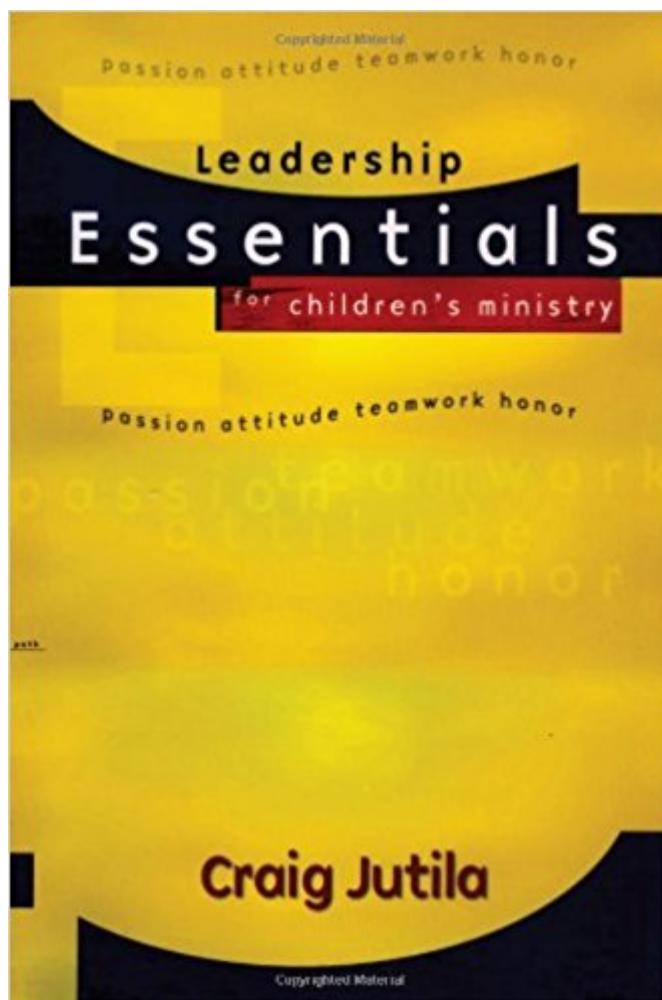


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# Leadership Essentials For Children's Ministry: Passion, Attitude, Teamwork, Honor



## **Synopsis**

Travel the P.A.T.H. to life-changing children's ministry leadership! Craig Jutila, leader of the children's ministry for Saddleback Church, learned long ago that children's ministry requires skilled leadership and teamwork. In this book, through the four critical, foundational "pillars" of P.A.T.H. (Passion, Attitude, Teamwork, Honor) Craig shares key leadership insights and powerful practical leadership skills. A compelling portrait of what positive, visionary, passionate leadership looks like. Learn from one of America's top children's ministry leaders how to build (or rebuild) a purpose-driven children's ministry in your church.

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This is what key church leaders are saying about Leadership Essentials for Children's Ministry! "Craig Jutila is the most passionate and creative children's pastor in America. He is truly an amazing leader&#x85;Study this book in a group. Read it, discuss it, read it again, and then follow its wisdom. You'll be far more effective in ministering to children whether as a paid staff member or a volunteer. This gives me great hope for the church in the 21st century." Dr. "If you love children and want to see churches change their lives and eternities through Christ, then you must read this important book! You'll learn about the intangibles of children's ministry leadership and take away field-tested principles that will transform you and your ministry." Lee Strobel Author, The Case for Christ and The Case for Faith "With his characteristic style, humor, and insight, Craig Jutila delivers his ministry- changing leadership principles. Reading this book--and then walking the PATH--will launch your ministry to the next level." Chris Yount Editor, Children's Ministry Magazine "It is one

thing to begin a journey and another to complete it. The pages of this book provide real life practical guidance for students just starting out and veterans who need fresh perspective. Craig's challenge to stay on the right PATH is a much needed compass for today's children's ministry leaders." Jane Carr, Ph.D. Professor, Biola University/Talbot School of Theology Leadership Essentials for Children's Ministry will help you; ?Build enthusiasm, commitment and powerful leadership skills in your team using four critical foundational principles: Passion, Attitude, Teamwork, Honor. ?Develop the ability to clearly discern the loving, God-given purpose of your children's ministry. ?Learn key skills to develop as a caring, relational leader who inspires and encourages others by modeling love, positive actions and attitudes. ?Gain practical skills in areas like: how to handle conflict; how to clearly and effectively communicate plans, intentions and purposeful vision; how to give team members genuine ownership in the children's ministry team, and much more.

#### INSIDEFLAP

Craig Jutila is the Children's Pastor at Saddleback Church in Lake Forest, California. Craig is an author and sought-after motivational communicator with intensely practical insights. He is also the founder of Empoweringkids.net, a company designed to provide relevant resources for children's leaders in the local church.

I loved this book! Craig is an awesome author and speaker and is very practical and relatable. Our personalities are similiar, so I totally get where he is coming from in a lot of his personal stories. The book is very reader friendly and flows well. This book was so complete in that it talked about Children's Ministry tips, Christian growth and leadership. It covered every area because they are all so important in a successful children's ministry! I so enjoyed this book and learned so much from it and I look forward to reading every other book authored by him. Must read for any Children's Ministry worker in whatever capacity you serve.

I loved this book! It has so much insight and great ideas for children's ministry. It is so short but it took me a month to get through because it had so much information! This is a must have for anyone in leadership in children's ministry.

Book was in great shape! Good book!

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There is some good stuff here in terms of motivating people. Yet, again, as I have found with so many Christian works designed for children and family ministry--its rather shallow. There is little substance here in terms of scholarly or biblical depth.

Craig has done an awesome job putting in to words what the heart of children's ministry leaders need. I loved this book so much I have purchased one for every member of my leadership team. Can't wait to go through it with them!

I had trouble leading my Children's Ministry group and I found this book which gives us a beginners direction. Its not a super brain twister to read. It is OK. Good job Saddleback.

This book gives you the "big picture" view of Children's Ministry. It touches and motivates the heart to first seek Christ in our own lives. Only then we can effectively serve His ministry. I highly recommend this book.

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