Book Review

Jane Austen – *Pride and Prejudice*

**Age Appropriateness**

- 6
- 10
- 14
- 16
- 18
- All
- None

**Reading Level**

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**Genre** Fiction, Romance

**Language** (Col 3:8; Eph 4:29; Matt 5:37; Titus 2:8)

- The Lord’s name taken in vain at least 10 times

**Mature Themes**

**False Teaching** (Titus 1:10-11)

- The purpose of woman is to just flirt around until her “Mr. Darcy” shows up

**Violence** (1 Tim 3:3; Prov 16 29)

- None

**Impurity** (Eph 5:5; Isa 64:6; 1 Thes 4:7-8)

- Gossip; Slander; Flirting; Lydia runs off with Wickham but later gets married

**Bad Characters** (1 Cor 15:33)

- Wickham – deceptive; Lydia – headstrong, uncontrolled; Kitty – gullible; Mrs. Bennet – just as wild as her daughters

**Foolishness** (Prov 15:2; Prov 15:14; Ecc 10:13)

- Foolish women spinning their heads at every “eligible” young man that comes into view.