

Join us for this insightful and thought-provoking evening—

Mike Riera

Staying Connected to Your Teen

Thursday, May 8, 7:00 pm

**King Middle School Auditorium
1781 Rose Street, Berkeley**

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“Parenting a teenager means thinking more in terms of influence than control—easy to say, tough to do.”



Mike Riera, Ph.D., is one of the country's foremost authorities on understanding children and teenagers. The cornerstone of his philosophy for parents with teenagers is having parents shift from being managers in their teenagers' lives to becoming their consultants.

Mike Riera appears regularly on television shows about parenting: He was the host of the award winning show, *Life in Progress*, on Oxygen cable network and was the parenting correspondent for the CBS Saturday Early Show for seven years.

He is the author of five books on the subject:

- *Uncommon Sense for Parents With Teenagers*
- *Surviving High School*
- *A Field Guide to the American Teenager with Joe DiPrisco, Ph.D.*
- *Right From Wrong: Instilling a Sense of Integrity in Your Child with Joe DiPrisco, Ph.D.*
- *Staying Connected To Your Teenager*

Mike Riera has lived in the Bay Area with his wife and two children since 1986. For 19 years he worked as a school counselor, teacher, and dean of students. Mike speaks nationally to various groups of parents and teenagers. Mr. Riera's books will be on sale at the event. To purchase or order books in advance, or if you have questions about the event, e-mail the King PTA at mlkpta@sbcglobal.net. Book sales benefit King PTA.

“The biggest secret of teenagers is that they really do care what their parents think!”

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