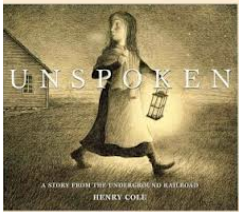


# Discretion

Discretion will protect you, and understanding will guard you.

Proverbs 2:11

## Family Books



## Itinerary

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Nigeria

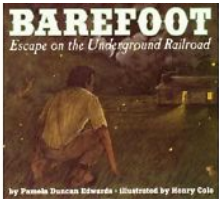
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## Map

*The Slave Trade Map*

## Hymn

*He's Got the Whole World  
in His Hands*  
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If you argue your case with a neighbor, do not betray another man's confidence...

Proverbs 25:9

## Giving to the Needy; Prayer, Fasting

Matthew 6:1-6; 6:16-18

"Be careful not to do your 'acts of righteousness' before men, to be seen by them. If you do, you will have no reward from your Father in heaven.

So when you give to the needy, do not announce it with trumpets, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and on the streets, to be honored by men. I tell you the truth, they have received their reward in full. But when you give to the needy, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, so that your giving may be in secret. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you.

"And when you pray, do not be like the hypocrites, for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and on the street corners to be seen by men. I tell you the truth, they have received their reward in full. But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you.

"When you fast, do not look somber as the hypocrites do, for they disfigure their faces to show

men they are fasting. I tell you the truth, they have received their reward in full. But when you fast, put oil on your head and wash your face, so that it will not be obvious to men that you are fasting, but only to your Father, who is unseen; and your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you."

**It is the discreet man,  
not the witty,  
nor the learned,  
nor the brave,  
who guides the conversation,  
and gives measures to society.**

## Wild Animals

...And wild animals, each according to its kind." And it was so. God made the wild animals according to their kinds, the livestock according to their kinds, and all the creatures that move along the ground according to their kinds. And God saw that it was good.

Genesis 1:25