

Author Bio



Jackie Escano Perry, MS, LPC, NCC is a North Carolina Licensed Professional Counselor in a Christian private practice in Hickory, North Carolina. Ms. Perry obtained her Bachelor's degree in Psychology from Duke University in Durham, North Carolina in 1989. She then received her Master's in Counseling from Georgia State University in 1991. She also received a Certificate in Christian Counseling from the Psychological Studies Institute in Atlanta, Georgia in 1991.

Jackie Perry has spent much of the last two decades sitting alongside teens and families as they work through past and present pain. She clearly understands the fundamental needs of teenagers as they transition from childhood to adulthood. Because of her ability to combine sound biblical truths with a solid understanding of adolescent development, Jackie is a frequent speaker for counselor seminars, church groups, local ministries and her state professional counseling association.

Jackie married a fellow Duke who spent four years on staff with Young Life. They both share a passion for teenagers and young adults. And that's a very good thing since two of their three children are now teenagers. Jackie works part time in a busy Christian counseling practice in Hickory, North Carolina. She spends the rest of her time being a wife and mom and daily living out her favorite calling in life. She enjoys the outdoors and considers a hike with her family that culminates with a view of the North Carolina Mountains to be an absolutely perfect day.

