

Story of the World #2 Middle Ages: History for the Classical Child, #2007 #Susan Wise Bauer #Peace Hill Press, 2007 #9781933339092

This second book in the four-volume narrative history series for elementary students will transform your study of history. The Story of the World has won awards from numerous homeschooling magazines and readers' polls—over 150,000 copies of the series in print! Now more than ever, other cultures are affecting our everyday lives—and our children need to learn about the other countries of the world and their history. Written in an engaging, straightforward manner, this revised edition of *The Story of the World: History for the Classical Child, Volume 2: The Middle Ages* weaves world history into a story book format. Designed as a read-aloud project for parents and children to share together, *The Story of the World* includes each continent and major people group. History of Ideas: I would love to see the author in future editions make a list of resources at the end of each chapter suggested art, music, important thinkers, scientists, etc. These are things you see in other courses of course, but as the history series tends to be the backbone for the classical education, it would simplify teaching greatly to find a short list of suggested related topics right in the text. Throughout this journey, I have not seen a more fun and engaging history text for children than *Story of the World*. It flows like a story (which is how I believe history is best taught) and doesn't bog down in too many details. I believe it draws students in with the excitement of history and leaves them hungering for more. *The Middle Ages From the Fall of Rome to the Rise of the Renaissance*. Edited by Susan Wise Bauer. With activities, maps, and drawings by Also by susan WISE bauer. *The Story of the World. History for the Classical Child (PEACE HILL PRESS) Volume 1: Ancient Times (revised edition, 2006) Volume 2: The Middle Ages (revised edition, 2007) Volume 3: Early Modern Times (2004) Volume 4: The Modern Age (2005). The Well-Educated Mind. A Guide to the Classical Education You Never Had (W.W. NORTON, 2003). Though the Darkness Hide Thee. (MULTNOMAH, 1998). The Middle Ages have a special place in the history of Europe. During this period, a Christian community was formed in Europe. It laid the foundations of modern sciences and an education system. Established in the Middle Ages, national states and institutions promoted the further development of Western civilization. Despite its many-sidedness, spirituality and culture of the Middle Ages were built around a single vector. The religion permeates all spheres of life of the medieval society. The book is adorned with canons tables and the opening words of the prologues, written out in gold and silver ink on purple ribbons. The text of the Gospel is written in Carolingian minuscule that is easy to write and clear to read. Volume 2: *The Middle Ages*, is the second of a four-volume series and covers the major historical events in the years 400 to 1600 CE, as well as including maps, illustrations, and tales from each culture. Each *Story of the World* volume provides a full year of history study when combined with the Activity Book, Audiobook, and Tests--each available separately to accompany each volume of *The Story of the World Text Book*. Volume 2 Grade Recommendation: Grades 1-6. Product Identifiers.*