity in the 21st century. 1st ed. New York : Rosen Pub., 2012.  
Myths of manliness -- Masculinity in mass media -- Boys and girls : a double standard -- GLBT life -- Masculinity in daily interactions. Presents facts about male human sexuality, including masculinity in the media, homosexuality, and more.
- eBook 306.76 BEL Belge, Kathy. Queer : the ultimate LGBT guide for teens. San Francisco, CA : Zest Books, 2011.  
Addresses some of the challenges faced by gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender teens, offering advice on how to come out to family and friends, develop a social life, deal with homophobia, and other topics, and includes personal testimonies.
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Describes the challenges faced by gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgendered teens, offers practical advice, real-life experiences, and accessible resources and support groups.
- eBook 306.76 NAG Nagle, Jeanne. GLBT teens and society. New York : Rosen Pub., 2010.  
A sense of self -- Conflicts and roadblocks -- Health and wellness -- Social issues -- The role of media -- Finding support. An exploration of the social issues faced by gay, lesbian, bisexual, or transgender teens that provides information about self-acceptance, health, wellness, the role of the media, and other related topics, and includes guidance on how to face challenges.
- eBook 306.766 OUT Out with it : gay and straight teens write about homosexuality. New York : Youth Communication, c2009.  
A collection of essays in which teenagers examine issues related to homosexuality, such as coming out, homophobia, and relationships with family and friends.
- eBook 306.874 FAK Fakhrid-Deen, Tina, 1973-. Let's get this straight : the ultimate handbook for youth with LGBTQ parents. Berkeley, Calif. : Seal Press, c2010.  
Introduction -- How to get the most out of this book -- Breakin' it down : definitions -- Our family structures -- When families come out -- Barriers to accepting our parents -- Welcome to the teasing zone -- How to survive school -- Through God's eyes -- Activism 101 -- Conclusion. Offers children, teens, and adults with one or more gay,

bisexual, or transgender parents advice on how they can deal with the challenges they might face, build healthy relationships with their parents, address discrimination, build a strong sense of self-esteem, and reduce the isolation and shame they might feel.

- eBook R 306.7      Encyclopedia of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender history in America. New York, N.Y. : Charles Scribner's Sons, c2004.  
 Contents -- List of maps -- Preface -- Introduction -- Volume 1. A - F -- Volume 2. G - O -- Volume 3. O - Z -- Appendix: Directory of LGBT archives in the United States -- Systematic outline of contents -- Directory of contributors -- Index. A three-volume survey of more than 400 years of lesbian and gay history and culture in the United States, presented through over 500 alphabetically arranged entries. Coverage includes people, public policy, economics, social issues, identities, and culture, among many others. For students, researchers, and general readers.
- R 306.76 ENC      Encyclopedia of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender history in America. New York : Charles Scribner's Sons ;, c2004.  
 Vol. 1. Actors to Gyms -- v. 2. H.D. to Queer theory -- v. 3. Race to Zulma, appendix, index. Presents over five hundred alphabetized, cross-referenced entries on figures and topics in American lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender history, and includes a chronology and a guide to repositories in the U.S. and Canada with LGBT materials.
- SP 306.76 CON      Conversaciones : relatos de padres y madres de hijas lesbianas e hijos gay. 1st ed. San Francisco : Cleis Press, c2001.  
 Contains twenty-five essays in which Latino parents describe their experiences raising gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgendered children, and includes commentary from some of their sons and daughters.
- SP 612.6 GRA      Gravelle, Karen. Qué pasa por allá abajo? : respuestas fáciles a preguntas difíciles para un adolescente. New York : Walker & Co., [2003], c1999.  
 Describes the physical and emotional changes that occur in boys and, to a lesser extent, in girls during puberty and discusses sexual activity, homosexuality, AIDS, and other related topics.
- SP 613.9 BAS      Basso, Michael J., 1964-. La guía esencial sobre sexualidad adolescente : un manual indispensable para los adolescentes y padres de hoy. 2a. ed. Minneapolis : Fairview Press, c2005.  
 Presents a collection facts and information about human sexuality for teens, including anatomy, sexually transmitted diseases, contraception, homosexuality, sexual intercourse, and more.
- SP 921 MAR      Martin, Ricky. Yo. Spanish ed. New York : Celebra, c2010.  
 A memoir in which singer/actor Ricky Martin discusses his childhood in Puerto Rico, his family, his experiences as part of the boy band Menudo, the struggles that come with fame, his decision to reveal he is homosexual, the birth of his sons, the creation of People for Children, and other topics.