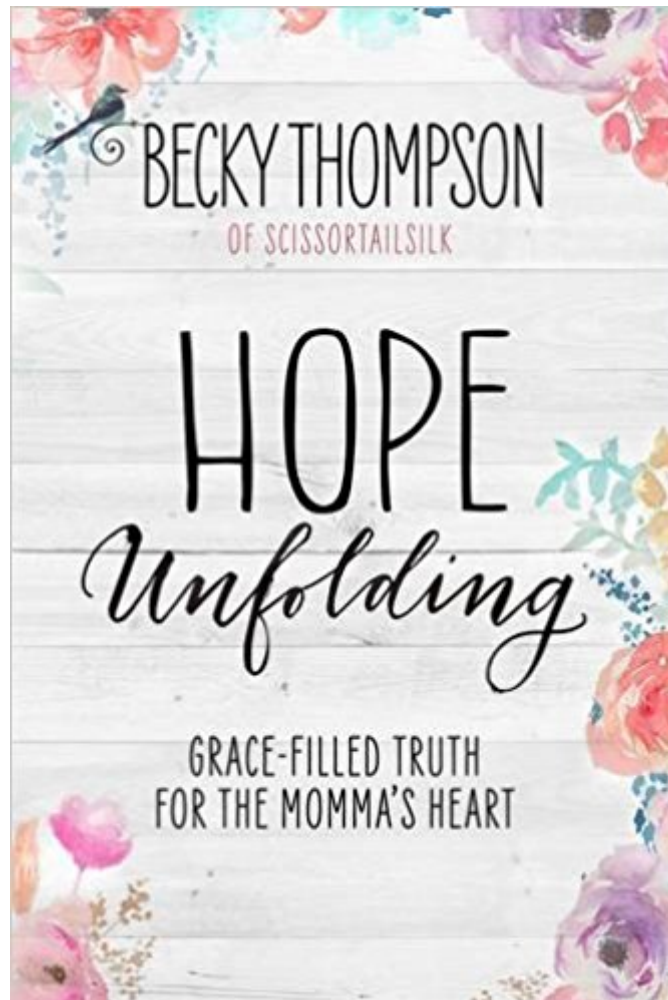




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Hope Unfolding: Grace-Filled Truth For The Momma's Heart



Synopsis

God's love, plans, and promises for you are forever unfolding. "I get it, Momma. I totally get it. Every day you wake up and try your very best. You love, give, and pour out your life for the ones who call you Momma. But no matter how much you offer, there are still days you feel as though you come up short. You worry, Am I loving these babies enough? Is this ever going to get easier? Why does it seem like I am the only one who cannot balance it all? Sometimes, we just need hope (and maybe a long uninterrupted nap). We need someone to help tune our hearts to the voice of the Father and to remind us that He has not forgotten about us. In *Hope Unfolding*, Becky Thompson is a friend who reminds you that you aren't alone, and that God is still writing your story. She guides you to encounter the Truth of God's presence that not only fuels you with strength, but also a fresh confidence. And beyond gaining faith that tomorrow could be different, you find hope and purpose where you are standing today.

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Customer Reviews

"Becky Thompson shares the truth of motherhood—the slobbery kisses and the heartwarming moments blended seamlessly with the sleepless nights, tantrums, and never-ending piles of laundry—while constantly pointing us back to the Father who loves us beyond comprehension. In opening up a copy of *Hope Unfolding*, readers are essentially invited to sit down over coffee with a dear friend to talk about the real things in life. Becky is our fellow mom friend who wrestles with the same questions we do: 'Does what I'm doing matter?'

Can I make it through today? Where is God in the dirty dishes? In *Hope Unfolding* we are offered space to ponder the truth of God's Word as Becky offers a perspective of hope, gratitude, and grace in all the moments of motherhood.

• Lauren Casper, founder of Laurencasper.com and upcoming author with Thomas Nelson
"Becky Thompson's words are like a good cup of coffee: warm, inviting, and the perfect soul refreshment in the everyday chaos of motherhood. An encouraging, affirming, and uplifting read, *Hope Unfolding* is the perfect gift of grace for every mom."

• Kayla Aimee, author of *Anchored: Finding Hope in the Unexpected*
"Calling all moms in the trenches. Whether you are up to your eyeballs in diapers and dishes or dealing daily with homework and teens, this book is for you! In its pages you'll discover a respite from the rush and a dose of hope amidst the heartache that often accompanies motherhood. I wish I had this encouragement when my kids were small, and you can bet your sweet spit-up covered sweatshirt that all new moms I know will be gifted one from me at their baby showers. I can't recommend this grace-filled volume enough!"

• Karen Ehman, New York Times bestselling author of *Keep It Shut* and *Hoodwinked*, Proverbs 31 Ministries speaker, wife and mother of three
"Becky's warm and vulnerable storytelling had me nodding yes throughout the pages of this book. *Hope Unfolding* will resonate with every momma who has ever played the comparison game, doubted herself, or just needed someone to say 'me too.'"

• Jessica N. Turner, author of *The Fringe Hours: Making Time for You*

Becky Thompson began blogging under the name Scissortail SILK, quickly drawing a global audience of millions. A self-professed city girl, Becky is a recent transplant to northwest Oklahoma, where she lives with her husband, Jared, their three young children, and whatever critters wander in from the wheat field behind their house. You can connect with Becky online at www.BeckyThompson.com or join her and the thousands of other grace-filled moms who are a part of the Scissortail SILK community on Facebook.

Motherhood is a battle no one tells you about when they hand you that precious little one with a wave and a smile. As a mother, I will be the first to admit, I was not prepared for the onslaught of trials I would face. When I was hiding in the closet, desperately hoping that someone would come and rescue me, yet continuing to find myself all alone. We all have the battle wounds and scars, but tend to forget that we do not have to fight this fight by ourselves. Thank goodness I found Becky

Thompson's book, *Hope Unfolding*, when I did because this worn out mama was ready to throw in the towel. My heart was weary and I was just plain tired. But I found that as I read each page and realized I AM NOT ALONE, I would pump my fist and yell my battle cry, "Preach It, Sister! Hallelujah! Amen! Becky shows weary mamas everywhere, that even when it appears that the darkness is moving in, the Lord will be our hope. We tend to forget that He is there when we are in the midst of the daily battles we each face. But "*Hope Unfolding*" turns our minds and hearts away from the darkness and towards the light that our Father provides. He is there for you and me. He never forgets us. WE ARE NOT ALONE! Mama, you can lay those burdens at the Lord's feet and in exchange He will give you the courage, strength and confidence you need to walk onto the battlefield of motherhood every day. YOU ARE ENOUGH! Let the Lord give you the hope you desperately need.

This is a MUST READ for every mama!! As a follower of Becky's blog, Scissortail SILK, for 2 years now, I couldn't wait for this book to be released. I bought it the same day, and waited not so patiently for my Prime shipping :) Becky did not disappoint!! Her real life stories help you feel like you're not alone in this crazy motherhood thing. She is able to weave the truth of Christ's love for us in all of her stories, throughout the whole book. It is honestly one of the best books I've ever read! So thankful for Becky and her ministry to women, especially mothers!

I am absolutely in love with this book! It took me a while to read but that's only because as a new mommy my day is busy. But it seemed every time I opened the book I read just what I needed! It's great knowing how I am not alone in the feelings of motherhood some days and also it's great being able to compare stories in the Bible to motherhood and situations moms face! I will be recommended this book and buying this book to Mommy friends and also new mommies. I highly recommend looking up the authors blog as well!

Such a GREAT book! Every. Single. Chapter - I thought to myself during "How does she know! Or "This is what I need right now?" Becky writes a beautiful blog called Scissortail Silk that I found through Facebook and have shared many times. One of my favorite aspects of the book is how Becky calls us her friend throughout it's entirety. I know she not only calls us her friend, but we are really her friends. This book is wonderful and inspirational the whole way through. It really gives Hope to the momma who feels hopeless. God breathed words are on every page. I can't say enough how much this book means to me! One of my favorite quotes, "That is the powerful thing

about hope, friend, even if you only have a little, you have more than enough, because hope can't help but grow."Thank you Becky Thompson and Hope Unfolding for giving this stay at home momma of two under two not just a little hope, but a whole lot of it.

I do not leave reviews. I don't buy anything without reading reviews, but I hate leaving them myself. With that said, I felt it was my civic duty to leave a review for this book! Becky's words hit you right where you are, as if she's peeking through the windows of my home and knows me! I love this book so much. I will read it over and over, again, something else I do not do. No matter what season of motherhood you are in or how long you've been a wife, this book is for you. I enjoyed the practicality of it mixed with the Word. She talks about the bible and Jesus on such an easy level and I found that to be so comforting. Very easy to read. In fact, I felt like I was just chatting with a friend the whole time. Big fan of Scissortail Silk and it doesn't hurt that she's a fellow Okie ;-) Cannot wait for the next book from her.

Whenever I read a post or a book by Becky my heart feels lifted. I'm cynical by nature so tempering my attitude with material from someone like Becky is so darn refreshing. This book in particular is really resonant with me at this point in my life and reading her words made me say, literally out loud, "I'm not the only one!" Motherhood is not always rainbows and unicorns but the way Becky ties our motherhood to the way God loves us is incredibly special and touching to many of us in the trenches right now. I'd definitely recommend this book and look forward to continuing to follow Becky and her writings!

I REALLY have to like a book in order to read it. I read this book in about a week (I've been reading another book since last June). Let's just say, I liked it, a lot! Becky is an author I could definitely relate to (and probably could be great friends with). We're both living in very small towns (and asking God why) and going through those day to day mommy struggles. I can tell she took a risk and poured her heart out in hopes to help other moms, and I'm so grateful she did.

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