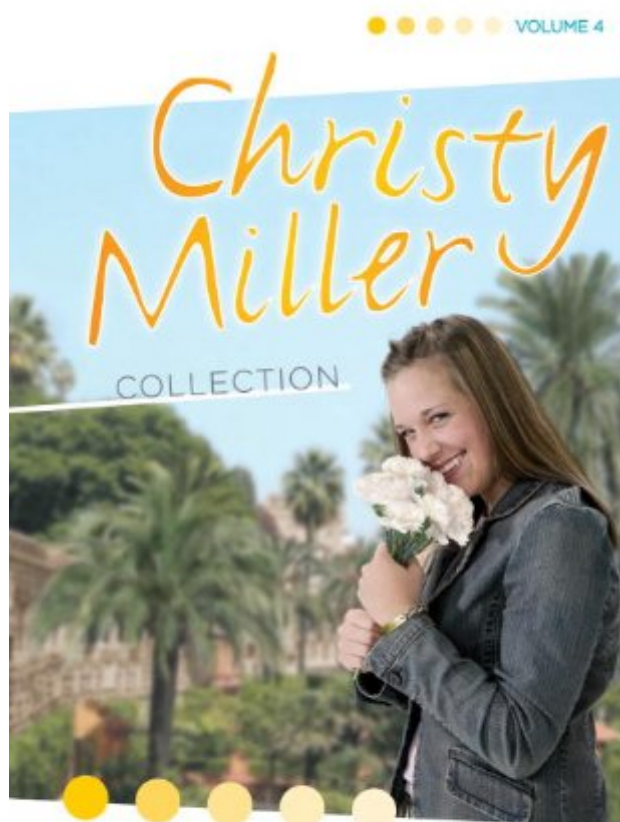


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# Christy Miller Collection, Vol 4 (The Christy Miller Collection)



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## Synopsis

Get in on Christy's Senior Year The last three books, collected in one page-turning volume, conclude the bestselling Christy Miller series with hope and promise! At the start of her senior year, Christy looks forward to growing closer to Todd, but her friendship with Katie is on the rocks, threatening the year she was certain would be *A Time to Cherish*. With *Sweet Dreams* comes the start of a romantic summer. She'd be entirely swept off her feet if it wasn't for the most difficult decision she's ever had to make. And in *A Promise Is Forever*, Christy discovers foreign adventure is just her cup of tea. Follow Christy Miller as she stays true to her identity in Christ, drawing closer to God for help in realizing her dreams and dealing with her disappointments. Whether you're meeting her for the first time or have known her for years • Christy Is a Forever Friend

*A Time to Cherish* For Labor Day weekend, Christy Miller is on a houseboat at Lake Shasta. What could be better? She's about to find out! Before they know it, both Christy and her best friend, Katie, are receiving some unexpected male attention. But somehow these best friends are at odds just when they should be having the most fun together. Christy soon realizes that sometimes you have to stand back and let people make their own decisions, even when they're headed for a fall. And although life is never perfect, this is definitely a time to cherish.

*Sweet Dreams* Christy Miller's senior year is delicious, especially the time she spends with Todd. But her best friend, Katie, is struggling • she's realized she needs to break up with Michael. It's not easy! Fortunately both Doug and Disneyland help Katie to cheer up. Christy is learning to let go and get out of the way so that her friends can become who they're meant to be...even when it jeopardizes her own sweet dreams.

*A Promise Is Forever* Christy Miller's going to Europe! It's a three-week missions trip with Doug, Katie, and Tracy. First stop: London for some sightseeing, and then a castle in the English countryside for group training. Christy is so excited to be headed for Belfast with her friends • despite some tension among them. But when plans go topsy-turvy at the last minute, Christy must face her fears and realize that some things are more important than her own comfort...and that even when she can't foresee the end result, a promise truly is forever.

*Story Behind the Book* "The Christy Miller series was actually born when a group of thirteen-year-olds challenged me to write a novel. I'd been questioning the content of their favorite books when they said, 'Why don't you write a book for us?' I told them no, I only wrote picture books. But they persisted: 'How hard could it be? We'll even tell you what to write! We want a love story with teenagers at the beach.' And there you go. *Summer Promise* first released seventeen years ago and is now

translated into five languages. I continue to hear from readers all over the world, many girls saying that they gave their life to Christ after reading Summer Promise . I love that!•Robin Jones GunnFrom the Hardcover edition.

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## Customer Reviews

Book 12 is my favorite book of the 12! I cried at the end the first time I read it as a jr higher and still get excited when I read it now in my 30s! Love the focus on missions in Europe. The characters have grown up so much since the first books and are even more realistic now than they were when the series began. I reread them as a 30 year old! They are great clean stories I would definitely have no issues letting my 3 daughters read when they are a little older.

This is a three-books-in-one volume that includes books 10, 11, and 12 of the Christy Miller series. I've given a review of each story below. Book 10A Time to CherishChristy, her friends, and her aunt and uncle take a houseboat vacation to Lake Shasta. She and Todd finally agree to start dating. And while this seems to make their relationship even better, it ruins everything for Katie and Doug,

who now feel like third wheels. How is a girl to behave when she has a boyfriend and her best friend doesn't? And when Katie does find Michael--a guy who isn't a Christian--how is Christy supposed to be a good friend? By telling Katie the truth or by giving her the freedom to crash and burn? Christy doesn't know. This was a great story. After so much time that Christy had patiently waited for Todd, I was thrilled that they were finally together. But I could feel her pain with the situation with Katie. When our dear friends are in relationships that are destructive, it's hard to know what to do or say. With Todd's nearly always perfect advice, Christy learned how to love her friend no matter what.

Book 11 Sweet Dreams In this story, Katie breaks up with Michael, and Christy tries to learn how to cope with someone who is constantly depressed. It seems like everything she does to try and help Katie is the wrong thing to do. This book was one of my favorites! And it was so bittersweet. Christy learned from Katie's pain and was obedient to God, and it was beautiful! And sad. I cried, I admit it. But I have hope for the future.

Book 12 A Promise is Forever This book fast-forwards a year. Christy is halfway through her freshman year in college. She, Doug, Tracy, and Katie travel to London for a mission trip. Christy is searching for a calling, to discover what she should do with her life. What she finds instead is total trust in God. This book was another one of my favorites, though I have to admit, I was getting pretty grouchy alongside Christy when I realized what was happening with Doug. Still, this book was a beautiful example of how we--with our selfish emotions--need to get out of the way and let God work. I almost cheered out loud when I got to the end. You just have to read these books yourself to see what I mean. I very highly recommend this entire series for girls ages 12 and up. I adore these books. Christy is a lovely example of a Christian teen, who struggles with almost everything you can imagine. There is no better set of books out there to help young girls prepare for life. I will be putting this entire series in the church library. Someday, my little girl will read them. And while I wait for my girl to grow, I will go read Christy and Todd: the College Years. '

These books are well written & pull you into the lives of the characters. By the time book 4 rolled around they felt like treasured friends

This book and all the Christy Miller books I have read are Amazing they are Fun and inspirational and Interesting they help me grow in my walk with God ! I highly recommend these books to you! I Love how Christy is so relatable and yet so incredibly!

I was EXTREMELY disappointed with this book! I bought it for my Kindle and am still shocked by the price for these books....And through the entire book the spelling mistakes were appalling!! I was

more distracted by the spelling mistakes I couldn't pay actual attention to the book!! I wish I could speak with someone about that other than just this review...But if I were going to buy it again I would make sure it is the paperback edition and not the Kindle addition. Especially for how much you pay for these books!! Ugg...

This book brought me closer to God, it's sooooo good. There is a ton of adventure, romance, and God. This book made me laugh and cry tears of sadness and joy!

This book keeps u hooked! When Todd left I thought Christy was never going to see him again. But at the end when he came back into her life it was SOOOOO exciting!! I am sad that the series is over I will miss Christy Miller. Thank you Robin for writing wonderful Christy books and other books too!

Just what I expected!

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