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Hero, Amanda, Thespia, and Little Child strive to restore Bright City while the battle with the Enchanter's minions rages on.

The one True King has broken the reign of the evil Enchanter and the restoration has begun. Enjoy Grandma Vigilantes, the Girl with the Very Loud Outside Voice, along with beloved friends Little Child, the Princess Amanda, Hero, and others. Each character is learning how to find a special place in Bright City, to do a job no one else can do.

An exciting series from award-winning authors David and Karen Mains, Tales of the Restoration offer fast-paced action and exciting storytelling with a Christian theme. You'll enjoy the beautiful, full-color illustrations as well.

In Tales of the Restoration, the long awaited conclusion in the Kingdom Tales trilogy, the restoration has begun. Between power-outs, mudslinging, and peril at Burning Place, our heroes look to celebrate life under the King's reign, and enjoy the Great Celebration.

Tales of the Restoration Details

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Lydia Thomas says

This collection is like a reunion of the characters from the other Kingdom books, many whom have lost their purpose and need reminded of it.

Lana Shaw says

To the King! To the Restoration!

Jana Eads says

I read this aloud to my four children (11, 9, 4, and 2) and will definitely be reading it again and again in years to come! A lot of these stories really got me choked up, challenged me, and helped us see some things in a new beautiful way. The authors have a deep understanding of the Christian life and incredible imaginations. The lessons learned have come up repeatedly in conversation with my older two since reading this together, and I look forward to exposing these stories to my younger kids as they get older.

Elaine says

Loved this one too, as the King and his people work at the restoration of the city, which was once Enchanted City, but is now freed from the Enchanter and now called Bright City. Hero and the others are grown now, and are joyfully working in the Restoration. In the midst of it, love blooms, and I always love the angst of love stories, so this was a nice ending to this trilogy.

Jeff Learned says

Reading this three book series to my kids. We all love it. Lots of heart in this story.

Clara says

This is not my favorite book in the series, Tales of the Kingdom is, but I really Tales of the Restoration. It is a good ending book for the series.

Donita Rensberger says

Not quite as good as the first - tales of the Kingdom & the 2nd - Tales of the Resistance.

Still an excellent book. They are all better in the hardback editions or on audio!

Jennifer Stolzer says

Love this series. Very imaginative. Positive messages.

LMS says

Not as good as first two but still quite good.

Kevin says

I actually liked this one better than the first... again a childhood favorite.

Stephanie says

The edition I really want is out of print and would probably cost me a bundle, but I would love to own the trilogy and pass it down to my kids.

Stephanie Waterhouse says

Twelve more stories in the last book of the trilogy. This one did not end each tale with a written moral to contemplate. The hidden truth was implied in the reading.

Time has passed since we met the major characters. Much growth and wisdom. A new found purpose - destiny or place in the Kingdom.

Restoration, to me, in biblical terms means to go back to the original plan/purpose, especially after getting off course or adversity interference. Did all end like this in these tales? To me NO! The tales end with a celebration and I'm left confused and wanting more answers. Why so many loose ends? Where's Sovereign? What happened to the Enchanter and his crew? Where are the punishments? Where's the Rewards?

I don't see a logical conclusion. Why name Restoration? To me this restoration wasn't complete. There's so much that still needs to be done. I'm happy for Hero, but isn't Restoration suppose to be for all in the Kingdom?

Of the three parts in this trilogy, this is my least favorite. I'm left wanting more...no resolve...only unanswered questions. Why start the trilogy without a definite conclusion?

Maybe it's the adult in me. I guess I need to look from a child's perspective. See this as fairy tales and maybe the ending for the main character is fine. As an allegory pushing a personal relationship with the King and

Restoration of His people, I'm so disappointed!!! Ugh! I need more! I need this to be done better! I don't want an afterthought, but a full blown positive conclusion as representative of Restoration!!

I shouldn't fret...at least I was able to read thirty-six reasonably done tales with a moral to boot.

I do recommend this book to read, for the stories were compelling, but it's mis-titled, to me. I could give this book a 3.5 star rating.
