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- Rabbit Room Press \*
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## AWARDS

### AWSA

(American Writers and Speakers Association)

CHRISTIAN MARKET BOOK AWARD FINALISTS AND WINNERS



AMG author **Karen Whiting** was named AWSA Member of the Year. She has penned over 30 books and has a heart for family and faith, and she crafts stories and activities that bring people closer together.

**B&H Kids** received an honorable mention for **When God Makes Scribbles Beautiful** by Kate Reitema, Illustrated by Jennie



### END GAME PRESS WAS NOMINATED FOR SEVEN CHRISTIAN MARKET BOOK AWARDS!



**Anxiety Elephants for Teens, A 90-Day Devotional** by Caris Snider – **WINNER** for The Christian Market Youth Book of the Year!



**Offsides, A Novel** by Lori Z. Scott – **WINNER** for second place, Christian Market Book of the Year !



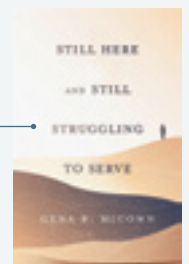
**You Are My Dream Come True** by Cecil Stokes with Michelle Medlock Adams, Illustrated by Penny Weber **WINNER** for third place, Christian Market Children's Nonfiction Book of the Year

**The Dance of Easter** by Sally Cressman, Illustrated by Angela Edmonds – **WINNER** Second place for the Christian Market Children's Fiction Book of the Year!



**Love Well, My Precious One** by Jill Roman Lord, Illustrated by Camila Carrossine – **WINNER** The Christian Market Children's Fiction Book of the Year

**Still Here and Struggling to Serve** by Gena B. McCown – **WINNER** as Honorable Mention for Christian Market Nonfiction Book of the Year



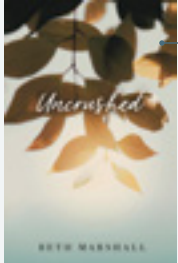
**Leafwood Publishers** (A division of Abilene Christian University Press) had one title nominated for both the Christian Market Book Award and the Golden Scroll Award for **Little Strength, Big God: Discover a God Greater than Your Goliaths** by Debbie W. Wilson -- **WINNER** for [AWSA Christian Market Nonfiction Book of the Year](#) and [second place in the Selah Awards for the Bible Study Book of the Year](#) !



# AWSA

GOLDEN SCROLL AWARDS

## END GAME PRESS WON SEVERAL GOLDEN SCROLL AWARDS



**Uncrushed** by Beth Marshall – **WINNER** for second place in the Christian Life category! The Christmas Devotional, Hope and Humor for the Holidays by Michelle Medlock Adams and Andy Clapp – **WINNER** as Selah Book of the Year in the NonFiction category an first place in the Gift category!

**You Are My Dream Come True** by Cecil Stokes with Michelle Medlock Adams, Illustrated by Penny Weber – **WINNER** for the Children’s category!

**Offsides, A Novel** by Lori Z. Scott – **WINNER** for second place in the YA Fiction category!



**Baseball Family**, Nine Core Qualities for Developing Healthy Relationships by Billie Jauss – **WINNER** as Honorable Mention in the Parenting category!

**Ordinary People, Extraordinary God**, A Devotional by Michelle Medlock Adams, Victoria Duerstock and Hope Bolinger– **WINNER** in the Anthology category

## IRON STREAM HAD TWO TITLES WIN

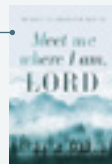
**12 Ways to Age Gracefully** by Susan U. Neal  
**WINNER** for third place for Christian Educational Book of the Year.



**Defying Fear**, Finding the Courage to Embrace Your True Value by Dr. Nancy Meyer won a Golden Scroll for Contemporary Novel of the Year



**IRON STREAM - Meet Me Where I Am Lord** by Cindy K. Sproles – **WINNER** for third place in the Devotional category



## END GAME PRESS HAD SEVERAL SELAH AWARD WINNERS



**I Made the Earth** by Shannon Cook - **WINNER** for Selah Book of the Year in the Children’s category and (tie) first place in the Children’s Picture & Board Book category

**There’s an Elephant on My Chest** by Caris Snider – **WINNER** (tie) first place in the Children’s Picture & Board Book category

**Offsides, A Novel** by Lori Z. Scott – **WINNER** second place for the YA Fiction category!

**The Christmas Devotional, Hope and Humor for the Holidays** by Michelle Medlock Adams and Andy Clapp – **WINNER** as first place in the Devotional category and Selah Book of the Year in the Non-Fiction category!

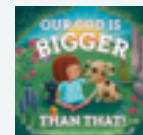


**The Story of Good** by Victoria Duerstock – **WINNER** for first place in the Inspiration and Gift category



## THE PURPLE DRAGONFLY BOOK AWARDS

The **Purple Dragonfly Book Awards** recognize children's literature authors' accomplishments. This is a secular award organization, but two **END GAME** Press titles won awards!



**Our God is Bigger Than That!** By Michelle Medlock Adams and Eva Marie Everson – **WINNER** for first place in the Religious Category

**Love Connects Us All** by Michelle Medlock Adams – **WINNER** - Tied for first place in the Family Matters Category.



## PARACLETE PRESS

PARACLETE PRESS offers spiritually enriching literature grounded in Scripture and Biblical principles, fostering spiritual growth, igniting imaginations, and supporting various educational endeavors. Paraclete's books reflect the full expression of Christian traditions, including Catholic, Evangelical, Protestant, and Orthodox.

### CHILDREN



Paraclete Press  
ISBN 9781640601635 | 32 Pages  
Release Date: 10/6/2020

#### I'm a Saint in the Making

By Lisa M. Hendey (Author), Katie Broussard (Illustrator)

God has a special mission for YOU! Awarded the Catholic Writers Guild "Seal of Approval" With engaging prose and delightful illustrations, *I'm a Saint in the Making* reminds children of their unique call from God to live with mission and love. By recounting the highlights of the stories of both well-known and newer saints in relatable lessons, the book helps readers learn that there is no one single way to live a life of sanctity. *I'm a Saint in the Making* offers simple but impactful suggestions for ways children can offer acts of prayer, service, and love. Resources for parents, teachers, and caregivers at the end of the book provide support for adults as they seek to encourage and accompany their young saints in the making.



Paraclete Press  
ISBN 9781612617855 | 112 Pages  
Release Date: 10/2/2016

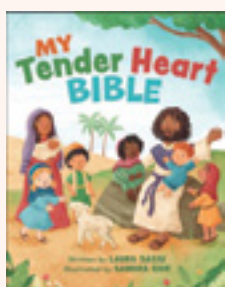
ALL CREATION WAITS SERIES

#### All Creation Waits

The Advent Mystery of New Beginnings

By Gayle Boss (Author), David G. Klein (Illustrator)

Open a window each day of Advent onto the natural world. Here are twenty-five fresh images of the foundational truth that lies beneath and within the Christ story. In twenty-five portraits depicting how wild animals of the northern hemisphere ingeniously adapt when darkness and cold descend, we see and hear as if for the first time the ancient wisdom of Advent: *The dark is not an end but the way a new beginning comes*. Short, daily reflections that paint vivid, poetic images of familiar animals, paired with charming original woodcuts, will engage both children and adults. An ECPA 2023 Christmas Bestseller.



Paraclete Press  
ISBN 9781640608399 | 26 Pages  
Release Date: 2/7/2023

SERIES: MY TENDER HEART SERIES

#### My Tender Heart Bible

By Laura Sassi (Author), Sandra Eide (Illustrator)

With sweet, rhyming text and whimsical illustrations, *My Tender Heart Bible* features beloved and classic Bible stories for babies, toddlers, and beginner readers. From Creation to Abraham to Moses and Jesus, God's story of redemption is told through each individual story and as a collection. Look in the mirror and thank God for making you unique – what makes you different from others you see in your neighborhood? Can you count the stars and make your hands twinkle? Flap your arms like the dove that appeared when John the Baptist baptized Jesus. How many coats and blankets can you spread out for Jesus' triumphal entry to Jerusalem? Let's read the stories and celebrate God's perfect plan from the marvelous beginning of Creation through Easter's glorious hope made known by Jesus' resurrection.

## FICTION



Paraclete Press  
ISBN 9781640607781 | 288 Pages  
Release Date: 10/11/2022

**Chasing Rome**

A Novel

By John Gray

Always blazing their own path, newly engaged couple Chase and Gavin decide to forego a typical American wedding, followed by a honeymoon in Italy. Instead, they'll spend the month of December in Rome with a local Italian family, learning the customs and exploring every romantic adventure they can find. On a trip to the famed Colosseum, Chase and Gavin meet an elderly artist who offers them four riddles that he promises will unlock the most romantic places in all of Italy. As the couple deciphers each clue, they are taken from the canals of Venice to the Bridge of Sighs over the Tiber, to a monastery on the Island of Elba – meeting others who are struggling with secrets, love, and loss.



Paraclete Press  
ISBN 9781640606401 | 240 Pages  
Release Date: 11/3/2020

**Manchester Christmas**

A Novel

By John Gray

#1 New York Times Bestselling Author of *The Christmas Box*. A young writer is drawn to a small New England town in search of meaning for her life. Soon, she encounters kindness, romance, and is pulled into a mystery centered on an old, abandoned church and the death of a special girl. Are the images that only she can see in the church's stained-glass windows a warning, or is someone trying to reach her, to help heal this broken community? *Manchester Christmas* illustrates how God often uses the most unlikely among us to spread grace and healing in a wounded world. Full of love, hope, and forgiveness, this debut novel from an Emmy-winning writer will touch your heart and have you longing for Christmas in Manchester. An ECPA 2023 Christmas Bestseller!

## NON-FICTION



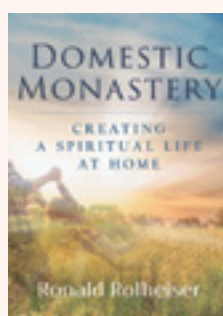
Paraclete Press  
ISBN 9781640608054 | 208 Pages  
Release Date: 9/27/2022

**Three Wise Women**

40 Devotions Celebrating Advent with Mary, Elizabeth, and Anna

By Dandi Daley Mackall

You are invited to spend the 40 days of Advent, Christmas, and Epiphany in the company of Mary the mother of Jesus, Elizabeth the mother of John the Baptist, and Anna the prophetess at the temple in Jerusalem. Anticipate, celebrate, and marvel at Jesus' birth with *Three Wise Women*, a richly researched and faith-building new devotional by Dandi Daley Mackall. We don't hear many details directly from these three women at the heart of the first Christmas, but Scripture, studies in biblical culture, and an open heart that asks "what if" allows readers to experience new revelations for the holy season that will encourage and strengthen you in becoming a wise woman of God. An ECPA 2023 Christmas Bestseller!



Paraclete Press  
9781640606708 | 112 Pages  
Release Date: 3/29/2022

**Domestic Monastery**

By Ron Rolheiser

What is a monastery? A monastery is a place set apart – a place to learn the blessings of powerlessness, and that time is not ours but God's. Our home and our duties can, just like a monastery, teach us those things. The vocation of monastic men and women is to physically withdraw from the world. But the principle is equally valid for those of us who cannot go off to monasteries. Certain vocations offer the same kind of opportunity for contemplation and provide a desert for reflection.



Paraclete Press  
ISBN 9781640606432 | 176 Pages  
Release Date: 9/21/2021

## Centering Prayer

Sitting Quietly in God's Presence Can Change Your Life

By Dr. Brian D. Russell

Centering prayer, also known as the prayer of silence, helps you quiet your mind from the constant thoughts and impulses, and frees your true self to experience more of God's love in the very core of your being. This inviting guide gives you practical tools to make centering prayer a consistent habit in your life, gives the history and theological foundation for the practice, and helps identify and overcome common obstacles. Beginners, as well as seasoned practitioners, will gain inspiration, rich insight, and practical knowledge of a contemplative prayer practice that can open you up to deep experiences of inner healing and peace.



Paraclete Press  
ISBN 9781557256591  
Release Date: 10/1/2009

## The Jesus Prayer

The Ancient Desert Prayer that Tunes the Heart to God

By Frederica Mathewes-Green

In the earliest centuries of faith, Christians in the deserts of Palestine and Africa sought a short prayer that could be easily repeated, in order to acquire the habit of "prayer without ceasing." The result was *The Jesus Prayer*: "Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me." This jewel of Eastern Christianity aims at enabling a person to be in God's presence, rather than to focus on feelings or thoughts about God. The first section of *The Jesus Prayer* offers a concise overview of the history, theology, and spirituality of Orthodoxy, so that the Prayer can be understood in its native context. Following, is a conversational question-and-answer format that takes the reader through practical steps for adopting this profound practice in everyday life.



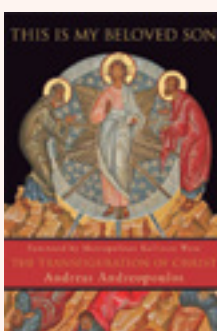
Paraclete Press  
ISBN 9781612618357 | 256 Pages  
Release Date: 10/1/2016

## Feeding Your Family's Soul

Dinner Table Spirituality

By Donna-Marie Cooper O'Boyle

*Feeding Your Family's Soul: Dinner Table Spirituality* has won second prize in the Family Life category from the Catholic Press Association! *Feeding Your Family's Soul* is a vital tool to enable parents to transform a regular dinner time into a prayerful faith lesson for their elementary school to high school aged children. It will indeed help to fulfill the Catholic Church's vision for evangelization in the family and beyond. Through 52 fun and creative faith lessons (one for each week of the year), this one-of-a-kind book will encourage parents and caregivers to seize the opportunity in teaching the Catholic faith to the children (the captive audience waiting to eat!) while gathered at the dinner table, and while reminding them of the value of coming together as a family to break bread and share hearts.



Paraclete Press  
ISBN 9781557256560 | 164 Pages  
Release Date: 3/1/2012

## This Is My Beloved Son

The Transfiguration of Christ

By Andreas Andreopoulos

The Transfiguration, one of the most mysterious miracles of Christ, has been mostly misunderstood for two millennia. Andreas Andreopoulos approaches the Transfiguration explaining its significance in the continuing experience of the church and in the personal journey of each Christian. He sees the Transfiguration as 'a timeless story,' as 'an event that keeps on happening.' "He writes in a way that is vivid yet profound and often unexpected. Reading his text, I have come to look at Christ's Transfiguration, and our own, with new eyes and a fresh understanding." – From the Foreword by Metropolitan Kallistos of Diokleia



**Paraclete Press**  
ISBN 9781557257321 | 112 Pages  
**Release Date: 12/6/2018**

## I Will See You in Heaven (Dog Lover's Edition)

By Friar Jack Wintz

This comforting collection of prayers, blessings, Franciscan wisdom, and heartwarming photos is the perfect gift for anyone who is grieving the loss of a beloved dog. Every page is filled with reassurance that we will see our animal friends in heaven. Throughout his many years as a Franciscan friar, Jack Wintz came to know – the Bible gives us many clues – that we will be with our pets in heaven for eternity! St. Francis himself shared a close relationship with animals, preaching to the birds, releasing Brother Rabbit from a trap, or letting Sister Raven awaken him for early morning prayer. Franciscan spirituality tells us that all creatures form one family of creation, and God's plan of salvation includes the whole created world.



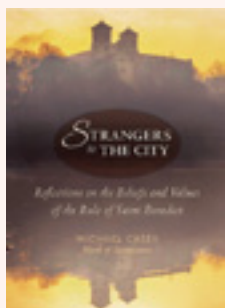
**Paraclete Press**  
ISBN 978164060796 | 144 Pages  
**Release Date: 10/11/2022**

## One Great Love

An Advent and Christmas Treasury of Readings, Poems, and Prayers

By The Editors of Paraclete Press

This beautifully designed gift book weaves together some of the most cherished literature, scriptures, poems, and songs celebrating the sacred season of Advent and Christmas. From the ancient words of the prophet Isaiah to the timeless writings of Louisa May Alcott, Jane Austen, Henry Van Dyke, Charles Dickens, O. Henry, G.K. Chesterton, and Gerard Manley Hopkins, to contemporary voices such as Eugene Peterson, Luci Shaw, Gayle Boss, and Nikki Grimes, *The Advent and Christmas Treasury* provides a diverse and delightful assortment of readings to inspire reflection and bring us back to the real meaning of Christmas. An ECPA 2023 Christmas Bestseller!



**Paraclete Press**  
ISBN 9781612613970 | 208 Pages  
**Release Date: 9/1/2013**

## Strangers to the City

Reflections on the Beliefs and Values of the Rule of St Benedict

By Michael Casey

Eloquent and incisive, Casey invites readers to accept that gospel living - seen in the light of the Rule - involves accepting the challenge of being different from the secular culture around us. He encourages readers to set clear goals and objectives, to be honest about the practical ways in which priorities may have to change to meet these goals, and to have the courage to implement these changes both daily and for the future. Casey presents thoughtful reflections on the beliefs and values of asceticism, silence, leisure, reading, chastity, and poverty - putting these traditional Benedictine values into the context of modern life and the spiritual aspirations of people today. *Strangers to the City* is a book for all who are interested in learning more about the dynamics of spiritual growth from the monastic experience.



**Paraclete Press**  
ISBN 9781640608054 | 208 Pages  
**Release Date: 9/27/2022**

## The Illumined Heart

Capture the Vibrant Faith of Ancient Christians

By Frederica Mathewes-Green

Why are modern Christians so indistinguishable from everyone else? How come Christians who lived in times of bloody persecution were so heroic, while we who live in safety are not?

How could the first Christians fast valiantly, but we feel deprived without dessert? How did New Testament believers pray without ceasing? How could the early Christian martyrs actually forgive their torturers? What did the Christians of the first centuries know that we don't?

That's what this book is about.



EDIZIONI ARES (Milan, Italy) was founded in 1956 to promote a culture inspired by Christian values and open to respectful dialogue and the recognition of various perspectives. Since then, Edizioni Ares has offered a collection of titles that include works on spirituality, literary classics, fiction (for Adults and YA), literary criticism, crime novels, biographies, history, analyses of contemporary issues, pedagogy, psychology and family, philosophical and theological essays, featuring prestigious authors from the national and international scene. They have numerous bestselling authors.



**Edizioni Ares**  
ISBN 9788892982956 | 136 Pages  
**Release Date: 2/27/2023**

## Fathers & Sons

Paths of Fatherhood (Italian Title: *Padri e Figli. I sentieri della paternità*)

By Mariolina Ceriotti Migliarese

Even for nonbelievers, the unsolved reflection on the paternal has as its ultimate reference the relationship between the “Father” and the “Son”. Therefore, it is fair to ask: What do the Gospels tell us about the Father’s relationship with the Son? This book is an invitation to understand that loving according to God’s heart is not theoretical and does not consist of complex things: it is a concrete reality, requiring constant education of the mind and heart. Good fatherhood passes through choices that are declined day by day, in the normality and imperfection of our daily relationships.



**Edizioni Ares**  
ISBN 9788892982420 | 200 Pages  
**Release Date: 11/7/2022**

## Crossed Lives

Mercy Towards the Enemy During the II World War

(Italian Title: *Vite incrociate. La pietà per il nemico nella Seconda Guerra Mondiale*)

By Antonio Besana

Tragedy and slaughter are what we remember most of war – in the midst of that hell are the thirteen stories told in this book, events that go against the very essence of war. War stories free of hate, peculiar and heart-warming. After all, as Tolkien said, men can only be redeemed by a moving story. Leaning on a rich bibliography, and on the strength of his long wanderings on the battlefields, Antonio Besana has accomplished a valuable work that testifies how man is capable of every abjection, but also of heroism and surprising mercy. True stories that sustain hope and faith in human freedom in the face of history.



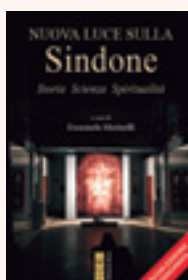
**Edizioni Ares**  
ISBN 9788892982307 | 128 Pages  
**Release Date: 9/15/2022**

## J.K. Rowling

In Her World of Words (Italian Title: *J.K. Rowling. Nel suo mondo di parole*)

By Marina Lenti

Tragedy and slaughter are what we remember most of war – in the midst of that hell are the thirteen stories told in this book, events that go against the very essence of war. War stories free of hate, peculiar and heart-warming. After all, as Tolkien said, men can only be redeemed by a moving story. Leaning on a rich bibliography, and on the strength of his long wanderings on the battlefields, Antonio Besana has accomplished a valuable work that testifies how man is capable of every abjection, but also of heroism and surprising mercy. True stories that sustain hope and faith in human freedom in the face of history.



**Edizioni Ares**  
ISBN 9788892984394 | 336 Pages  
**Release Date: 6/1/2020**

## New Light on The Holy Shroud

History, Science, Spirituality (Italian Title: *Nuova luce sulla Sindone. Storia Scienza Spiritualità*)

By Emanuela Marinelli (Editor)

In this volume some of the most important scholars of the *Holy Shroud*, coordinated by Professor Marinelli, who is considered the greatest expert at international level, have brought together the results of their most recent investigations. The mystery of the *Holy Shroud* is thus redefined from a historical and scientific point of view, revealing itself more and more as the most important relic in Christian History, the relic left by Christ in the Sepulchre of Jerusalem. Orazio Petrosillo completes the volume with some sinological meditations, creating a spiritually nourishing narration.



**Edizioni Ares**  
ISBN 9788892983335 | 160 Pages  
**Release Date: 1/1/2023**

## The Imperfect Family

How to Turn Anxieties & Problems into Exciting Challenges

(Italian Title: *La Famiglia Imperfetta. Come trasformare ansie & problemi in sfide appassionanti*)

By Mariolina Ceriotti Migliarese

It is as if a deep mistrust has crept into everyone's mind as to whether we can adequately care for our children: if our role is really as delicate and important, and if our inevitable mistakes can result in such baleful effects, how can we decide to take risks? Yet, the child who is born is a gift. The complete trust of the infant, his being helpless and in need of everything, activates in us a desire to respond. Every child who comes into the world desires and deserves the best possible relationship with his or her parents, not hypothetical ones. Our children want precisely us.



**Edizioni Ares**  
ISBN 9788892981942 | 304 Pages  
**Release Date: 3/1/2022**

## Journey to the Holy Land

(Italian Title: *Viaggio in Terra Santa*)

By Vincent Nagle

"Jesus, the Saviour and Redeemer of the world, is here!"

Before coming to the Holy Land, I could have sworn that I possessed a concrete faith, according to the teaching of my teachers. And yet, without realizing it, I had relegated the events of Jesus outside of history, in the sphere of the unknowable.

The visit to the places of the Gospel filled me with joy and amazement. Today, after so many years later, I am still discovering the consequences of that wonderful surprise.



**Edizioni Ares**  
ISBN 9788881558988 | 282 Pages  
**Release Date: 10/16/2019**

## Hypotheses About Jesus

(Italian Title: *Ipotesi su Gesù*)

By Vittorio Messori

This book is one of the most widely distributed essays not only in Italy (more than a million copies) but also in the whole world (it's translated in around thirty languages). The author's motto is: "Study like a good professor and write like a good journalist". For this reason, it has been read by scholars and at the same time by those with no particular knowledge on the subject. A volume that confirms Catholics in the faith and invites unbelievers to reflect on their skepticism.



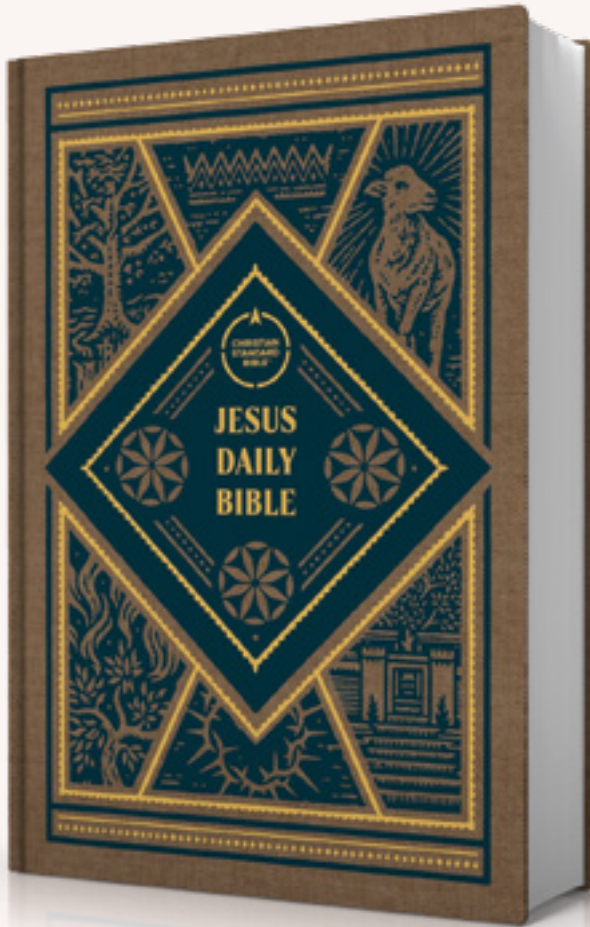
**Edizioni Ares**  
ISBN 9788881559268 | 320 Pages  
**Release Date: 10/16/2020**

## Hypotheses About Mary

(Italian Title: *Ipotesi su Maria*)

By Vittorio Messori

When Messori published his first book, *Hypothesis on Jesus*, which became a worldwide bestseller, many urged him to also write "Hypotheses About Mary". The proposal was accepted almost 30 years later in 2005, and it also became a worldwide bestseller. The result is lively and "colorful": Dogma joins anecdote, biblical exegesis with apparitions, spirituality with history, theology with mystery. Each of the sixty chapters can be read alone or as a whole. Here you meet scholars, men of letters, seers and mystics, pilgrims, miracle workers, saints and sinners, inquisitors and heresiarchs, emperors and peasants alike.



## CSB Jesus Daily Bible

By Dwayne Milioni

**B&H Publishing Group**  
 ISBN 9781087766157 | 1520 pages  
 Release Date: 11/1/2024

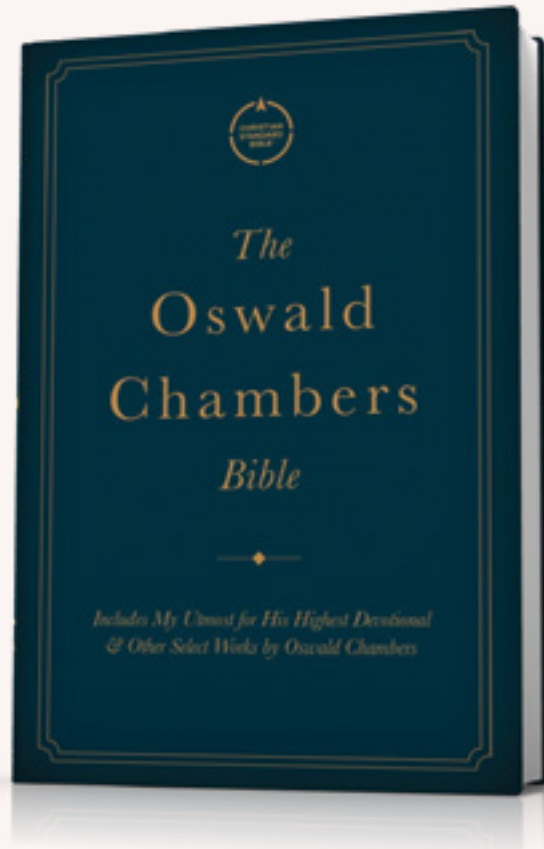
The *CSB Jesus Daily Bible* features a 52-week guided reading plan that shows Jesus throughout all of Scripture. Each week's reading is structured thematically in a Day 1-5 reading format with a weekly introduction, helpful articles and infographics, and a weekly summary to help readers better understand Jesus's central role in the Bible from Genesis to Revelation. Unlike other daily Bibles, the daily reading arrangement is not date specific (e.g., no "January 1"), so you can begin the plan at any point in the calendar year.

### Features:

- 52-week thematic reading plan showing Jesus in all of Scripture
- Weekly introductions to set the stage for each week's reading
- Jesus-focused articles, charts, and infographics expanding each week's theme
- Weekly summaries to reinforce key takeaways and applications for life
- Book introductions in an easy-to-understand "Who, What, When, Why, Where" format

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## CSB Oswald Chambers Bible

By Oswald Chambers

**B&H Publishing Group**  
 ISBN 9781087788838 | 1520 pages  
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Throughout his nearly twenty-year teaching and preaching ministry, Oswald Chambers impacted countless lives with rich messages full of gospel truth and a deep understanding of Scripture. His beloved classic, *My Utmost for His Highest*, is one of the best-selling devotionals of all time and has inspired millions all over the world to savor the depth and beauty of God's Word on a daily basis.

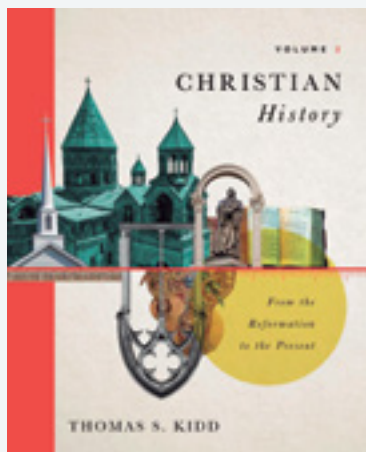
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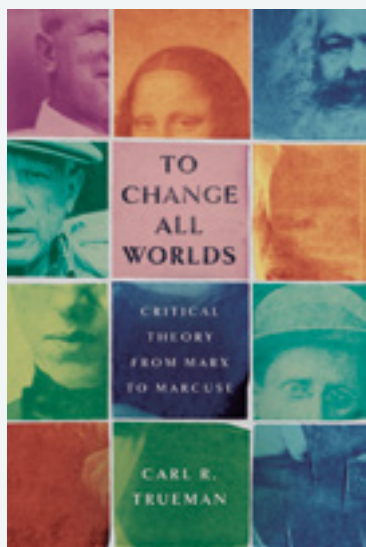
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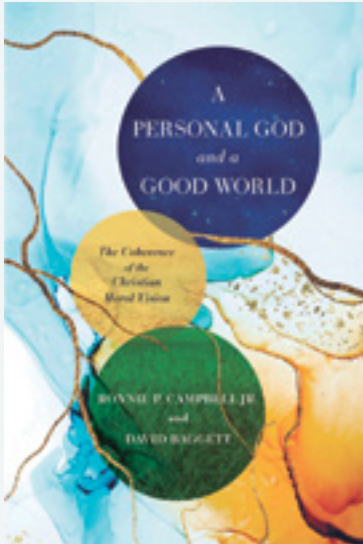
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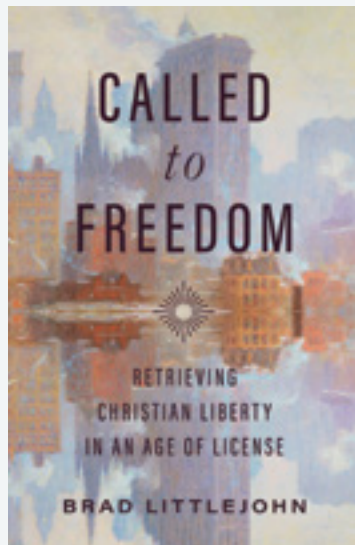
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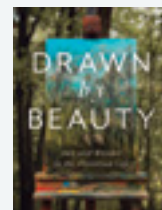
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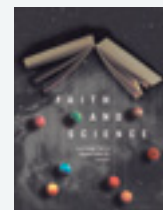
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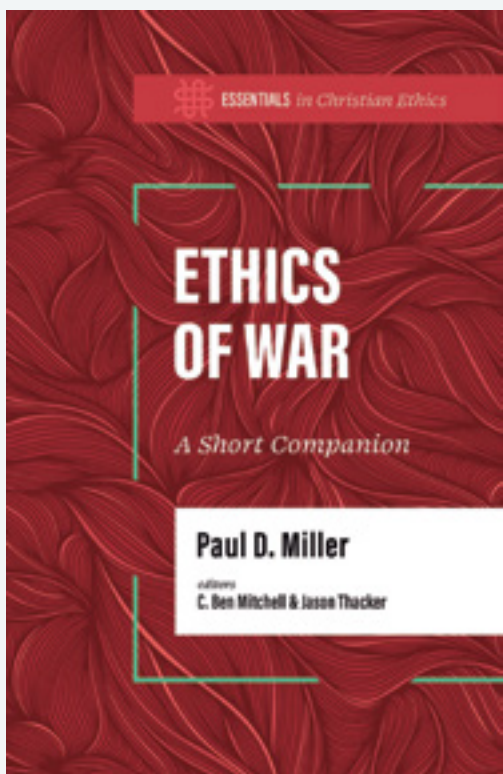
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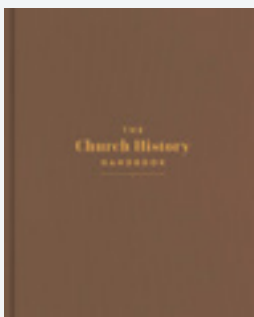
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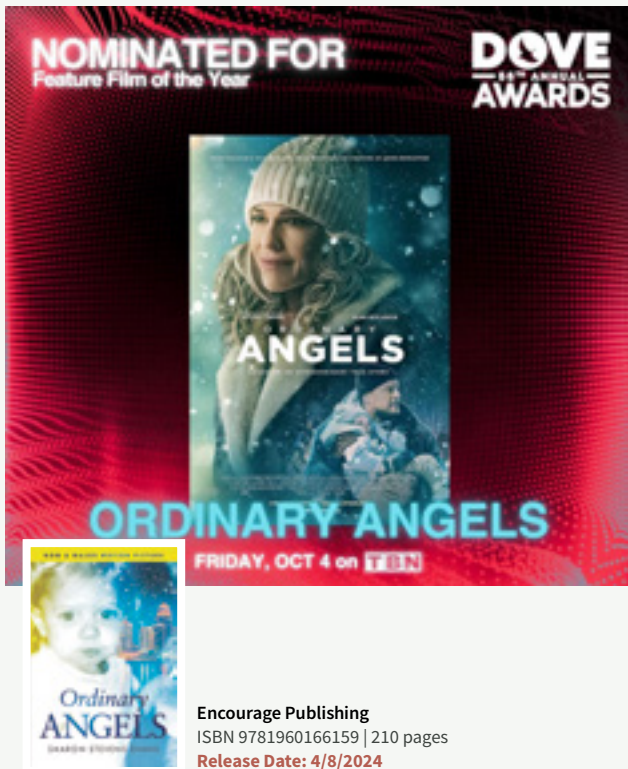
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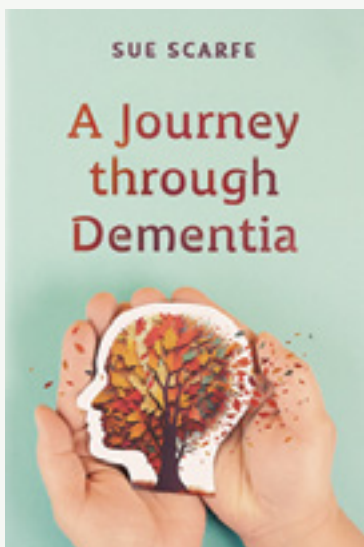
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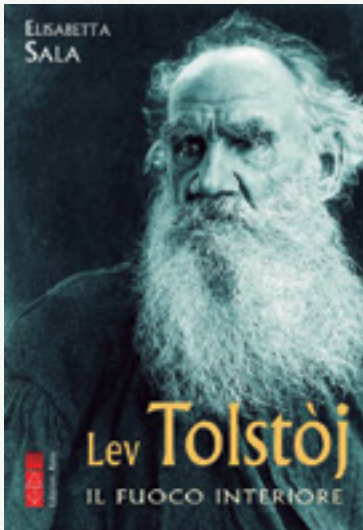
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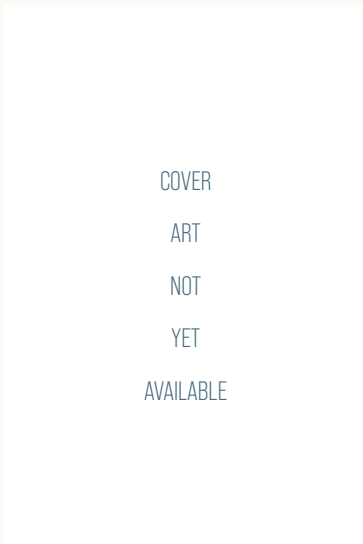
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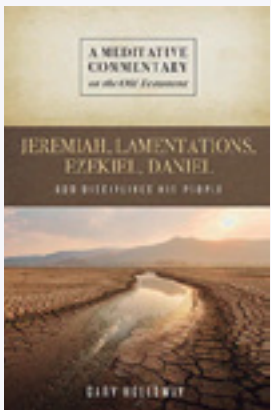
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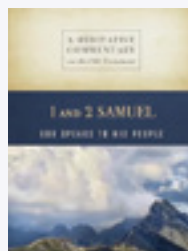
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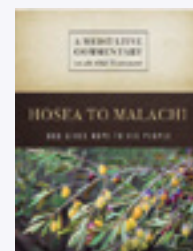
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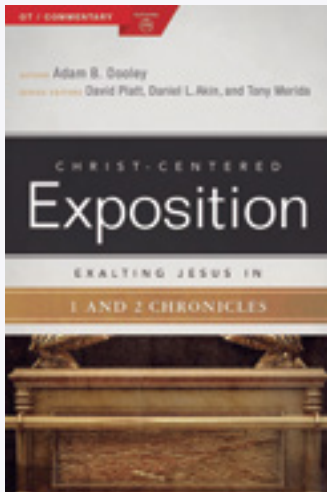
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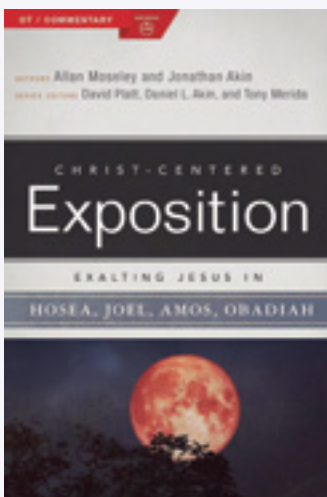


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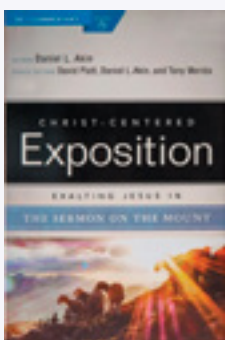
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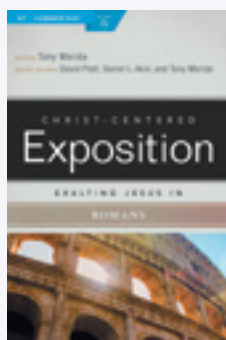
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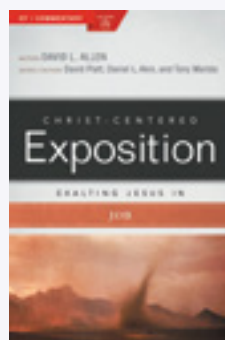
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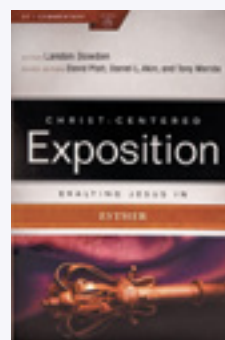
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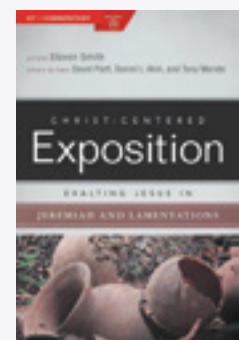
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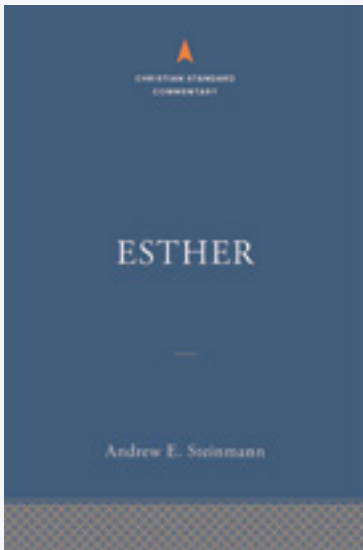
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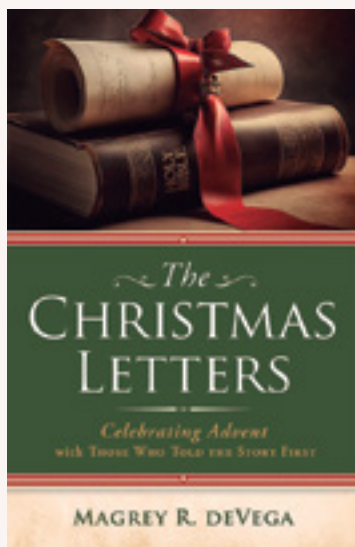
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## The Christmas Letters

Celebrating Advent with Those Who Told the Story First

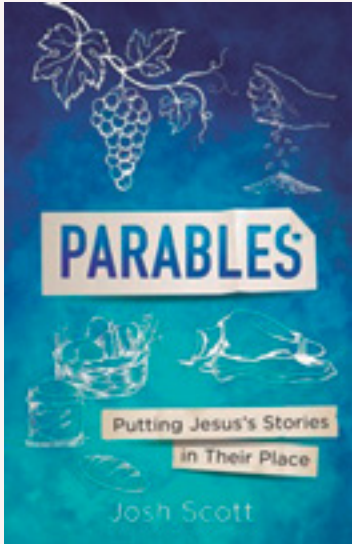
By Magrey deVega

You may or may not know the story of your birth. If you do, there is something special about hearing your origin story again and remembering how it all began for you. That's why we observe Advent: to celebrate how it all began for us. In *The Christmas Letters*, Magrey deVega invites you to hear about the miracle of Christ's birth from those who first told the story. The letters in the New Testament, known as the Epistles, contain the first attempts by the church to understand and celebrate the mystery of the Incarnation. They point us to the origins of what we believe about Jesus, fully human and fully divine. By spending time with these holy, ancient words this Advent, you'll come to know the meaning of Christ's coming like never before.

Components available to use this book in a small group study include a leader guide and video available on DVD.

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**MAGREY R. DEVEGA** is the Senior Pastor at Hyde Park United Methodist Church in Tampa, Florida. He is the author of ten books, including *Savior: What the Bible Says about the Cross*, *Hope for Hard Times: Lessons on Faith from Elijah and Elisha*, and *Embracing the Uncertain: A Lenten Study for Unsteady Times*. He is a graduate of United Theological Seminary in Dayton, Ohio, and Eckerd College in St. Petersburg, Florida



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Other components for the study include a leader guide and teaching video are available.

**JOSH SCOTT** has been a pastor for the last two decades. He currently serves as the Lead Pastor at GracePointe Church in Nashville. The focus of his work is reimagining, reframing, and reclaiming faith through a progressive Christian lens. His first book, *Bible Stories for Grownups*, released in April 2023. You can read his latest thoughts at [joshscott.online](http://joshscott.online).

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By Lisa Toney

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**LISA TONEY** is professor of spiritual formation at Hope International University. Her company, Faith Habits, provides classes, coaching, and media to encourage engagement with God. She has a degree in communications from Taylor University and an M. Div from Fuller Theological Seminary. She is the author of *Thrive: Live Like You Matter*, *The Scripture Challenge*, *The Wholehearted Psalms Devotion series*, and *Perfectly Flawed: God Transforms Our Weaknesses into Strengths*.

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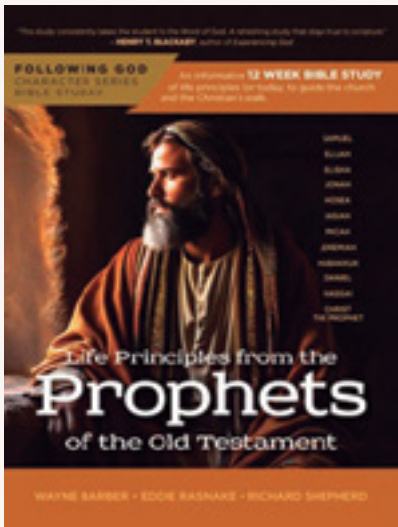
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**MIKE ELMS** has over 40 years' of experience in business, marketing, and advertising. An active Christian, Mike is Chair of Trustees at Christian Publishing & Outreach. Previously he has been Vice Chair at ChurchAds.Net, creators of the long-running 'Christmas Starts with Christ' advertising campaign. He has worked with several major Christian organizations, including MAF and TWR Radio, and has been an Anglican Churchwarden and a Baptist Deacon. **IVAN FILBY** has had a distinguished career in higher education. He has a Ph.D. in Management and a MA in Evangelism. He taught at The University of Dublin: Trinity College for sixteen years before moving to the USA to chair the Management Department at Greenville University. Ivan is an ordained minister in the Free Methodist Church.



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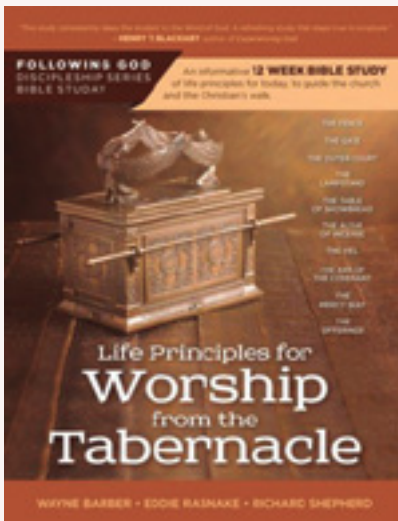
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## Life Principles from the Prophets of the Old Testament

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The fact that there were prophets points to God wanting to speak to us – then and now. The theme Following God is one that emphasizes the importance of building a relationship with God, living a life totally surrendered to Him and His leading. Examples are given of those who received blessing from a surrendered walk with God as well as those who did not follow Him and His direction. This Bible study is designed in an interactive format, incorporating scriptural points of interest. Other features include a look at the characters from an historical perspective, as well as interesting facts about the time when these characters lived.

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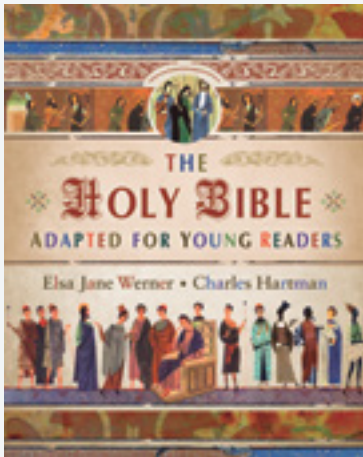
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Through the detailed study of the Tabernacle, you will learn that there is a right way and yet many wrong ways to worship our Creator. The purpose of this study is to invite readers to worship God in God's way through the "Object Lesson": of the Tabernacle, Jesus Christ.

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Together, **WAYNE, EDDIE,** and **RICHARD** are the founding authors of the Following God® Series. Collectively they are authors of half of the current titles in the series. They have all served or are currently still serving as pastors and leaders in their communities.



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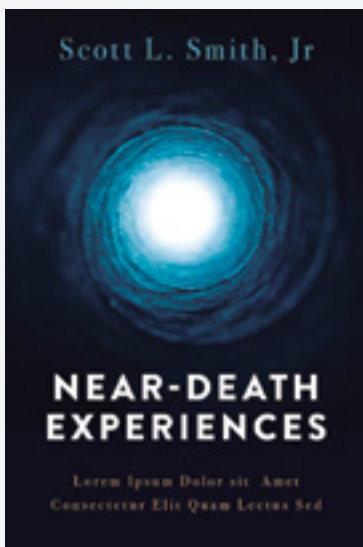
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By popular demand, here is a gift-edition reprint of this classic Bible that introduces young readers to the fascinating stories of both the Old and New Testaments. Featuring breathtaking full-color artwork and a readable translation, this collection is sure to draw children and adults alike into the awe-inspiring stories of Scripture and salvation history as never before.

This engaging volume combines two favorites: *A Catholic Child's Bible: The Old Testament* and *A Catholic Child's Bible: The New Testament*. The supplementary section titled "The Story of the Bible" offers an accessible overview of the books of Sacred Scripture and their meaning for you.

**ELSA JANE WERNER** (1915–2004) was one of the first editors for the original Golden Books series and wrote approximately 150 books in the series. In 1958, she was named Woman of the Year in Literature by the Los Angeles Times. Watson also taught continuing-education classes in creative writing and cultural geography.



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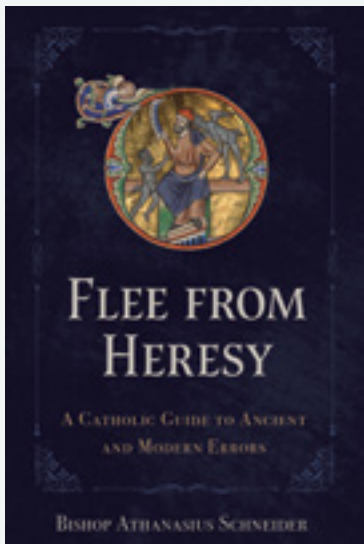
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**SCOTT L. SMITH JR.** is a Louisiana author, attorney, and father of six children. His other books include *The Catholic ManBook*, *The Lord of the Rings and the Eucharist*, *The Theology of Sci-Fi*, *Pray the Rosary with Saint John Paul II*, and a new translation of St. Louis de Montfort's *Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary*.



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## Flee from Heresy

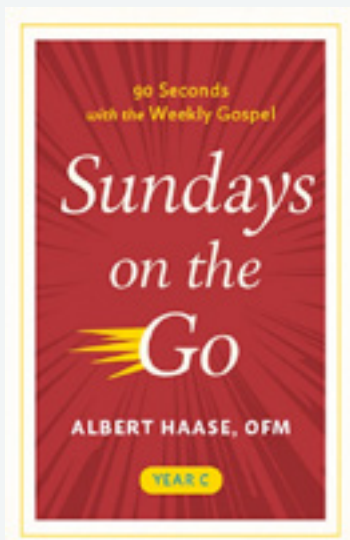
A Catholic Guide to Ancient and Modern Errors

By Bishop Athanasius Schneider

In *Flee from Heresy*, Bishop Athanasius Schneider — raised among persecuted Catholics in the Soviet Union — offers a systematic treatment of more than 130 doctrinal errors, from ancient times down to our own day, along with English translations of the Church's major anti-heresy documents of the past two centuries.

In this fascinating exposé, you will discover the ideological roots of our own unsteady times and be better equipped to “test all things; hold fast what is good” (1 Thess. 5:21). Combining theological precision, superb historical insight, and concrete principles for action today, *Flee from Heresy* is a timely and trustworthy guide to errors old and new.

**BISHOP ATHANASIUS SCHNEIDER** is one of the foremost defenders of Catholic orthodoxy today. He is a prolific author and serves as auxiliary bishop of the Archdiocese of St. Mary in Astana, Kazakhstan, Chairman of the Liturgical Commission, and Secretary General of the Conference of Catholic Bishops of Kazakhstan.



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By Albert Haase

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**ALBERT HAASE**, OFM, is a popular Franciscan preacher, teacher, spiritual director, and guest on talk radio shows. A former missionary to mainland China, he is the award-winning author of more than 15 books on popular spirituality, including *Catching Fire Becoming Flame*, and the presenter on five best-selling DVDs.



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## Freedom and Forgiveness

A Fresh Look at the Sacrament of Reconciliation

By Paul Farren

In *Confession* we are reconnected to the voice of God in our soul who whispers -- *Do not be afraid. I have redeemed you. I have called you by your name. You are mine. You are precious in my eyes. You are honored and I love you.* God's love transforms our lives and affects our relationships with others. Misplaced guilt and shame paralyze individuals, causing division, bitterness, and blame. *Freedom and Forgiveness* outlines God's true nature, explores spiritual graces, and promotes spiritual healing found in the sacrament of Reconciliation. This book aims to take the fear out of Confession and lead the reader into the tender and gentle embrace of the God where they can be free to confess their need for God and God's forgiveness.

**FR. PAUL FARREN**, a native of Ireland, was ordained a priest in 1997. He studied in St. Patrick's College, Maynooth, and The Catholic University of America in Washington DC. He is currently Administrator of St. Eugene's Cathedral and Long Tower Church, Templemore Parish, Diocesan Advisor in Post Primary Education, and Director of their Catechetical Centre.



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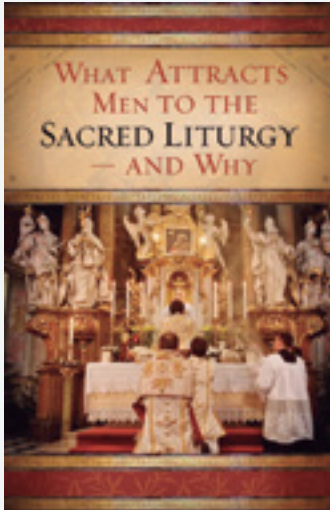
## Jesus, Take Care of It

*Gesù, Pensaci Tu* (Italian title)

by Grazia Ruotolo

Priest, exorcist, now a servant of God whose canonization is underway, Friar Dolindo was able to communicate with Heaven from a young age. His figure is linked to that of Padre Pio, with whom he was in spiritual contact; mystical phenomena such as nocturnal encounters with the devil and serene obedience to the authority of the Church. In 1965 he predicted, 13 years in advance, the election of John Paul II.

**GRAZIA RUOTOLO** is the niece of Don Dolindo Ruotolo, the custodian of his life, many of his writings, photo albums and personal items. **LUCIANO REGOLO** has written numerous books on history (such as the biography of Margherita di Savoia, the first queen of Italy) and spirituality.



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## What Attracts Men to the Sacred Liturgy – and Why

By Jesse Romero

Drawing from his background in law enforcement and spiritual warfare, Romero outlines why the traditional Latin Mass spoke to him in such a powerful way and transformed his spiritual life. He describes how the implementation of the new Mass – with its emotionalism and horizontal focus – led men in particular to lose the zeal of the saints, and how the manner in which they worship God is central to restoring that fervor.

Romero includes select essays from priests on the efficacy of traditional prayers, and firsthand testimonies from powerful Catholic men of today, including NFL kicker Harrison Butker, UFC Hall of Famer Bas Rutten, and Navy SEAL Charlie Aeschliman, who have found solace and purpose in the traditional liturgy.

**JESSE ROMERO** is a full time bilingual Catholic lay evangelist who is nationally recognized for his dynamic Christ-centered preaching. He is a retired Los Angeles deputy sheriff, three-time world police boxing champion and a two-time USA kickboxing champion. Jesse makes the sometimes-complex teachings of the Faith understandable with his straight-talk approach.



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## Playing With God

*Giocare con Dio (Italian title)*

By Albino Luciani, Msgr. Francesco Taffarel (editor) and Nicola Scopelliti (editor)

Papa Luciani loved to communicate the gospel starting from hints given by everyday life. He used to enrich his speeches with stories, aphorisms, mottos and anecdotes, in which emerged a sociable, sometimes excentric, personality, full of humanity and humor. Priest Taffarel, putting together this collection, had titled it Catechesis without mitre, to underline the method and style of pope Francis' evangelization.

The volume is now published edited by Nicola Scopelliti with the title Playing with God, because these pages express in Albino Luciani a childlike soul that joyfully and truthfully lives in the arms of a God who is truly our Good Father.

**ALBINO LUCIANI**, was elected to the Apostolic See on the 26 August 1978 taking the name of JohnPaul I. He was born on the 17 October 1912 at Forno di Canale, today Canale d'Agordo (Belluno), to Giovanni Luciani and Bortola Tancon. The eldest of four children he was baptised on the day of his birth. Having received from his mother the first teachings in the Christian doctrine, on the 26 September 1919 he was confirmed by Bishop Giosue Cattarossi at the Pieve di San Giovanni Battista.



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## They Say He is Risen

An Investigation into Jesus' Empty Tomb

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By Vittorio Messori

After *Hypotheses on Jesus* and the investigation into his Passion and Death in *Suffering under Pontius Pilate*, Vittorio Messori investigates the mystery of the Resurrection. With the clarity of a journalist, combined with the preparation of an expert, the author closes with this book the trilogy in which he demonstrates the historicity of the life and message of Jesus of Nazareth, while at the same time proposing an original key to interpretation, both modern and scientific, for reading and understanding the Gospels.



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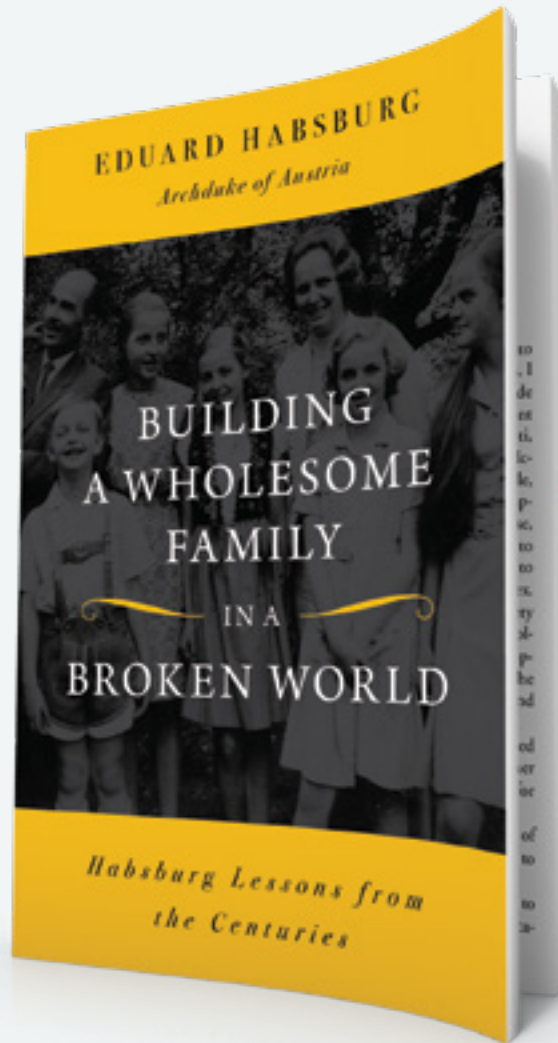
## He Suffered Under Pontius Pilot

*Pati sotto Ponzio Pilato* (Italian title)

by Vittorio Messori

This book continues to explore *Hypotheses About Jesus*, the text that has become a classic, distributed in Italy in more than a million copies and successfully translated into dozens of languages. In those Hypotheses, Vittorio Messori examines – with a simple but rigorous exposition – the historical truth of the Gospels. In *He Suffered under Pontius Pilate*, Messori's historical analysis focuses on the last (but decisive) part of Jesus' condemnation, passion, and death on the cross. The author is a believer, but his research is not guided by religious convictions, but by irrefutable documents and by the decipherment of every Gospel word.

VITTORIO MESSORI worked as a journalist for *La Stampa*, *Avvenire*, *Famiglia Cristiana* and *Corriere della Sera*. He was the first to write a book with John Paul II, *Crossing the Threshold of Hope* and with Joseph Ratzinger, future Pope Benedict XVI, *Report on the Faith*.

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## Building a Wholesome Family in a Broken World

Habsburg Lessons from the Centuries

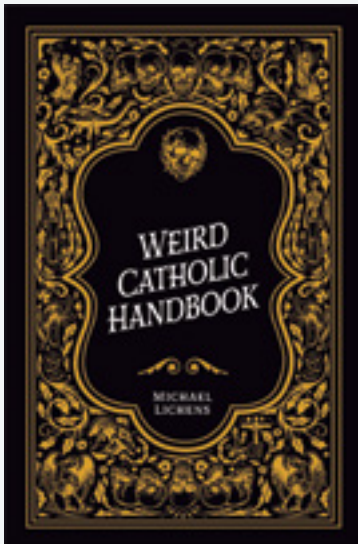
By Eduard Habsburg

How do the Habsburgs approach family life? In a world that has gone mad, building a wholesome family cradle is daunting and often seems impossible. At the same time, many dare to dream of happiness in family life even today. How can you find the right spouse – and make a lifelong marriage work – in a culture that values transaction over commitment? How do you decide on core values and pass them on to your children? What are some practical ways to raise a family in the Faith?

Let Archduke Eduard Habsburg guide you on the ultimate adventure of building a family. As a father of six and now a grandfather, the Archduke of Austria shares his own experiences and recipes for a wholesome family life, bolstered by 850 years of Habsburg family history.

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**EDUARD HABSBERG** is Hungary's ambassador to the Holy See and the Sovereign Order of Malta. His family reigned in Austria, Hungary, Germany, Spain (and quite a few other places). Also known as Archduke Eduard of Austria, he is a diplomat and social media personality.



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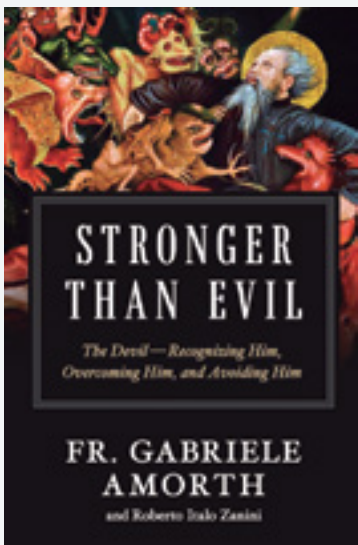
## Weird Catholic Handbook

By Michael J. Lichens

*Weird Catholic Handbook* is not just a collection of odd stories; it is an invitation to see the profound truths and spiritual lessons embedded in the peculiar. Each chapter sheds light on how these unusual elements of faith have inspired devotion, art, and a deeper understanding of the divine.

Whether you're a devout Catholic, a curious skeptic, or someone who loves a good story, this book offers something for everyone. Discover how the oddities of the past can inspire and enrich your faith today.

**MICHAEL J. LICHENS** is a professional editor for decades now and have had the joy of editing articles, nonfiction manuscripts, memoirs, short stories, and scripts. He's also an author who has been featured on national and international media, especially when it comes to things like the paranormal.



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## Stronger Than Evil

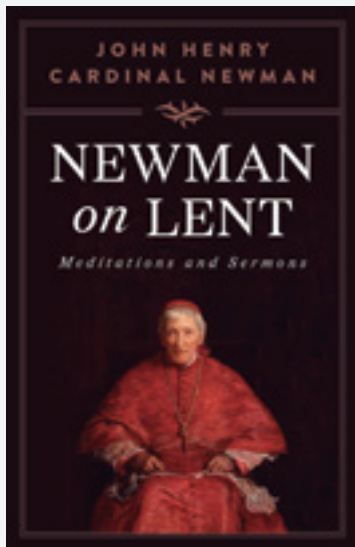
The Devil – Recognizing Him, Overcoming Him, and Avoiding Him

By Fr. Gabriele Amorth

In this fresh work, Fr. Amorth conveys a hopeful message about the supreme power of God over Satan and his minions. *Stronger Than Evil* draws from Fr. Amorth's exorcism ministry, affirming that the power over demons lies in Jesus Christ Himself.

While recognizing the real threat of the diabolical, especially in a society that has rejected God, Fr. Amorth does not fall into the pit of despair. He leaves readers with a hopeful message: that grace is the decisive defense against our spiritual enemy. Here, Fr. Amorth personally testifies to the miraculous intervention of the saints, Our Lady, and the Holy Trinity in spiritual warfare, assuring readers that God is always in control. God keeps His promise to deliver us from evil.

When **FR. GABRIELE AMORTH** passed away on September 16, 2016, at the age of ninety, he had given everything to Christ and His Church. He performed as many as twelve exorcisms in a day. He faithfully served sixty-nine years in the Pauline religious order, sixty-two as a priest, and thirty years as the pope's exorcist.



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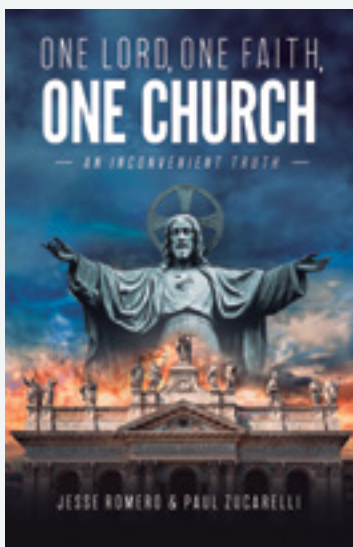
## Newman on Lent

Meditations and Sermons

By St. John Henry Newman

This powerful collection of John Henry Newman's sermons on Lent weave beautiful, powerful gems from Scripture with the Cardinal's own insights into the human heart. This masterpiece of prose and preaching will surely lead you to enter into the heart of Jesus from Ash Wednesday to Easter.

**ST. JOHN HENRY NEWMAN** was born in London on 21st February 1801. When studying the history of the early Church Fathers, Newman was perturbed to discover that the doctrinal position of the Anglican Church in his own day bore a close resemblance to some of the heretical currents that had emerged in the theological controversies of the early centuries. He withdrew from Oxford in order to think and pray. For three years he lived a quasi-monastic life, praying for guidance. By 1845 his mind was clear, and on 9th October that year he was received into the Roman Catholic Church by Father (now Blessed) Dominic Barberi.



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## One Lord, One Faith, One Church

An Inconvenient Truth

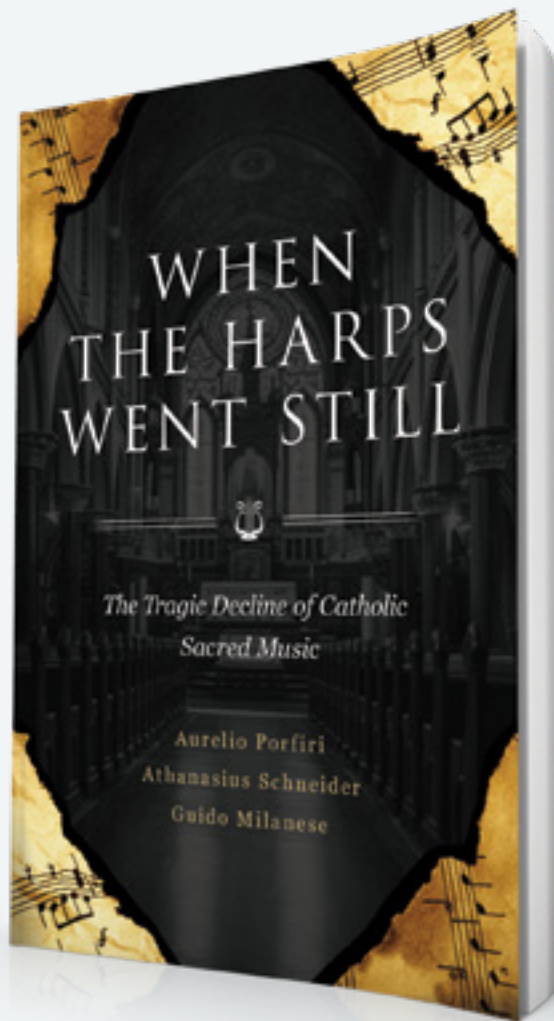
By Jesse Romero, Paul Zucarelli

This book will take you on a fact-based journey from the earliest days of Christianity to now. Wherever your personal faith and belief system currently reside, this book will test that faith and challenge you to believe in the real Jesus, the Jesus of the Gospels, and embrace the fullness of the truth found in the one Church that He established.

You will learn about the historical origins of the Church, early Church leaders, significant places in Church history, where the tenets of the Nicene Creed come from, and how the books of the Bible were selected. How firm is the foundation upon which your faith is built? Test yourself – and test your faith – by reading this book!

**JESSE ROMERO** is a full time bilingual Catholic lay evangelist who is nationally recognized for his dynamic Christ-centered preaching. He makes the sometimes-complex teachings of the Faith understandable with his straight-talk approach.

**PAUL ZUCARELLI** was a successful businessman who died unexpectedly on Pentecost in 2017. Through the faith of his family and intercessory prayer with Bishop Thomas Olmsted of Phoenix, Paul received a miraculous healing that defies medical science. During his near-death experience, he was given a private revelation of the presence of God and went on to become a nationally recognized Catholic speaker and evangelist.



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## When the Harps Went Still

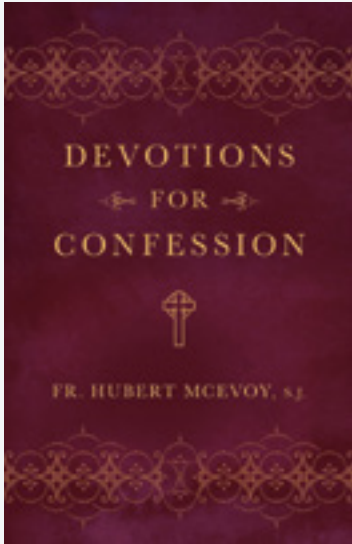
The Tragic Decline of Catholic Sacred Music

By Aurelio Porfiri, Athanasius Schneider and Guido Milanese

*When the Harps Went Still* is a compelling exploration of the crisis facing Catholic sacred music today. This deeply insightful book uncovers the hidden tragedy of how sacred music, once the cornerstone of Catholic worship, has been diminished in modern liturgical practice. From the soaring melodies of Gregorian chant to the intricate harmonies of Renaissance polyphony, the authors trace the rich heritage of sacred music that has shaped the spiritual landscape of the Catholic Church. They argue passionately for the revival of these timeless traditions, highlighting how sacred music not only enhances the liturgy but also serves as a powerful medium for worship and a profound expression of faith.

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**AURELIO PORFIRI** is a renowned composer and conductor, dedicated to the promotion and preservation of sacred music within the Catholic tradition. **ATHANASIOS SCHNEIDER** is a bishop known for his theological insights and commitment to traditional Catholic practices. **GUIDO MILANESE** is a respected scholar with a deep understanding of the historical and cultural contexts of sacred music.



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## Devotions for Confession

By Fr Hubert McEvoy

Although frequent Confession is meritorious, one can easily become complacent and fall into a routine that diminishes sorrow for sins. This classic compendium provides preparations and thanksgivings to guide you step-by-step through the Confession process to help you develop a firm resolution, make reparation for sins, and become more disposed to receive God's grace.

The preparations and thanksgivings in these pages reveal the many benefits that the practice of frequent Confession provides besides the forgiveness of sins. Fr. McEvoy offers an atmosphere of freshness for each Confession by focusing our attention on themes associated with the rich and varied graces of this powerful sacrament. He explores topics ranging from self-knowledge, compunction, and penance to gratitude, forgiving others, and developing specific virtues.

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**FR. HUBERT MCEVOY, S.J.** (1899–1973), was an English priest. His books include *The Sacrifice We Offer*, *Priestly Prayers*, *Devotions for Holy Communion*, *In Time of Sickness*, *A Book of Family Prayers*, *Children and Priest at Mass*, *Peace Be with You*, *Prayers from Psalms with other Prayers from Scripture*, *Work and Worship: Daily Reading and Prayers*, and *New Every Moment*.



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## The Postmodern Predicament

And a Roadmap for Recovery and Restoration

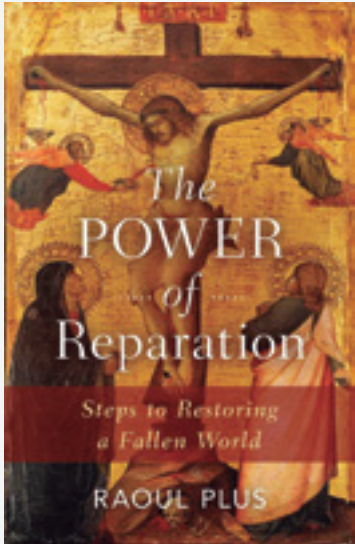
By Bobby Angel

In these engaging pages, Bobby Angel reveals how and why your life has meaning. Drawing from major thinkers from ancient to modern times, personal stories, historical lessons, and popular movies, he assists the layperson in absorbing vital philosophical concepts in an easily digestible way.

As you learn to examine how your thinking defines you, you will awaken from the widespread postmodern slumber in which we collectively find ourselves and learn to navigate life boldly in our strange world. By sharing his unique perspective, Angel aims to revive the joy of contemplating the good, the true, and the beautiful with Christ as the prism.

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**BOBBY ANGEL** is an author, speaker, and personal mentor trained by the Catholic Psych Institute. He taught theology and philosophy while also serving as a high school minister for almost a decade. Bobby has authored *Gaming and the Heroic Life* and co-authored *Pray, Decide, and Don't Worry* alongside his wife and Fr. Mike Schmitz.



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## The Power of Reparation Steps to Restoring a Fallen World

By Fr. Raoul Plus, S.J.

The great Jesuit Fr. Raoul Plus lived and wrote in an era of immense suffering -- war, early death, religious indifference -- that coexisted, not surprisingly, with robust Catholic faith and practice. He called for spiritual maturity before greater scientific advancements.

In this spiritual masterpiece, Fr. Plus explains every facet of reparation for individual penitents and offers simple, practical ways you can help repair what is falling into ruins in our Church and in our world. You will find inspiring answers to all the key questions about reparation.

**FR. RAOUL PLUS** S.J. (1882-1958), wrote more than forty books to help Christians understand God's love for the soul. His works stress the vital role of prayer in the spiritual life and show how you can live the truths of the Faith. A native of France, Fr. Plus studied abroad because of the 1901 laws against religious orders.



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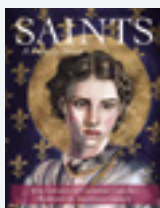
## LIVING LIBRARY SERIES The Story of a Soul

A New Translation

By St. Thérèse of Lisieux and Robert J. Edmonson, CJ

This popular translation of *The Story of a Soul* includes every word of the original text, retaining the charm of the landmark autobiography of St. Thérèse of Lisieux. This accessible and engaging translation by Robert Edmonson captures the vibrant spirit of the young woman who desired nothing more than to be a humble flower that would gladden God's eyes.

**ST. THÉRÈSE OF LISIEUX** was declared a Doctor of the Church in 1997 by Pope Saint John Paul II. Her autobiography, *The Story of a Soul*, has sold millions of copies in many languages all over the world. **ROBERT J. EDMONSON, CJ**, holds a certificate in French from the University of Montpellier (France) and degrees in French from the University of Miami and Middlebury College. His translations—including one of the world's best-selling English-language editions of *The Story of a Soul*—have sold 100,000 copies.



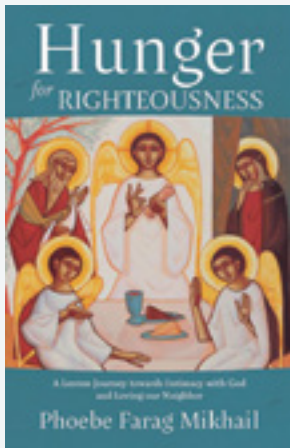
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 A Family Story  
 By John Cavadini and Catherine Cavadini;  
 Illustrated by Anastassia Cassidy



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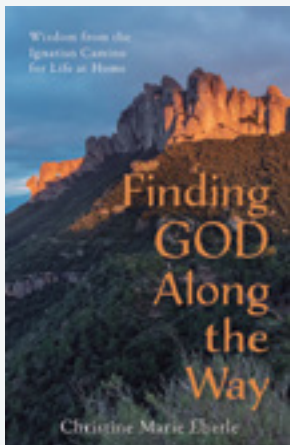
## Hunger for Righteousness

A Lenten Journey towards Intimacy with God and Loving

By Phoebe Farag Mikhail

How do we hunger for righteousness? Readers are given a fresh opportunity to reconsider the words of scripture and liturgy from a modern perspective as they explore the familiar traditions and practices of Lent, Holy Week, and Easter. Farag Mikhail presents stories of modern and ancient Christian heroes – some familiar, others less well-known – who come alive in a contemporary and relatable way, as readers prepare for, and participate in the spiritual practices of Lent.

**PHOEBE FARAG MIKHAIL** is a writer, speaker, educator, activist and lifelong learner of theology. Her first book is *Putting Joy into Practice: Seven Ways to Lift Your Spirit from the Early Church*. She has also contributed to the anthology *Darkness is as Light*, and her writing has appeared in *Plough, Faith & Leadership, Christianity Today, Faithfully, and Sojourners*, among other publications.



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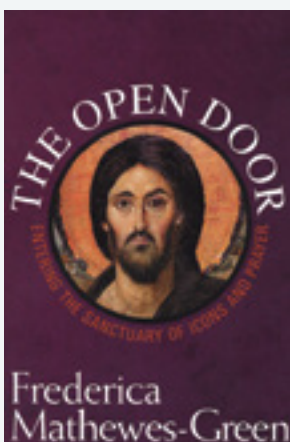
Wisdom from the Ignatian Camino for Life at Home

By Christine Marie Eberle

After spending 300 miles on the Ignatian Camino in Spain with a group whose average age was 67, Christine returned to the United States with blisters that would fade, friendships that would not, and the conviction that anyone can develop a pilgrim's heart on this life's journey.

This moving and often humorous account of one woman's pilgrimage encourages readers to reimagine their own life's path. Follow Christine as she joins a group in the autumn of life along the 500-year-old pilgrimage route of St. Ignatius Loyola. Traversing mountains, deserts, vineyards, and shrines, witness the hard lessons that pave the way for spiritual transformation.

**CHRISTINE MARIE EBERLE** is the author of two books of daily meditations based on true stories: *Finding God in Ordinary Time* and *Finding God Abiding*, pondering the delights and challenges of faith in a voice that is warm, accessible, and surprisingly funny.



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## The Open Door

Entering the Sanctuary of Icons and Prayer

By Frederica Mathewes-Green

Encounter twelve of the world's most significant Orthodox icons with one of today's best-loved spiritual writers as your guide.

*"The Open Door* provides an open window into a radically different approach to spiritual formation, one that is more ancient/Eastern than modern/Western, one that feels refreshingly new as well as seasoned, rich, and time-tested." – Brian McLaren, author of *Everything Must Change* and *A Generous Orthodoxy*.

**FREDERICA MATHEWES-GREEN** writes mostly about the Eastern Orthodox Church. A widely published author of 10 books and hundreds of essays in such diverse publications as the *Washington Post, Smithsonian*, and the *Wall Street Journal*, she has been a regular commentator for NPR's *Morning Edition* and *All Things Considered, Los Angeles Times Book Review*.

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## Your Family Is God's Plan

His Mercy from Generation to Generation

By Ray Ortlund, Jani Ortlund

In this colorful picture book, you'll visit modern-day families of all shapes and sizes along with families from the Bible. Along the way, you'll see that families have always been a part of God's plan! From the beginning, He has used them to do amazing things, and He can do the same with your family today.

Whether a family is big or small, near or far, God is there, working His plan from one generation to another. And each child is an important part! This celebration of families will encourage you to keep saying "Yes!" to God and to watch His mercy reach your special family for generations to come.

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**RAY AND JANI ORTLUND** love reading books with their grandchildren. After more than fifty years of marriage, with four married children and fifteen grandchildren, the Ortlunds delight in family life more and more. They serve Christ through Renewal Ministries.



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## Fritz and the Midnight Meetup

A True Story About Kids Who Prayed

By Megan Hill

It's midnight at the orphanage, and a group of children are sneaking into the kitchen to pray together. *Would anyone else come too?* they wonder. Night after night, more children join the fireside prayer meeting. But a bully named Fritz threatens to disrupt the group. When he sneaks down to scare the other children, will Fritz be the one who is surprised?

In this heartwarming story, readers will share the excitement as the boys and girls creep down the dark stairs, and they will feel the tension of the bully's threats. But most of all they will discover the difference children can make when they pray together. Based on a true story from a German orphanage in 1860, *Fritz and the Midnight Meetup* celebrates the blessing of corporate prayer – and how children play a valuable part.

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**MEGAN HILL** likes cozy fires, warm cookies, and soft blankets. When she was a little girl, she asked her dad if she could go with him to the church prayer meeting, and she's been going ever since. While her children are at school, she writes books for adults and kids, and she serves as the managing editor for The Gospel Coalition.



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## God Is Great, God Is Good

By D. Scott Hildreth

It's dinnertime, and Hunter is ready to thank God for his meal. But then he begins to wonder, *What do all these words in the prayer really mean? "God is good", but so is ice cream. "God is great", but so is baseball. And is God great even when the game is rained out?* Hunter has a lot of curious questions about prayer, but thankfully he shares how his parents have wisely answered them all. Young readers can learn along with him and discover that Hunter's conversation offers more than expected.

After meeting Hunter, readers will close the book knowing that God is always good and always great. And they'll be reminded that they can always send Him prayers of thankfulness

**D. SCOTT HILDRETH** teaches missions and evangelism at Southeastern Seminary. He is a regular contributor to Lifeway Research, and has written several books, including *Together on God's Mission, Sharing Jesus Without Freaking Out*, and *Serving Jesus Without Burning Out*. Scott has a BA and MA from the University of Mobile and a PhD from Southeastern Seminary.



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TODDLER THEOLOGY SERIES

## How Big Is Grace?

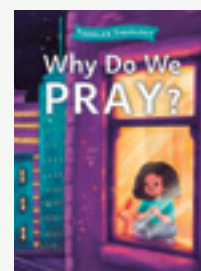
A Toddler Theology Book About Salvation

By Lauren Groves

It's never too early to help kids learn about the undeserved grace God gives to followers of Jesus. This book from the Toddler Theology series teaches kids to answer basic questions about sin, forgiveness, and grace. Kids will learn that although no one deserves God's forgiveness, God made a way for anyone who believes in Jesus to receive it. Because of sin, our relationships with God are broken. But because of God's BIG grace, those relationships can be healed.

**LAUREN GROVES** is an acquisitions editor for B&H Kids, and she is passionate about helping kids, teens, and women know God more without needing a degree in theology or a decades-long church background. Lauren authored *New Year, New You*, a 365-day devotional teaching teens to pray through the Bible, and the board book series, Toddler Theology.

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## Spring Sings

By Ellie Holcomb

Spring's song is coming again, and award-winning recording artist Ellie Holcomb knows that we're all invited to sing along! Her lyrical words encourage young readers to watch as the world slowly wakes – from the trees and flowers to the birds and bunnies – and to know that the new life of spring also retells the story of God's Son.

Along with this board book, Ellie will release companion children's music. Her joyous celebration encourages young readers to delight in God's gift of springtime and to realize that each bird and bloom is a reminder that His love can make all things new.

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**ELLIE HOLCOMB** is an award-winning singer-songwriter. In 2014, she began writing Scripture into song with albums – *As Sure as the Sun*, *Red Sea Road*, and *Canyon* – and now shares her voice in print with the *Fighting Words Devotional*. She has created a new generation of fans with her children's books, *Who Sang the First Song?*, *Don't Forget to Remember*, and *Sounding Joy*.



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## When Our New Baby Comes

The Wonderful Gift of a Sibling

By Aubrey Coleman

Parents can use this gorgeous book to tell their kids that a new baby is on the way, answer important questions, leave space for a child's concerns, and cultivate excitement in the family. A new baby joining the family means a big transition is on the horizon for older sisters and brothers. But God planned to bring this baby into the family all along!

*When Our New Baby Comes* is equal parts fun, helpful, and God-honoring and is the perfect resource for parents who are preparing their kids to become big sisters and brothers. Hsulynn Pang's beautiful art helps a child envision what it will be like to welcome a new baby into his or her home.

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**AUBREY COLEMAN** writes with a deep love for God's Word and a desire to share the heartchanging truth of the gospel. She authored Daily Grace Co. Bible Studies like *Emotions of the Heart*, *Stand Firm*, *More than Anything*, and many others. You can find her writing at The Gospel Coalition, *The Joyful Life Magazine*, and *Risen Motherhood*.



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BIBLE VERSES TO REMEMBER SERIES

**The Best News of All**

By Sally Michael (Author), Sengsavane Chounramany (Illustrator)

The birth of Jesus is truly the best news of all. The angel's good news of the arrival of the Savior told to the shepherds long ago is still good news for us all today. It's the reason why we celebrate Christmas each year! In *The Best News of All*, Sally Michael helps parents to instruct the mind and engage the heart of their children as they learn Scripture. Each page shows pictures and asks questions to engage preschoolers in understanding the verse. Repetition of the verse throughout the book, helps children memorize the Bible verse after just a few readings. Also included are pointers for helping children memorize and suggestions for activities that will reinforce "Living by the Word."



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**A Wonderful Surprise**

An Easter Verse to Remember

By Sally Michael (Author), Sengsavane Chounramany (Illustrator)

*A Wonderful Surprise* helps preschoolers learn that Jesus is the King of everyone and everything and helps them memorize Luke 19:38: "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord!"

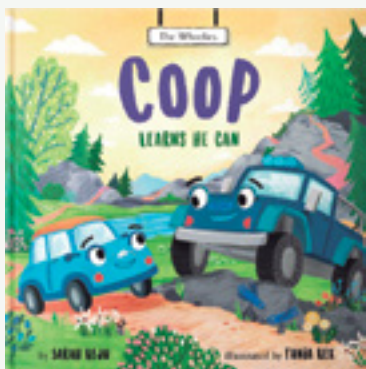
When Jesus entered Jerusalem, the crowds shouted, "Hosanna!" and "Blessed is the King!" Just a few days after they had yelled, "Hosanna!" the people shouted, "Crucify him!" On the third day after Jesus died, everyone received a big surprise – Jesus was alive!

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**SALLY MICHAEL** is a cofounder of Truth78 and has authored curricula and books marked by a passion for developing God-centered resources for the spiritual development of children. **SENGSAVANE "SAVANE" CHOUNRAMANY** was born into a Lao-Hungarian family, has lived in many countries, and is now settled in Argentina. She is fond of saying she was born with a pencil in her hand.

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### THE WHEELIES SERIES

## Coop Learns He Can

By Sarah Reju (Author), Tania Rex (Illustrator)

Coop dreams of doing big, important things like his older siblings do. He is excited to go off-roading with Joy, a Jeep, but as a MINI Cooper, he can't keep up. Coop becomes sad that he isn't built to climb rocks and fling mud like his sister and wonders if the Bible verse they had been memorizing about being fearfully and wonderfully made applies to him. When Joy gets stuck and needs her brother's speed and agility to rescue her, Coop realizes that God did give him special talents of his own.

The third book in The Wheelies series, written by Sarah Reju and illustrated by Tania Rex, *Coop Learns He Can* will show children ages 3-8 that God made each person unique and special with their own purpose.

**SARAH REJU**, MDiv, is a pastor's wife and mother. She is the author of *Jesus Saves*, *God Is Better Than Trucks*, *God Is Better Than Princesses*, and The Wheelies series. **TANIA REX** was born and raised in Vilnius, Lithuania. She draws inspiration from little everyday miracles, aiming to point the audience's attention to the ever-present magic of real life.



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### BIG TRUTHS FOR LITTLE MINDS SERIES

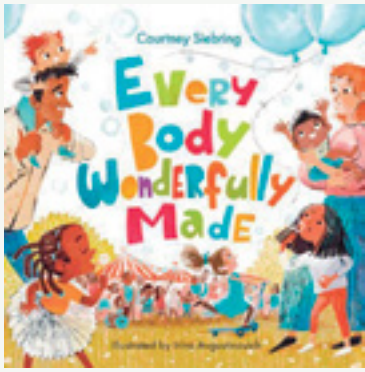
## My First 123 Book of Bible Numbers

By Jonathan Gibson (Author), Michael Mullan (Illustrator)

Parents, grandparents, and caregivers will love to use this book to teach the littlest ones Bible numbers in a fun, easy-to-remember way. By committing these big truths to their little hearts and minds, toddlers and preschoolers will be able to ground their young faith in God's Word, which will guide them in the years to come. Children will learn about the writers of the Gospels, the days of creation, the fruit of the Spirit, and more.

*My First 123 Book of Bible Numbers* is the second book in the Big Truths for Little Minds series, which introduces children ages 3-5 to basic concepts of the Christian faith.

**JONATHAN GIBSON**, PhD, is ordained in the International Presbyterian Church (UK) and serves as Associate Professor of Old Testament, Westminster Theological Seminary, Philadelphia. He is the author of *The Moon Is Always Round* and coauthor of the *Acrostic Theology for Kids* series. **MICHAEL MULLAN** is an artist and illustrator specializing in bold design, hand lettering, and whimsical maps. He studied graphic design and earned an MFA in illustration at the Savannah College of Art and Design.



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## Every Body Wonderfully Made

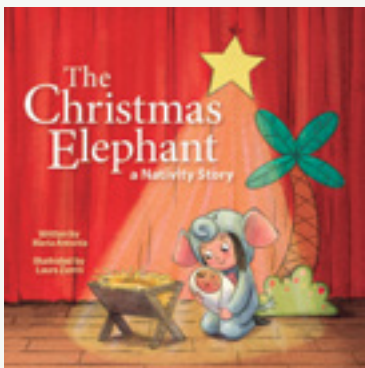
God's Good Plan for Boys and Girls

By Courtney Siebring (Author), Irina Avgustinovich (Illustrator)

Motivated by Psalm 139, this book tells of the incredible delight that each human is lovingly crafted by God, fearfully and wonderfully made. Through imaginative illustrations, lovable characters, and playful language, children can celebrate the wonderful miracle of their bodies. *Every Body Wonderfully Made* speaks directly to each child about their worth, purpose, and uniqueness in the eyes of the Creator. Every child has amazing opportunities to experience life, creation, beauty, and love. *Every Body Wonderfully Made* encourages children ages 3 to 10 in their identity – boy or girl – from a biblical point of view.

**COURTNEY SIEBRING** is a creative artist currently living in Colorado Springs. Her devotion to Christ, background in theatre making, current work as a voiceover artist, and longtime practice of writing poetry informs the way she sees and interacts with the world. **IRINA AVGUSTINOVICH** is originally from Belarus, and currently based in Portugal. After receiving her bachelor's degree in classical painting and ceramics, Irina found her calling in children's illustration.

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## The Christmas Elephant

A Nativity Story

By Maria Antonia (Author), Laura Zarrin (Illustrator)

Ellie thinks outside the box. She stands her ground and remains in her elephant costume even when her older sister – and director of this year's Christmas play – demands she change into a sheep costume. The theme of standing up for your own uniqueness sends a subtle message to children that they can fit in anywhere if they persevere and don't give in to peer pressure. Ellie's approach to standing her ground is entertaining and empowering. There is also a teaching moment for the bossy sister who comes to see that everything doesn't have to work out the way she planned in order to be wonderful. *The Christmas Elephant* is an ideal addition for family, preschool, elementary school, and community library Christmas picture book collections.

**MARIA ANTONIA** has plenty of experience with the Annual Sunday School Christmas Play – sometimes performing, sometimes writing, sometimes directing. She is currently the Sunday School Superintendent at her church and has formerly taught at a Christian school in New York City. **LAURA ZARRIN** is the illustrator of the Wallace and Grace series by Heather Alexander and the Katie Woo's Neighborhood series by Fran Manushkin. Laura has illustrated over 30 books for children including board books, picture books, and chapter books, Highlights Hidden Pictures, and various educational projects.

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#### CIRCLE OF WONDER SERIES

### Rise

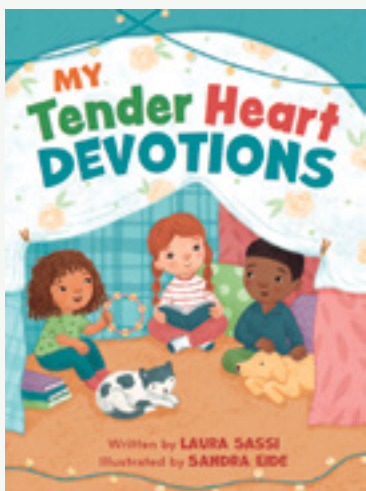
A Child's Guide to Eastertide

By Laura Alary (Author), Giuliano Ferri (Illustrator)

*Rise: A Child's Guide to Eastertide* follows a child through the fifty days of Easter, as she shares in family and community celebrations, hears stories of the Risen Jesus, notices how the world around her is coming alive again, and ponders how growth and new beginnings are part of her own life. *Rise* is the fourth book in the "Circle of Wonder: Liturgical Year Resource Set".

Out of this wondering comes a new way of seeing. Easter is not just about what happened to Jesus long ago. It is about change and transformation here and now. When we let go of things – even our own mistakes; when we look for Jesus and find him in new places; when we fall and get up again; when we share a feast; when we love – that is Easter.

**LAURA ALARY** delights in writing stories that make us bigger on the inside. Among her many books are *Make Room: A Child's Guide to Lent and Easter*, *Look! A Child's Guide to Advent and Christmas*, and *Breathe: A Child's Guide to Ascension, Pentecost, and the Growing Time*. She has degrees in Classics (B.A., Dalhousie), Theology (M.Div., Knox College, University of Toronto) and New Testament (Ph.D., University of St. Michael's College). **GIULIANO FERRI** is an artist, animator, and award-winning illustrator of many children's books. His work has been exhibited in museums around the world



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#### MY TENDER HEART SERIES

### My Tender Heart Devotions

By Laura Sassi (Author), Sandra Eide (Illustrator)

*My Tender Heart Devotions* offers 52 age-appropriate meditations for toddlers and preschoolers, including Bible verses and prayer.

With short and sweet, well-written text and whimsical illustrations, this devotional will become a beloved part of any morning or bedtime routine. Beginner readers will enjoy using items from around home or thinking about daily activities when it comes to God's Word. Simple yet uplifting Biblical application shines through every "Heart Moment" for parents or other caregivers to share and ponder. Scripture references for further reading are noted throughout and encourage regular Bible reading. With a note from the author and tips on how to help young readers begin daily devotions, every household or classroom will learn and grow in their relationship with God while using *My Tender Heart Devotions*.

**LAURA SASSI'S** books with Paraclete Press include *Happy Birthday*, *Christmas Child*, *My Tender Heart Bible*, *My Tender Heart Prayer Book* and *My Tender Heart Devotions*, coming in 2024. **SANDRA EIDE** works with a mixture of real watercolors, textures, and digital mediums to create her illustrations. Her art is influenced by nature, culture, and the importance of showing all kinds of people in her work.



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## Paws-itive Inspirations

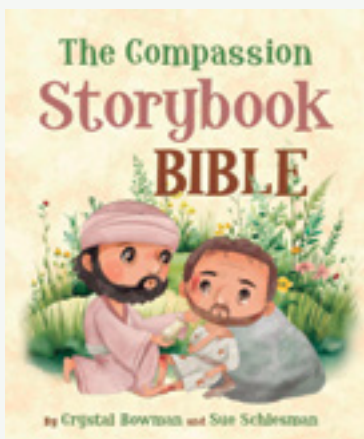
90 Devotions for Kids and Dog Lovers

By Michelle Medlock Adams (Author), Wendy Hinote Lanier (Author)

*Can Dogs Really Teach Us More About God?* Award-winning authors Michelle Medlock Adams and Wendy Hinote Lanier say yes! That's why they've teamed up to offer *Paws-itive Inspirations* – a great way to help dog lovers connect with God and learn more about their favorite breeds.

*Paws-itive Inspirations* will have kids and adults alike digging up treasures about their favorite pups, discovering new breeds, and learning important biblical truths in every devotion. Each Fido-themed entry encourages readers to dig deeper into God's Word as they uncover fascinating facts about our canine friends.

**MICHELLE MEDLOCK ADAMS** is an award-winning author of over 100 books with close to four million books sold, including her best-selling What Is...? board book series. **WENDY HINOTE LANIER** is a former elementary teacher who writes and speaks for children and adults on a variety of topics and is an award-winning author of more than 50 books for children.



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## The Compassion Storybook Bible

By Crystal Bowman, Sue Schlesman

*When we become more like Jesus, we have compassion for others.*

This is the heart and soul of the Compassion Storybook Bible. This book will walk young readers through some of the most well-known stories in the Bible.

Readers will engage with accessible prose about people such as Daniel, Esther, and of course, Jesus – learning that the ultimate story is God's love for us, written throughout the pages of the Bible. For the best primer to introduce your young one to the Bible, dive into these pages and read along with them.

**CRYSTAL BOWMAN** is a former preschool teacher, award-winning author, national speaker, and Mentor for MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers). She has written more than 100 books for children, three books for women, numerous magazine articles, and Bible study materials. **SUE SCHLESMAN** is an award-winning author, speaker, blogger, and freelance writer. Her material appears in a variety of print, online, radio, and podcast mediums.



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## Where I Belong

By Staci Holland Pealock (author) and Janet Samuel (illustrator)

Sandy's heart is her most valuable treasure. She is on a journey trying to find a place for her heart to belong. During several attempts to find a permanent home, her heart only gets dirty and damaged. After an encounter with Jesus everything changes for Sandy. She celebrates and declares this is *Where I Belong!*

**STACI HOLLAND PEALOCK** is a licensed minister and the founder and Director of LAMBS ministry. This ministry hosts a audio blog called "Your Heart Matters". They have a traveling conference team that presents the "Mission Himpossible Women's Conference ". The ministry recently opened LAMBS Ministry Women's Resource Centre, a gathering place for women from all different walks of life to come and get "Spiritually Fit!" Staci has published two books, *Back Porch Blessings* and *Where I Belong*. Staci is known for her quick wit and her "Staci-isms", one of them being: "God is LARGE and in CHARGE!" **JANET SAMUEL** is an illustrator living in a small town in the south of Wales with her daughter Alice and scruffy terrier, Tilly. In the last twelve years she has been fortunate to illustrate books for Macmillan, Usbourne, Little Tiger Press, Scholastic and Lion Hudson amongst a few.



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## God is Three in One

By Jennifer Bosma (author); Beth Snider (illustrator)

*God Is Three in One*—in gentle rhyme—invites readers to learn about each person in the Trinity.

The book shows how God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit love people and are inviting more people into the family of God. Seeing the role each person in the Trinity plays, we see how God has been with us through all the ages and continues to be with us now. Travel through history as we see how God has been with us in the Bible and now, in our present lives.

**JENNIFER BOSMA** is a retired teacher and now serves in women's ministry. She has authored two Christian children's books *I Know the Plans* and *The Baby Garden*. Jennifer has a podcast for moms called, Front Parking Spot.



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SISTER ADVENTURES SERIES  
**Louie and La'Ree Empty the Sea**

By Rachel Van Kluyve (Author), Asifa Niaz (Illustrator)

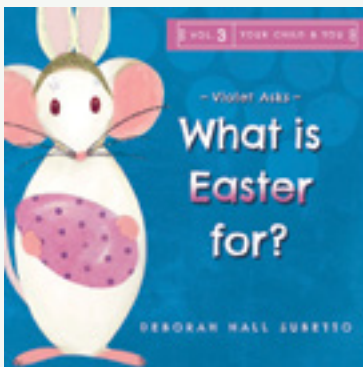
*Louie and La'Ree Empty the Sea* – Book One of the “Sister Adventures” series, was created to represent adoptive families in a joyful, imaginative story that will help children who may feel out of place in the world to see themselves for the amazing and limitless kids they are.

*Louie and La'Ree Empty the Sea* has the added benefit of teaching about the ocean ecosystem, encouraging responsible care of the environment, and inspiring children to use their limitless imaginations. Each loosely poetic stanza with its vibrant full-color illustration sweetly and simply fosters curiosity about the vast ocean through the eyes of two adventurous little girls. Where will Louie and La'Ree travel on their next adventure?

A generous portion of all proceeds from this book are used to help needy families in the midst of the adoption process.

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**RACHEL VAN KLUYVE** is a Nashville native, homeschooling mama of four both biological and adopted, wife to her teenage heartthrob, and a creative pursuing her purpose, one dream at a time.



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YOUR CHILD AND YOU SERIES  
**Violet Asks - Vol.3**

What is Easter for?

By Deborah Hall Subetto

Violet, our adorable mouse friend who lives on Shepherd's Gate Farm with Mister and Missus and all of their animal friends, has a BIG question! What is Easter for? Have you ever wondered what Easter is all about? Then this little book is just for you. Come see what Violet learned about Easter!

*Violet asks: What is Easter for?* – Volume 3 of the “Your Child and You” Series, was carefully designed and written to make having gospel conversations with our little children easier. Each adorable full color illustration, each poetic stanza, each carefully selected Bible verse sweetly and simply answers questions every child has about Easter, through the eyes of a curious little mouse. At the end, find a fun and easy recipe to make together with your littles as you talk about the story, and prompts to spur on those conversations and help you point your child to Jesus.

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**DEBORAH HALL SUBETTO** is an accomplished author and passionate communicator who holds a master's degree in Speech and Hearing Science from The Ohio State University in Columbus, Ohio. With nearly thirty years of experience as a speech-language pathologist, Deborah dedicated her career to helping others effectively communicate.





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## THE BIBLE FOR ME SERIES **Toddlers Bible Stories and Prayers**

By Mike Nawrocki, Amy Parker

This board book specially designed for Toddlers features 20 well-known and foundational Bible stories and prayers and a plastic handle so they can easily take it anywhere they go! Prayers feature key words in blue that parents can substitute the child's name to make this personalized.

The Bible for Me series includes: *The Bible for Me: Bible Stories & Prayers Bible Storybook*, *The Bible for Me Family Devotional Book*, *The Bible for Me Stories & Prayers Coloring Book* and more. Learn more at [TheBibleforKids.com](http://TheBibleforKids.com) website.

**AMY PARKER** is the bestselling author of over seventy books for children, teens, and adults, including the Night Night Prayer series and the Christian Retailing's Best Award Winners *Firebird and Courageous Teens*, which she coauthored. Her books have sold more than 2 million copies. **MIKE NAWROCKI** is the co-creator of VeggieTales, co-founder of Big Idea Entertainment, and the voice of the beloved Larry the Cucumber. His latest book series, *The Dead Sea Squirrels*, is currently being made into an animated series.



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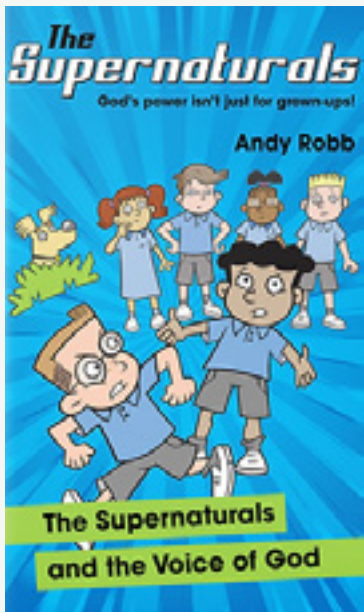
## **The Melody of Love**

By Janine Rainwater

In this ethereal bedtime story, readers are transported to a peaceful, starlit town on a quiet night where a child sleeps soundly under the caring watch of the heavens. But this is no ordinary child. He is Jesus, and with His arrival, a new melody of Love is born. As this enchanting melody takes flight, it awakens a sleeping world. It stirs the creatures of the forest and those in the depths of the sea with its irresistible song.

Ideal for bedtime reading, this beautifully illustrated book shows young readers how Jesus' love transcends time and reassures us that we are deeply, individually loved.

**JANINE RAINWATER** is an artist and graphic designer who is dedicated to creating heartwarming stories that capture the imaginations of young readers and their families. A lifelong follower of Jesus, Janine's faith deeply influences her work.



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## The Supernaturals and the Voice of God

By Andy Robb

Featuring the lives of Teji and her extraordinary friends, known as The Supernaturals.

When Abdoul decides to activate his superpower of Prophecy, things don't go to plan. He quickly learns that there's more to it than just hearing God's voice and passing on the message. Together, The Supernaturals find out from the Bible why things went wrong and discover an amazing secret which helps Abdoul make things right. "The Supernaturals and the Voice of God" is a heart-warming tale of friendship, faith, and the supernatural, reminding readers how to hear from God.

**ANDY ROBB** is the author of over 60 children's books including many well-known series such as: The Boring Bible series, The 50 series, Professor Bumblebrain, Amazing Agents of God and *Walk Through the Bible*.



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## Bella Finds Grace

By Sarah M. Grace (author) and Gemma Denham (illustrator)

Meet Bella, a beautiful blue butterfly who loves to soar high in the sky and swoop down low to visit her friends. One day, Bella meets Alan, a young hedgehog with a love for taking pictures. As they share stories of their adventures, Bella feels a little sad—she struggles with reading and sometimes loses her way.

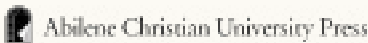
But Alan has a special surprise for Bella: a magical text called Grace that helps her read with ease. With Alan's patience, love, and understanding, Bella learns that her special gift of Dyslexia brings its own unique twist. It might make some things tricky, but it also makes Bella kind, creative, and full of brilliant ideas.

Join Bella and Alan in this heartwarming story of friendship, understanding, and discovering the joy of reading. Perfect for young readers, Bella Finds Grace teaches that everyone has their own special gifts and that with a little help, anything is possible.

**SARAH GRACE** is an integrative psychotherapist in private practice and co-publisher at Malcolm Down and Sarah Grace Publishing. She is the author of *Journey with Grace* and *Journal with Grace*.



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## Cooperating with the Holy Spirit

Theological and Practical Reflections

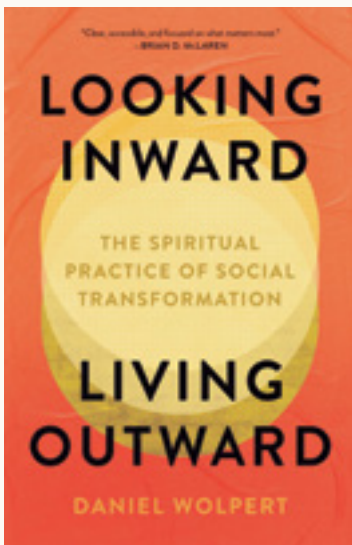
By Suzanne Nicholson (Editor)

On February 8, 2023, the Holy Spirit suddenly and powerfully poured forth on students lingering after chapel at Asbury University, located in the small town of Wilmore, Kentucky (population 6,000). For the next sixteen days, more than 50,000 pilgrims from around the world flocked to experience God's sweet, gentle presence in Hughes Auditorium. Many sought counsel, confessed patterns of addiction and sin, and sought to reorient their lives toward God in the context of vibrant, 24-hour worship.

*Cooperating with the Holy Spirit* recounts the events of the Outpouring; offers biblical, historical, and theological reflections on revivals; and provides practical insights for addressing the challenges that arise when God moves in powerful ways among his people.

Written by members of the Asbury community.

DR. **SUZANNE NICHOLSON** is a professor of New Testament at Asbury University and has previously taught at Malone University in Canton, Ohio. She earned her PhD in New Testament Studies from the University of Durham (England), an MDiv from Asbury Theological Seminary, and a BA in Journalism from the University of Minnesota.



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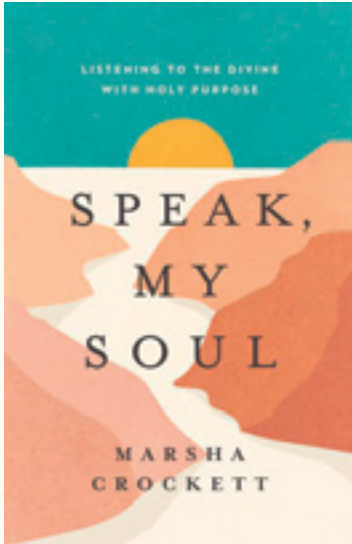
## Looking Inward, Living Outward

The Spiritual Practice of Social Transformation

By Daniel Wolpert

Drawing from Jesus' Sermon on the Mount, one of the most radical speeches in human history, this encouraging and practical guide connects acts of contemplation with action, providing a biblically based and spiritually grounded course corrective for how Christians are called to live as Beloved Community today. Discover how spiritual practices can change the way you interact with the world and inspire lasting social change.

**DANIEL WOLPERT** worked as a research scientist, psychologist, spiritual director, farmer, teacher, and construction worker before earning his Master of Divinity degree at San Francisco Theological Seminary (SFTS). He is also the author of *Leading a Life with God: The Practice of Spiritual Leadership and Creation's Wisdom: Spiritual Practice and Climate Change*.



**The Upper Room**  
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## Speak, My Soul

Listening to the Divine with Holy Purpose  
 By Marsha Crockett

Our soul speaks ... but can we hear it? In our noisy and overcrowded lives, it's often difficult to find the space to listen deeply to our own inner voice, let alone the voice of God. In *Speak, My Soul*, spiritual director Marsha Crockett guides us through seven sacred pathways for slowing down and discerning the Divine's prompting in our daily lives. Through encouraging daily meditations, scripture, prayers, practices, and prompts, prepare to take a transformative spiritual journey into the quiet landscape of the soul, speaking to you even now.

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**MARSHA CROCKETT** is a certified spiritual director through the Christian Formation and Direction Ministries. She is the author of seven books, including *Breakthrough: Unearthing God's Image to Find the Real You* and *Dancing in the Desert: Spiritual Refreshment for Your Parched Soul*.

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## An Axe for the Frozen Sea

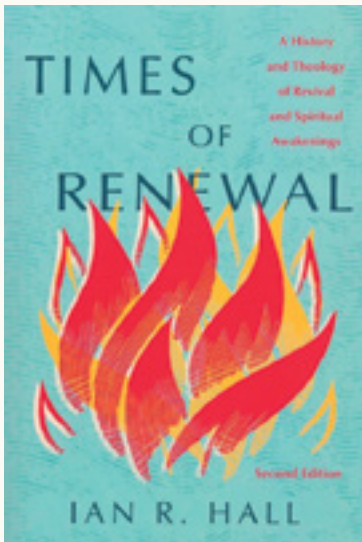
by Ben Palpant

In this collection of conversations, Ben Palpant, author of *Letters from The Mountain*, has compiled his intimate, one-on-one interviews with eighteen powerful poets of the 21st century. These intimate conversations cover an entire range of life experiences, including grief, hope, culture, writing craft, family life, and imagination. Each poet speaks with remarkable candor and joy. Taken together, these interviews are a powerful reminder that poetry remains an essential expression of what it means to be human.

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**BEN PALPANT** grew up in Kenya, Africa, where he played barefooted with his friends while perfecting the art of daydreaming. He graduated from Whitworth University and has spent over 25 years in education. His most recent book is *Letters from the Mountain*, a meditation on the craft of writing.

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## Times of Renewal

A History and Theology of Revival and Spiritual Awakenings

By Ian R. Hall

In *Times of Renewal* Dr. Ian R. Hall shows us that revival is not a new phenomenon but has been the impetus for church growth and protection from the beginning, and a vital part of our individual spiritual lives.

“Dr. Hall’s startling and miraculous journey to his own first revival experience sets the tone by illustrating a basic truth: revival cannot be manufactured by man; only God can bring revival! However, Hall has unearthed from awakenings recorded in the Bible and throughout centuries of church history—including recent spiritual events—a *pattern*... a solid tool for the assessment of spiritual movements. [Times of Renewal] surely creates hunger for God’s fresh visitation in our countries and churches.” - Dr. Arto Hämäläinen

With a ministry career and mission work that span well over six decades and four continents, and academic credentials and honors earned over the course of more than thirty years, Dr. **IAN R. HALL** is an indisputable expert on the topic of revival in all its forms, both throughout the Bible and in church history from 100 A.D. through current times.



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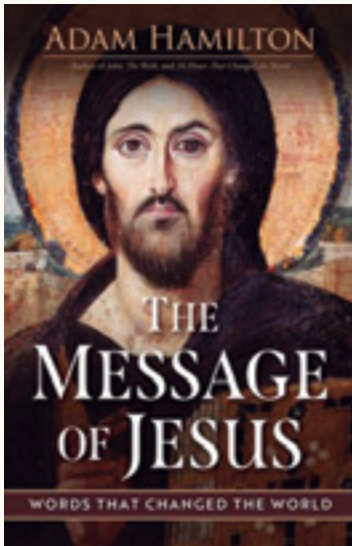
## When He Opens the Heavens

Responding to God’s Invitation with Praise and Purpose

By Alemu Beeftu, Chuck D. Pierce

Do you long to pursue *God, discover your assignment, and advance His kingdom here on earth?* This book is a compelling invitation to fervently seek and embrace your divine calling. Dr Alemu Beeftu offers a deep reflection on Biblical narratives that explore open heavens, open doors, open gates, and open hearts to encourage, empower, and educate the Body of Christ about prophetic destiny. With new revelation from Scripture, walk with God as He opens the heavens over your life.

Dr. **ALEMU BEEFTU** earned a BA from Biola University and master's and doctoral degrees in Curriculum Design and Community Development from Michigan State University. More than 37 years of practice in these and related fields have made him an accomplished and sought-after leadership trainer. **CHARLES D. “CHUCK” PIERCE** leads an apostolic and prophetic ministry in Corinth, Texas. He is President of Glory of Zion International, Kingdom Harvest Alliance, and Global Spheres Inc. He has a degree in Business from Texas A&M, Master's work in Cognitive Systems from the University of North Texas, and a D. Min. from the Wagner Leadership Institute.



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## The Message of Jesus

Words that Changed the World

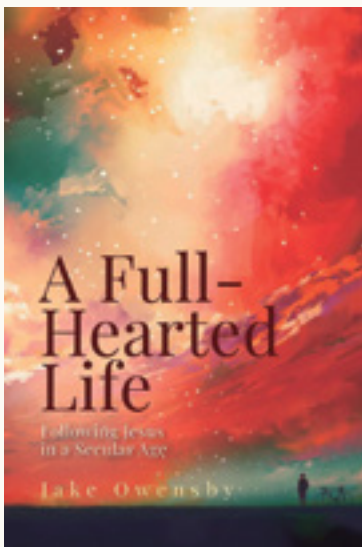
By Adam Hamilton

More than 3 billion people claim to follow Jesus. But aside from a few verses, how many actually know what he taught? In fact, much of what people think Jesus taught, he never said.

Pastor and best-selling author Adam Hamilton explores six of the most important themes in Jesus's teachings, why they matter, and how they speak to us today. The book will explore Jesus's preaching on the Kingdom of God, the sermon on the mount, the parables, the I am sayings in John, and more. Jesus's message is not only life-changing, but world-changing.

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**ADAM HAMILTON** is senior pastor of The United Methodist Church of the Resurrection in Leawood, Kansas. The Church Report named Hamilton's congregation the most influential mainline church in America, and he preached at the National Prayer Service as part of the presidential inauguration festivities in 2013.



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## A Full-Hearted Life

Following Jesus in This Secular Age

By Jake Owensby

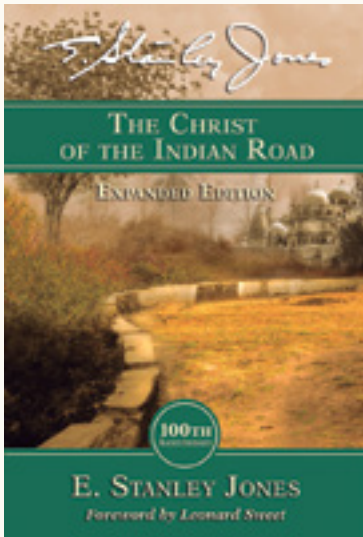
This book articulates how believing in Jesus gives us a sense of who we are, why we're here, what the good life is, and how to move toward that good life.

This is not traditional apologetics, offering logical proofs that God exists or that Jesus is God incarnate, or that all those alternative belief systems are false. Put simply, the aim of this book is to help you see for yourself and to explain to others how Christian belief and Christian practice can make life meaningful.

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**JAKE OWENSBY** is the Bishop of the Episcopal Church in Western Louisiana and author of five books including *Looking for God in Messy Places*, *A Resurrection Shaped Life*, and *Your Untold Story*. Before entering ordained ministry, he earned a PhD in philosophy from Emory University and served as a professor at Jacksonville University.





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## The Christ of the Indian Road (100th Anniversary Edition)

By E. Stanley Jones

In his book *Ordinary Man, Extraordinary Mission*, Stephen Graham, a biographer of Jones, wrote: “*The Christ of the Indian Road* was a frontal assault on the cultural prejudices of most European and American Christian missionaries in the late 19th and early 20th centuries. Jones was one of the first Western Christians to realize that in Asia, Africa, and Latin America the Christian gospel was often betrayed by being enmeshed with the economic and political self-aggrandizement of Western nations. In so doing, Jones declared his moral and intellectual independence from Western political and religious imperialism”. Introduced by a foreword by Leonard Sweet, this expanded edition includes essays by church leaders reflecting on the impact of Jones’s revolutionary approach to discovering the Jesus already present in each culture and what those learnings mean for the church today.

Called “the world’s greatest missionary evangelist” by Time magazine in 1938, **E. STANLEY JONES** (1884-1973) spent 70 years presenting Jesus Christ as the universal Son of Man without the trappings of Western culture. His message had a life-changing impact on the millions of people who heard him speak or read his books.

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## The Fullest Possible Love

Living in Harmony with God and Neighbor

By Paul W. Chilcote

What does Wesleyan theology and the Methodist way of life have to do with Benedictine ideas and practices? Renowned teacher Paul W. Chilcote reveals surprising and profound similarities and overlaps in the practices and theological convictions of these two Christian streams. Chilcote is a United Methodist scholar, elder, and serves as a Benedictine oblate. He writes from his own spiritual life, offering a gift to readers who are interested in Methodism and mysticism. Chilcote teaches a remarkable approach to spiritual practice; it is a new and age-old way of practicing our faith.

**PAUL W. CHILCOTE** is a Research Fellow at Wesley House in Cambridge, England. Previously, as a third generation ordained elder, he pastored United Methodist churches, helped launch Africa University in Zimbabwe and Asbury Theological Seminary in Florida, and taught historical theology and Wesleyan studies at the Methodist Theological School, Ashland Theological Seminary and Duke Divinity School.

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## In Search of the Holy

By Shane L. Bishop

Shane Bishop's *In Search of the Holy* delves into what it means to be holy, not flawless but set apart. Using the 10 commandments as a foundation stone, Bishop encourages readers to stand uncompromisingly within a counter-cultural Christian theology that points to our purpose in the world: we are holy, because we are saved, and God saves us and equips us so that we can offer salvation to others.

**SHANE L. BISHOP** has served as the Senior Pastor of Christ Church in Fairview Heights, Illinois, since 1997. With his strengths of vision casting, preaching, teaching, soul winning and leadership, Christ Church weekend worship attendance has increased under his leadership from 200 to over 3,000 each week. Shane graduated cum laude in 1992 from Candler School of Theology at Emory University.

## Raised in Splendor

The Hope of Glorification for a Secular Age

By Jason B. Alligood

We live in a world where the idea of being glorified is either viewed through the lens of something that will eventually come, but has little importance now, or has an overfocused importance where believers only focus on their entry into heaven. Both are wrongfooted. Pastor and theologian Jason Alligood provides a message of hope for the thoughtful Christian today. In *Raised in Splendor*, Jason Alligood communicates the hope of glory that transcends the fears and frustrations of a secular age that not only points to the hope for the future glorification, but that this hope is one that can be enjoyed and appreciated today.

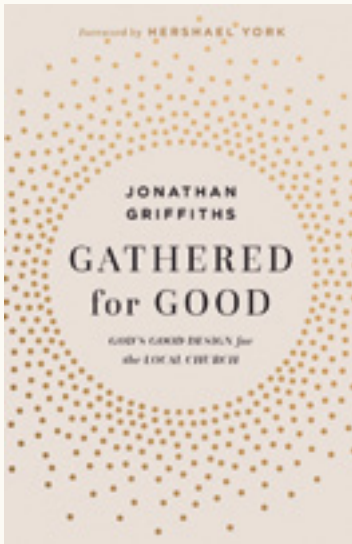
**JASON B. ALLIGOOD** (PhD Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary) is an assistant professor of theology at Cedarville University. Previous to his time as a full-time professor, Jason was a pastor in various capacities for twenty-seven years, the last of which was as the teaching pastor of Fellowship Bible Church in Peoria, Illinois.

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## Gathered for Good

God's Good Design for the Local Church

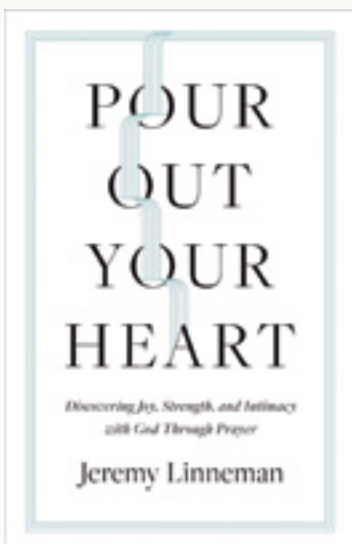
By Jonathan Griffiths

We live in a season when church attendance is still building back to what it was before the pandemic. Many Christians have been separated from their church communities. How do we resume and re-prioritize church life and join back together? Why do we even need to – especially when online church fits so neatly around our schedules?

*Gathered for Good* addresses this felt need with empathy and authority. It encourages believers to commit to their local church community as a way to deepen their spiritual growth and invest in lasting treasure.

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**JONATHAN GRIFFITHS** serves as lead pastor at The Met in Ottawa, Canada, executive director of the Timothy Trust, and council member of the Gospel Coalition Canada. His syndicated daily radio program, *Encounter the Truth*, reaches hundreds of thousands of listeners in Canada and the United States on Moody Radio and other networks. He studied theology at the University of Oxford and holds a PhD in New Testament Studies from the University of Cambridge.



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## Pour Out Your Heart

Discovering Joy, Strength, and Intimacy with God through Prayer

By Jeremy Linneman

In *Pour Out Your Heart*, pastor, and author Jeremy Linneman reveals a deeper, more vibrant spiritual life that offers you joy, strength, and intimacy with God through prayer. Where some thinkers treat prayer with a one-sided approach, Linneman approaches prayer as both communion with God (which sets our heart at rest) and an act of boldness that seeks God's transformative power (which can heal the broken places in our lives, relationships, church, and world).

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**JEREMY LINNEMAN** (DMin Covenant Theological Seminary) serves as lead pastor of Trinity Community Church in Columbia, Missouri. He previously spent seven years as a staff pastor of Sojourn Church in Louisville, Kentucky. Jeremy writes regularly for The Gospel Coalition and For the Church. He and his wife, Jessie, have three sons and spend most of their free time outdoors.



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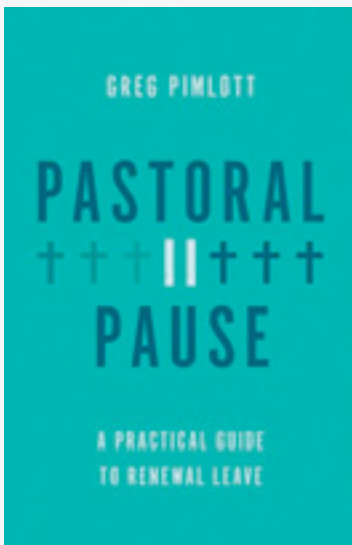
## Church Culture

How to Assess It, Shift It, and Shape It

By Jim Ozier

A church's culture is the launchpad for everything a church does, the starting point for every ministry. If the culture is "off," everything else will be out of kilter. *Church Culture* equips every pastor and leader with the tools necessary for culture change. Authors Ozier and Thibodeaux, both experienced experts in this area of church leadership, teach the basic concepts so readers can understand what culture is and why it's so crucial. Even more importantly, they provide a step-by-step process leaders can use to diagnose and gently shift the culture in their church. For some churches, wholesale change is in order, but most need only to make some crucial adjustments. The book provides tools for implementing the process in any setting.

**JIM OZIER** is an established motivational speaker and presenter for religious groups, civic organizations, and corporations. Based on techniques and ideas learned from his experiences with Southwest Airlines, he has conducted numerous seminars on culture and hospitality for thousands of pastors and laity in churches, districts, and annual conferences.



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## Pastoral Pause

A Practical Guide to Renewal Leave

By Greg Pimlott

In the demanding realm of pastoral ministry, where energy fades and the threat of burnout is ever-present, pastor Greg Pimlott offers a lifeline. With disarming humor and refreshing honesty, Pimlott invites us into his own transformative journey from burnout to spiritual revitalization, providing encouragement, inspiration, and practical tools for other pastors on the brink of exhaustion and considering a renewal leave.

Pastors, facing the challenges of strained relationships, waning creativity, and diminishing spiritual reserves, will find solace and guidance in this invaluable and relatable resource. Take a break before you shatter - *Pastoral Pause* is your indispensable companion on the journey to self-renewal.

**GREG PIMLOTT** prior to graduating with a Master of Divinity and a Certificate in Black Church Studies from Candler School of Theology, Pimlott served as a missionary in the Democratic Republic of Congo and Appalachian Kentucky.





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## How to Teach Kids Theology

Deep Truths for Growing Faith

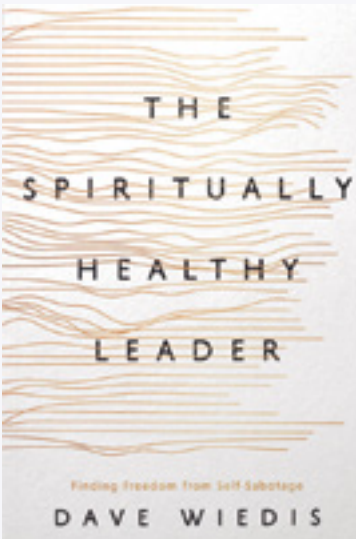
By Sam Luce, Hunter Williams

What comes to mind when you think about teaching theological truths to children? Glazed eyes? Over-their-head discussions? Theology doesn't have to be "too deep for kids." For kids to stand firm in a culture that suppresses the truth of Christianity, we need to give them a grand view of God that overwhelms their hearts and fills them with wonder.

A child's faith is only as strong as the God they believe in. For their faith to be great, they need to learn about their great God. In each chapter, the authors diagnose problems that hinder leaders from teaching kids theology, explain principles to combat these problems, and suggest practices for applying these principles to your ministry.

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**SAM LUCE** is the Pastor of Global Ministries at Redeemer Church in Utica, NY, where he has served for over twenty-six years. He is the co-author of *Forming Faith: Discipling the Next Generation in a Post-Christian Culture*. **HUNTER WILLIAMS** is the children's pastor of Ridgedale Baptist Church in Chattanooga, TN and cohost of the Cross Formed KinMin podcast. He has written articles for numerous ministries such as INCM, The Gospel Coalition and KidsMatter magazine.



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## The Spiritually Healthy Leader

Finding Freedom from Self-Sabotage

By Dave Wiedis

*The Spiritually Healthy Leader* exposes these root causes and offers the path to deep life transformation, freedom in Christ, and deliverance from self-sabotage. With Christ as the true center of their lives, ministry leaders can walk vibrantly with God, free from self-sabotage of the heart, and experience the ripple effect of health and healing in their lives, and see that effect positively impact our close relationships, families, churches, and the next generation.

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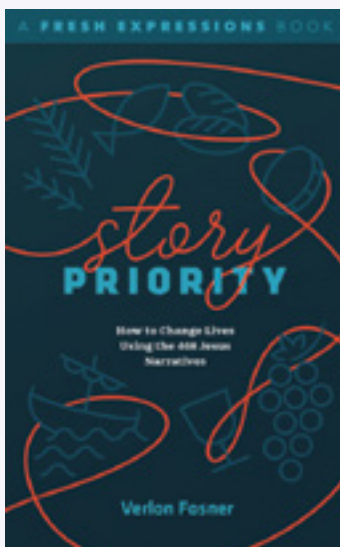
## Crossing the Discipleship Chasm

How to Turn Crowds into People Who Follow Jesus

By Matt Lake

In *Crossing the Discipleship Chasm*, pastor and consultant Matt Lake, draws from deep experience in ministry to introduce a transformative approach that revives the original mission of the church: adaptive discipleship. Grounded in thorough research and tested relationships, his method offers a way forward. Too often local churches, in their anxiety, jump to quick, programmatic solutions to address the lack of discipleship happening in their settings. However, jumping to a solution that ignores the context and deeper issues of the problem only leads to surface-level, technical responses. It will never work in the long run.

**MATT LAKE** is a graduate of Messiah College, has an Master of Divinity from Duke Divinity School. Matt is currently pursuing a Doctor of Ministry focusing on Semiotics and Future Studies through Portland Seminary.



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## Story Priority

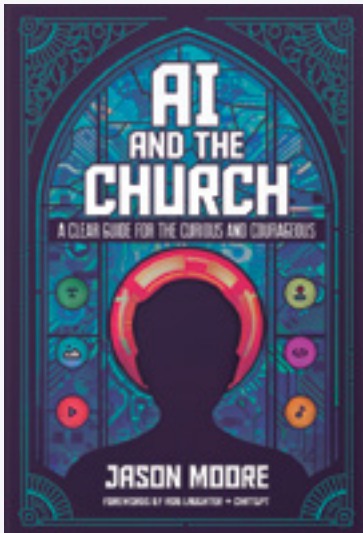
How to Change Lives Using the 468 Jesus Narratives

By Verlon Fosner

If we the church are to regain the power of the gospel and the ability to garner the attention of a secular world, we would be wise to recapture the focus of the 468 Jesus Stories. Fosner's book re-emphasizes the power of the scriptures in helping people understand and connect to Jesus. The stories of Jesus themselves have the power to change people. The church needs to use the gospels as a care message in today's world and are the key for evangelism and mission.

**VERLON FOSNER** is a leader in the Dinner Church movement. He supports both the Fresh Expressions movement and the Dinner Church movement both as ways to connect relationally with people in ways that are more real and personal.





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## AI and the Church

A Clear Guide for the Curious and Courageous

By Jason Moore

Moore addresses the church's primary (often irrational) fears of AI and reassures leaders about its grounding in scripture, its potential for good usage within the church, and its ability to create outstanding communications and worship material without hiring an expensive Creative Director or Communications Specialist. Within the book, he gives sample examples and experiences, and he demonstrates AI, as AI has created all of the end of chapter questions! He also created the cover art using AI.

**JASON MOORE** is the author of *Both/And: Maximizing Hybrid Worship Experiences for In-Person and Online Engagement*. He is a graduate of The Modern College of Design, is the author of 12 books, a frequent keynote speaker, and a sought-after trainer.



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## Creating Space

Cultivating Environments for Disciples of Jesus to Thrive and Multiply

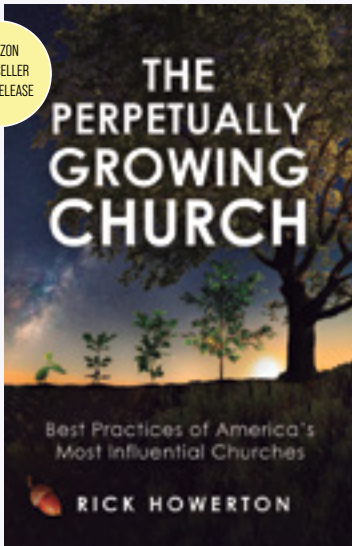
By Bryan D. Sims and Craig W. Robertson

Why the church continues to decline in almost every metric is the great contemporary dilemma of pastors and church leaders. One thing is certain: The root cause for the lack of impact and fruitfulness of the church is a shortage of authentic disciples of Jesus.

Defining what it means to be a disciple who is both passionate and spiritual. For the authors, this has much to do with creating the proper environment for development. They address issues such as vulnerability and authenticity, a safe place for sharing, taking emotional and spiritual risks, and for transformation.

**BRYAN SIMS** and **CRAIG ROBERTSON** are coaches at Spiritual Leadership Institute, an organization that defines spiritual leadership as a servant ministry where sound leadership principles are integrated with Scriptural principles. Spiritual leaders are committed to discerning and doing the will of God in community through the help of the Holy Spirit.

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## The Perpetually Growing Church

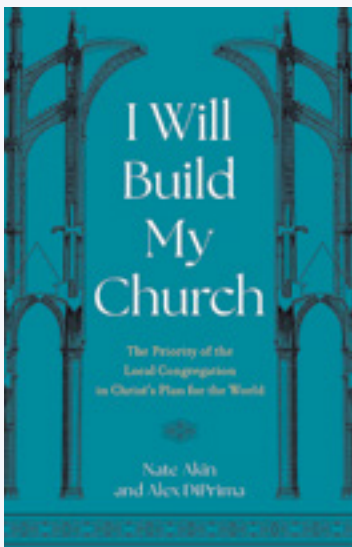
Best Practices of America's Most Influential Church

By Rick Howerton

When a local church is a unified, biblically functioning church, tuned in to the power of the Holy Spirit, culturally relevant, exercising church growth principles and practices, and led by spiritually mature, gifted, God-honoring leaders and pastors, it has the potential of being a perpetually growing church.

Rick Howerton has spent his adult life networking with, consulting, and learning from influential church leaders whose churches experienced numeric growth for ten years or more. They are perpetually growing churches. Many of them are the most influential churches in America. This book unearths the practices that were consistent in those churches. If you want to lead or be part of a perpetually growing church, this book is for you.

**RICK HOWERTON** has given his life to learning church, leading churches, and consulting churches. He has been a church planter, pastor, groups pastor, campus minister, teaching pastor, and church consultant. He is a highly sought-after trainer and speaker and is the author of multiple books and Bible studies.



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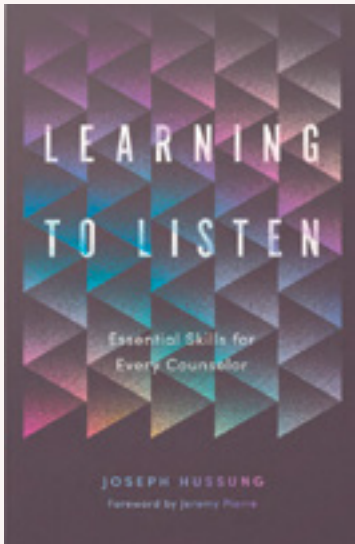
## I Will Build My Church

The Priority of the Local Congregation in Christ's Plan

By Nate Akin, Alex DiPrima

In *I Will Build My Church: The Priority of the Local Congregation in Christ's Plan for the World*, Nate Akin and Alex DiPrima argue that zeal for the salvation of the lost should come through a committed devotion to the planting and building up of healthy local churches. The church is God's "plan A" for reaching the lost and promoting his glory; there is no "plan B." God is not accomplishing his plans and purposes chiefly through apostolic bands, parachurch groups, or loosely connected disciples who engage in aggressive frontier evangelism. He accomplishes his purposes through the local church, and thus, our focus in fulfilling the Great Commission should be on establishing and building up healthy local churches.

**NATE AKIN** (MDiv, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary) is the interim executive director of the Pillar Network and director of Baptist21. **ALEX DIPRIMA** (PhD, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary) is senior pastor at Emmanuel Church in Winston Salem, North Carolina.



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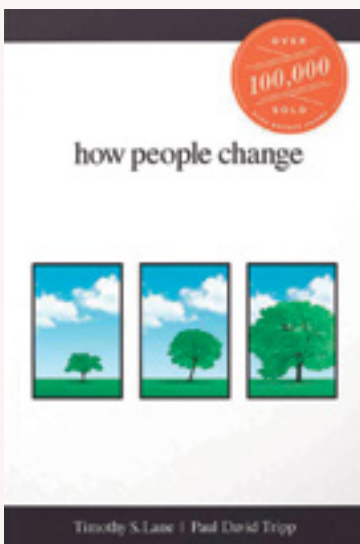
## Learning to Listen

Essential Skills for Every Counselor

By Joseph Hussung

In *Learning to Listen*, biblical counselor Joseph Hussung gives readers a theology of listening and explains the purpose, posture, and practice of this essential counseling skill. If counselors do not truly hear the hearts of their counselees, they won't understand the nuanced struggles at play nor how to apply biblical principles. Listening well enables counselors to love well and understand with empathy.

**JOSEPH HUSSUNG**, MDiv, DMin, is the Director of Recruitment and a Senior Counseling Supervisor at Fieldstone Counseling, where he counsels regularly, supervises the remote counseling team and directs Fieldstone's residency program. He is a regular contributor to the Biblical Counseling Coalition blog.



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## How People Change

Essential Skills for Every Counselor

By Timothy S. Lane, Paul David Tripp

If you've ever tried, failed, and wondered why, you need *How People Change*. This book explains the biblical pattern for change in a clear, practical way you can apply to the challenges of daily life. But change involves more than a biblical formula. It relies on bringing your heart directly to the foot of the cross and allowing Jesus to change not just your behavior but your core desires and motivations. In this updated edition, insightful discussion questions help you see how God is at work to make you the person you were created to be. That powerful, loving, redemptive relationship is at the heart of all positive change you experience.

**PAUL DAVID TRIPP**, MDiv, DMin, is the president of Paul David Tripp Ministries, a nonprofit organization whose mission is to connect the transforming power of Jesus Christ to everyday life. Paul is a best-selling author of *Instruments in the Redeemer's Hands*, *A Quest for More*, and *Relationships: A Mess Worth Making*. **TIMOTHY S. LANE**, MDiv, DMin, is the author of several mini-books and the coauthor of *Relationships: A Mess Worth Making* and the curricula *Change and Your Relationships* and *Instruments in the Redeemer's Hands*.



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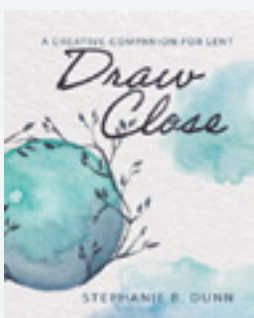
## **Season's Greetings**

Christmas Letters from Those Who Were There

By Ruth Boling

In the Advent Devotional *Season's Greetings*, meet twelve biblical characters – some well-known, others less so – who share what Christmas meant to them through personal letters written to 21st-century readers. As we hear the multiple perspectives of what Jesus' birth and life meant for these characters of old, we're invited to ask what it means for us... now, today. Each chapter ends with a prayer, reflection questions, and journaling prompts, making this new resource an enriching Advent companion for individuals, small groups, and church leaders alike.

**RUTH L. BOLING** is the author of *Come Worship with Me: A Journey through the Church Year* and coauthor of *A Children's Guide to Worship*.



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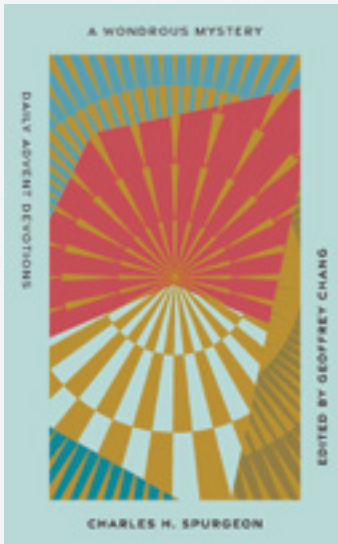
## **Draw Close**

A Creative Companion for Lent

By Stephanie Dunn

On each of the 40 days of Lent, Dunn introduces you to a biblical text, prayer, and word prompt to ponder, followed by a blank page for you to respond in whatever way you choose—sketching, doodling, painting, poetry, journaling, or however your heart desires! As you engage with the Lenten texts in this immersive way, you'll discover new depths of insight, connection, and spiritual renewal. Through the act of creation, you'll find a sacred space where prayer, meditation, and creativity converge, nurturing your soul and fostering a closer relationship with God.

**STEPHANE DUNN** is a professor and academic program director of the Cinema, Television, & Emerging Media Studies program at Morehouse College.



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**A Wondrous Mystery**

Daily Advent Devotions

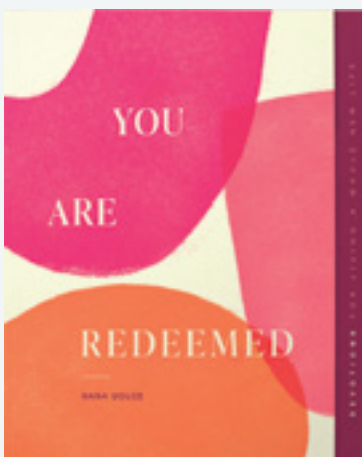
By Geoffrey Chang (Editor), Charles H. Spurgeon (Original Author)

Be filled with the wonder of Christmas with thirty days of devotionals from the sermons of Charles H. Spurgeon, reminding us of the incarnation to be marveled at all year round.

How can Christians properly celebrate Christmas today? Certainly, Christmas trees, gift-giving, family reunions, and many other customs can all be joyful traditions of the season. But Spurgeon would say that the primary way to celebrate Christmas is by faith in the incarnate, crucified, and risen Savior. That's why *A Wondrous Mystery* exists: amid a busy holiday season, it is meant to be a daily reminder of why we celebrate—that “the Infinite has become an infant” and “the joy of his coming is still in our hearts”.

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**CHARLES H. SPURGEON** (1834–1892) was the pastor of the Metropolitan Tabernacle, London, for thirty-eight years, and his ministry exploded, resulting in the largest evangelical congregation of his day and the founding of 66 parachurch ministries, including a college and orphanage. **GEOFFREY CHANG**, MDiv, PhD, serves as Assistant Professor of Historical Theology and the curator of the Spurgeon Library at Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.



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GOSPEL TRUTH FOR WOMEN SERIES  
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Devotions for Living a Whole New Life

By Nana Dolce

Although we live in a dark world with disease, distress, distractions, and discouragement, God's presence transforms each moment of each day, giving you the strength to persevere in love and faith. What does God's abiding presence mean in moments of pain? Does he sympathize with us? Where is true rest in a world of stress and suffering? These are good questions, and our redemption in Christ speaks to every one of them. The Lord is sustaining and preparing you for a glorious eternal home with him where the full experience of redemption is still to come.

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**NANA DOLCE**, MA, trains women Bible teachers across the globe through The Charles Simeon Trust and has served as a visiting lecturer at Reformed Theological Seminary in Washington, DC. She is the author of *The Seed of the Woman* and has written articles for *Christianity Today*, *Risen Motherhood*, and *The Gospel Coalition*.



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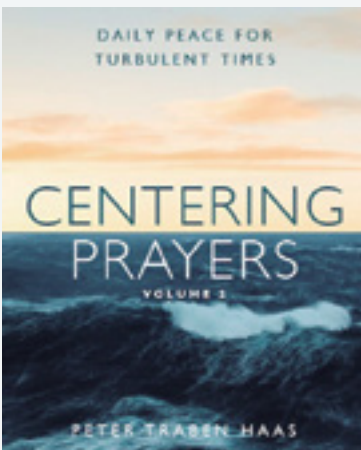
## The Joy of Advent

Family Celebrations for Advent & the Twelve Days of Christmas

By Rebecca Grabill (Author), Stephen Grabill (Author), Clare Therese Gray (Illustrator)

From Advent through Epiphany, activities for all ages including daily Bible readings, reflections, songs, and prayers, provide a guided celebration that will infuse depth and delight throughout the Advent and Christmastide season. *The Joy of Advent* gives families the opportunity to come together and focus their hearts on the scarlet thread of Christmas – Christ’s love and sacrifice – woven through the tapestry of Scripture, and utilizing the Jesse Tree, to create poignant memories and beloved traditions.

**REBECCA GRABILL** studied theology in university and went on to earn an MFA in Writing for Children and Young Adults, and has published a wide array of fiction, essays, and poetry for all age levels. **STEPHEN GRABILL**, PhD is the theological consultant on this project (and conveniently, Rebecca’s husband). He earned a PhD in Systematic Theology and Moral Theology, then writing, editing, speaking and making films, notably the film series *For the Life of the World*, which has sold more than 250,000 copies and reached 1.5 million viewers. **CLARE THERESE GRAY** studied Painting at Art School in Norwich she went on to the Drawing Year at the Royal Drawing School where she focused on imaginative and observational drawing & printmaking before launching a freelance design career.



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## Centering Prayers

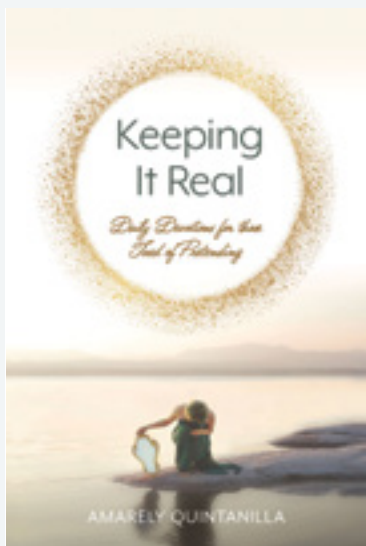
Daily Peace for Turbulent Times

By Peter Traben Haas

Looking for peace in these turbulent times? *Centering Prayers, Volume 2* offers a contemplative sanctuary from the challenges of daily life.

Take refuge from the storms of life with this beautiful offering of meditative prayers, an accompanying resource to the first volume of Peter’s prayers in *Centering Prayers: A One-Year Daily Companion for Going Deeper into the Love of God*. In this new volume, Peter Traben Haas invites you to recenter yourself every day in God’s presence and explore the loving connection he has with each of us. With a new poetic focus on themes of earth, water, and sky, these prayers will draw you closer to the heart of God and into the stillness of his perfect peace.

Rev. **DR. PETER TRABEN HAAS** earned a B.A. from Moody Bible, an M.Div. from Princeton Seminary, and a Doctorate of Ministry from Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary



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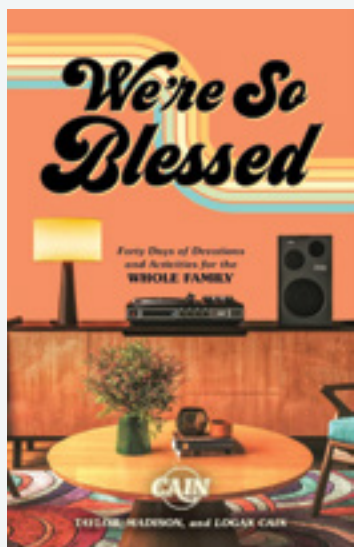
## Keeping it Real

Daily Devotions for Those Tired of Pretending

By Amarely Quintanilla

What does it really mean to be a good Christian? Why do we strive to look good on the outside and remain so out of touch with God on the inside? As believers struggle to tread the muddy waters of modern-day Christianity's sleek exterior, this 40-day devotional is a rehab for weary believers who want to move beyond looking good in front of others. This book creates a private daily spiritual retreat where Christians can shed their outer layers and become recognizable Jesus-followers with lives that are relatable, loving, and honest.

**AMARELY QUINTANILLA** writes both non-fiction and fiction books. She has a graduate degree in journalism and worked in broadcasting and documentary production for several years. Her Christian beliefs shape her writing as explores the topics of psychology and personal finance.



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## We're So Blessed

A 40-Day Guide to Gratefulness for the Whole Family

By CAIN: Taylor Cain Matz, Madison Cain Johnson, and Logan Cain

This heartfelt, honest, and motivating 40-day devotional offers a personal glimpse into the Cain family dynamic. It includes relatable, personal stories from the entire Cain family, their spouses, and their children, as well as insights into their hopes, fears, and dreams – all to inspire your own family memories and nurture spiritual growth in your household. Each day, you'll be encouraged to cultivate your own deep conversations and God-centered traditions, while helping you realize how blessed you really are to have each other and a God that truly loves you. So don't wait – start creating unforgettable moments of your own as you study scripture together, participate in daily activities as a family, and learn about God's incredible, lasting love for each of you. You will laugh, cry, and be filled with encouragement and gratefulness from the stories of hope, inspiration, and faith that fill these pages.

CAIN the band is made up of three siblings – **TAYLOR CAIN MATZ, MADISON CAIN JOHNSON,** and **LOGAN CAIN.** Growing up in the Cain family was a unique and beautiful experience, one that offered many childhood memories, family traditions, and spiritual guidance from their parents. Today, CAIN travels around the world to perform their songs and inspire people everywhere, and no song has inspired others like their hit single, "I'm So Blessed".



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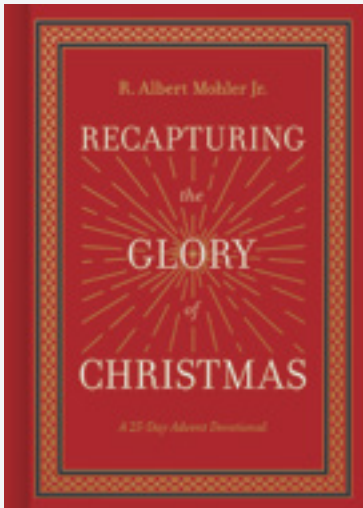
## The Whole Bible Devotional

Seeing Jesus in Every Book of the Bible

By Melissa A. McLaughlin

A Bible overview, followed by sixty-six short readings of Scripture and prayer, walk you through the Bible from Genesis to Revelation. Key verses from every book of the Bible and corresponding prayers illustrate Jesus as the overarching theme of the Bible. The whole message of Scripture, from beginning to end.

**MELISSA A. MCLAUGHLIN** authored a prayer guide titled *In Dark of Night When Words Fail, Voice of Jesus Pray for Me*. She facilitated Bible studies and small groups based on this book in two churches. She earned a certificate in Foundations in Biblical Studies. She hosts the Christian blog Truthful Grace and writes articles on topics such as biblical growth, spiritual life, passionate prayer, and poetry.



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## Recapturing the Glory of Christmas

A 25-Day Advent Devotional

By Dr. R. Albert Mohler Jr.

Christmas should spark worship and adoration, and R. Albert Mohler offers a book that mines the depths of the advent season, and all the theological riches God has gifted to His people. *Recapturing the Glory of Christmas* is a call to worship and praise. Indeed, Christmas beckons the world to come and adore the Savior King – the King exulted by the angels; the King who took on flesh; the King who deserves all glory, all honor, and all praise. O come! Come and adore Jesus Christ the Lord.

Dr. **R. ALBERT MOHLER JR.** has been quoted in the nation's leading newspapers, including *The New York Times*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *USA Today*, *The Washington Post*, *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, and *The Dallas Morning News*. He has also appeared on such national news programs as CNN's "Larry King Live" and "AC360," NBC's "Today Show" and "Dateline NBC," and ABC's "Good Morning America".



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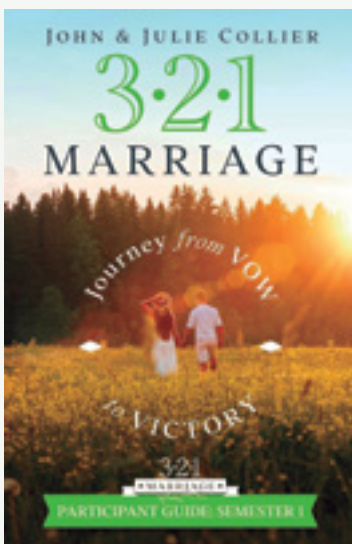
#### HELP MEET SERIES

### Created to be His Help Meet, 2024 Edition

By Debi Pearl

*Created to Be His Help Meet*, originally published in 2004, has sold over 600,000 copies and licensed in 12 languages. The author constantly receives testimonies from women in England, India, Saudi Arabia, China, Australia, and many other countries, as they share how their marriages have been saved and enriched through these biblical truths. From correspondence she has received over the years, she added two new chapters and other small revisions to address their needs. One of the new chapters is called "Servant or Servitude?" There is a difference. One is godly, the other devilish. This is an important book on how to be a Godly wife!

**MICHAEL** and **DEBI PEARL** are the authors of *To Train Up a Child*, which has been translated into several other languages including Russian, Chinese, Arabic, and German. Between them, they have authored over thirty titles creating total sales of more than a million books. They are the founders of No Greater Joy Ministries (NGJ) and publishers of the free bi-monthly No Greater Joy Ministries.



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### 321 Marriage

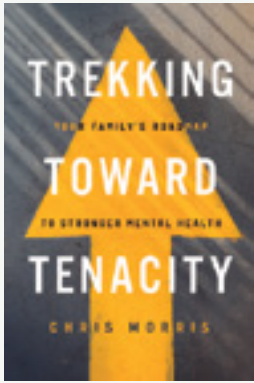
Journey from Vow to Victory!

By John and Julie Collier

*321 Marriage* helps couples discover the hidden gems awaiting them when they let God define how they walk out their marriages. Only when you follow His plan can you discover the true joy and fulfillment He had in mind. Whether you are just laying the early foundation as newlyweds or desiring fresh wind in the seasoned sails of your marriage, we want to encourage you on the journey and help you discover that God's plan for a dynamic marriage is possible!

Developed by a couple for couples, this unique 12-week course is designed to encourage couples toward healthy and thriving God-honoring marriages. The leader guide offers exclusive digital content, including supporting biblical commentary for each lesson. You can find it at [lifebiblestudy.com](http://lifebiblestudy.com).

**JOHN COLLIER** has for more than fifteen years, he has authored and taught marriage small groups, helping couples navigate the complexities of relationships and fostering healthier connections. **JULIE MONTGOMERY COLLIER** has for more than fifteen years, devoted her time to writing and teaching Christian marriage material and small groups, imparting wisdom and guidance to couples and young women seeking a biblical foundation for their union and walk with God.



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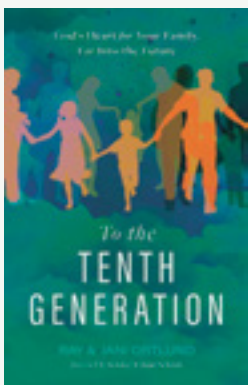


## Trekking Toward Tenacity

Your Family's Roadmap to Stronger Mental Health  
 By Chris Morris

*Trekking toward Tenacity* walks through Psalm 139 verse by verse, discovering how we can help our children develop mentally healthy habits. The goal is to coach our kids to be more tenacious because we live in a tumultuous world. By teaching parents practical application steps to implement with kids of all ages, ranging from preschool to adolescent, this book will give them new tools to support their families in the quest for better mental health. It will provide rock-solid encouragement for parents who are stressed out and wondering if they're making the right choices for their families.

**CHRIS MORRIS** is a passionate mental health advocate dedicated to promoting understanding of mental health issues within the church. Because of a lifelong struggle with depression and suicidality, Chris became committed to breaking down the stigma surrounding mental health.



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## To the Tenth Generation

God's Heart for Your Family, Far into the Future  
 By Ray Ortlund, Jani Ortlund

In the midst of family life, most days are too busy to think far into the future. Then once the children are grown, family life can feel like mostly memories, often tinged with regrets. And the future? More worries and fears, laden with unknowns. But you and your family right now, whatever your ages, whatever you're facing, are living within a much larger story than you realize. Your investments and efforts today matter as part of the grand sweep of God's lasting purposes. His heart for your family can help you create a culture of faith now that can still be reverberating *To the Tenth Generation*.

**RAY ORTLUND** is president of Renewal Ministries and a founding member of The Council of the Gospel Coalition. Among his other books are *The Gospel: How the Church Portrays the Beauty of Christ* and *Marriage and the Mystery of the Gospel*. **JANI ORTLUND**, vice president of Renewal Ministries, hosts the "He Restores My Soul" podcast and is the author of numerous books.



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## Grounded in Grace

Helping Kids Build Their Identity in Christ  
 By Jonathan Holmes

Children and teens face a tremendous amount of pressure from their peers and culture to find their identity in their activities, feelings, or performance. This modern way of looking at identity can be challenging to navigate for parents who grew up with a traditional view of identity rooted in predetermined roles. What if they could help their children and teenagers find their identity in something that never went away and never changed based on their ability or performance—an identity grounded in God's grace?

**JONATHAN HOLMES, MA**, is the Founder and Executive Director of Fieldstone Counseling. He previously served for fifteen years on the pastoral teams of Parkside Church and Parkside Green. He is the author of several books, including *Counsel for Couples*, *Rescue Skills*, and *Rescue Plan*.



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## The Swaddling

Search for the Healing Cloth

By Philip Bray

Based on details from The First Gospel of the Infancy of Jesus Christ, *Search for the Healing Cloth* is the first in a historical fiction series exploring biblical concepts of calling, perseverance and the power of faith to overcome adversity.

Determined archaeologist, Melody Thornton has been burdened by debilitating visions since she was a young girl. Now a lecturer in a prestigious university, the visions have reached a new height, and Melody knows she must find the swaddling clothes that once held the baby Jesus.

With the help of experts, the visions and the historical Magi, Melody sets off to Iran in search of the healing cloth. But because of the artefact's supposed power, Melody isn't the only one who wants it. In fact, certain powerful people will kill for it. In the face of this constant threat, will Melody find the swaddling? And if she does, can she protect it?

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**PHILIP BRAY** spent most of his life in sales and marketing within the food sector, though more recently in driver training. His first novel, *The Swaddling* is part of a historical fiction trilogy that has taken nine years to complete. *The Healing Cloth* is the first to be published. It resulted from research into the biblical Magi.



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## THE MERIT-HUNTERS SERIES

### Storm at Dusk

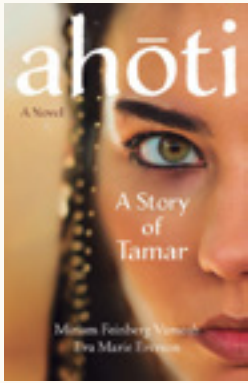
By L. G. Jenkins

When you've been deceived by the Worthy, where do you turn? Ajay Ambers only ever wanted to be Glorified, the highest status in Tulo City. But with his desires slipping through his fingers, he finds himself entrenched in heartache, chaos and... death. Unable to accept his grief and hunted by Command's elite detectives, Ajay descends into a community fueled by hatred and revenge. His survival depends on navigating their deadly games, or can he trust in their vision for a new world? Genni, meanwhile, can't move on and risks her merit score to uncover Ajay's secrets. Instead, she is forced to confront harsh truths about the society she thought she knew. As the layers of deceit unravel, every new revelation demands a choice: succumb to the darkness or choose to love. The question is: who truly deserves to be Worthy?

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**LYDIA JENKINS** is an author, booklover and coffee drinker. When she isn't immersed in writing dystopian worlds, you'll either find her reading in a coffee shop, playing netball or spending time with friends in 'sunny' England.



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**MIRIAM FEINBERG VAMOSH** is an expert in the field of Archeology and Heritage, Miriam is also a beloved tour educator across the Holy Land. She was a longtime member of the translation team at the Israeli daily *Haaretz*. **EVA MARIE EVERSON** is a multiple award-winning author and speaker, CEO of Word Weavers International, and director of the Florida Christian Writers Conference. A graduate of the Tzemach Institute, she also has a degree in biblical studies from Andersonville Seminary.



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Award-winning author **NANCY LAVO** has published her lighthearted romances in both the mainstream and inspirational markets.



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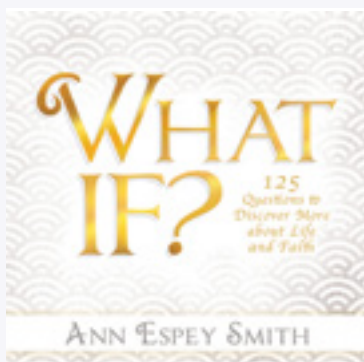
## The Fate of Aghavni

Italian Title: *Il Destino di Aghavni*

By Antonia Arslan

In May 1915 in a small town in Anatolia, a girl named Aghavni leaves home with her loved ones, her husband, and two children. No one ever sees them again. They simply disappear. Were they killed? Or kidnapped? Over time their memory fades until they disappear, in the raging of the terrible events that begin precisely in 1915. Antonia Arslan draws an adventurous tale of pain and redemption, death and rebirth, culminating in a strange Christmas.

**ANTONIA ARSLAN**, a Paduan of Armenian origin, has taught Italian Literature. She is the author of *La Masseria delle Allodole* (2004), translated into twenty-three languages and made into a film by the Taviani brothers. For Ares she published *Dino Buzzati. Bricoleur e cronista visionario* (2019).



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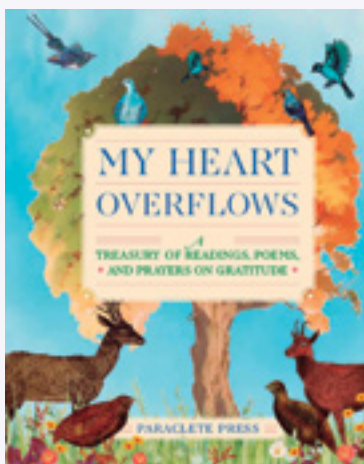
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**ANN** has been a leader in the Church of God (Anderson) movement for decades, serving as a missionary to Japan with her late husband, Nathan, for 25 years, speaking at conferences, and inspiring and mentoring people of all ages. Her spiritual wisdom and passion for God are admired by countless people across the world.



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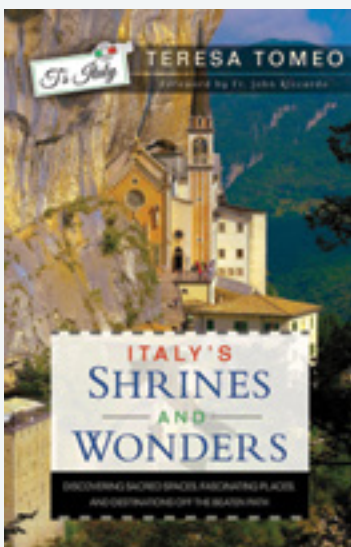
By Victoria Duerstock

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**VICTORIA DUERSTOCK** is a multi-passionate creative fueled mostly by coffee, Victoria Duerstock relentlessly pursues her dreams. Writing, speaking, and helping creatives grow their platforms with DIY and done for you solutions keeps her busy! Victoria's mission is to create beauty and cultivate community by leveraging resources, impacting others and leaving a legacy.



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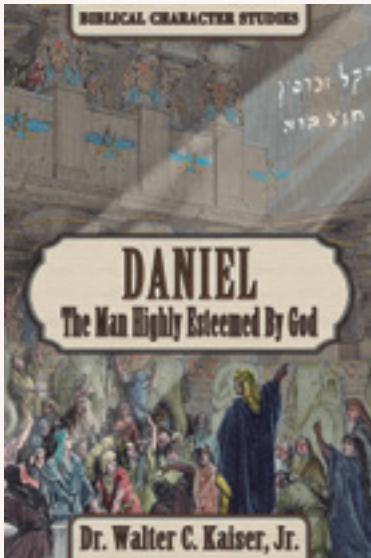
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Discovering Sacred Spaces, Fascinating Places,  
and Destinations off the Beaten Path

By Teresa Tomeo

*Italy's Shrines and Wonders* is a welcome and important tool for pilgrims and tourists in general who, in addition to seeing the main places of interests, long to experience a slice of real Italian life. The book will include a look at some of the most unique sacred spaces as well as fascinating places not often visited by the typical tourist. Whether it's a small Marian shrine hidden in the Umbrian hills where believers have been visiting for several hundred years, or the modern but quirky big benches that force one to slow down and make you feel like a kid again, *Shrines and Wonders* would add so much more to their voyage.

**TERESA TOMEO** is an author, syndicated Catholic talk show host, and motivational speaker with more than 30 years of experience in TV, radio and newspaper, and spent 19 of those years working in front of a camera as a reporter/anchor in the Detroit market.



## Daniel

The Man Highly Esteemed by God

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The book of Daniel is governed by a “Theology of History”, in which the person and work of God the Father and Yeshua the Son of Man remain in charge of all events and all nations, even though the Israelite exiles have been dealt an intense shock in the violent sack of Jerusalem. But the Promise-Plan of God was still operative, despite the strangeness of a new land, strange customs, pagan culture, and idolatrous religion in Babylon. God's promises were still “irrevocable” (see Rom. 11:29). God still owned the land of Israel, where his covenant with the patriarchs and David was still in full force, for he was God of gods, Lord of lords, and the Decider of the destiny of all the nations.

**WALTER C. KAISER JR.** (PhD, Brandeis University) is a distinguished professor emeritus of Old Testament and president emeritus of Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary in South Hamilton, Massachusetts. Dr. Kaiser has written over 40 books, including *Toward an Exegetical Theology: Biblical Exegesis for Preaching and Teaching*; *The Messiah in the Old Testament*; and *The Promise-Plan of God*; and coauthored *An Introduction to Biblical Hermeneutics: The Search for Meaning*.



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The conquest of the Promised Land that began so promisingly with Y'hoshua (Joshua) is never really completed. After the initial conquest of key cities, such as Yericho (Jericho), the Land is divided among Israel's tribes, with each tribe responsible for conquering their own area. The book of Judges opens by describing how each tribe “did not drive out” (1:21) the inhabitants of the Land as God commanded. In time, these idol-worshipping nations became the downfall of God's people. The period of the judges lasted more than four hundred years, from the death of Y'hoshua to the time of Sh'mu'el. (Samuel; see Acts 13:20).



## Ruth & Esther

Women of the Providence of God

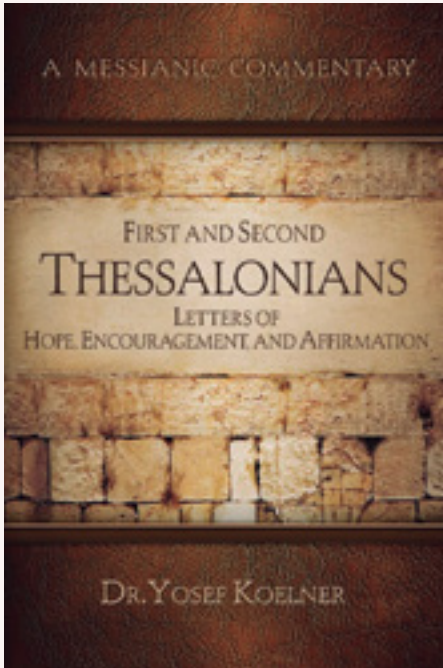
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“Providence” is the gracious outworking of God's sovereignty, one in which all events are directed, permitted, or disposed by God, so as to work out his will and his plan for all this world and for all its times. It is important, however, that we distinguish between God's General Providence and his Special Providence. In his use of General Providence, God shows his ruling over the universe through his use of general rules that operate according to the created rules of nature, without needing specific or special acts of direct divine intervention of his will in a special way in every case. In his Special Providence, on the contrary, God manifests his working in direct response to special situations, or particular persons, using aspects of his work usually not seen in the laws of creation.



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Dr. **YOSEF KOELNER** was born in Chicago and raised in an Orthodox Jewish home. His extended family is among the Chalutzim (Pioneers), the early settlers of Israel. His education includes a Master of Ministry with a concentration in Jewish studies from Messiah Biblical University; a MA in Jewish Studies from Gratz College as well as a Doctor of Practical Ministry from Wagner Leadership Institute. Dr Jeffrey graduated Southern Methodist University with Masters of Theological Studies and Doctor of Ministry degrees, and is currently a doctoral student at Cambridge.

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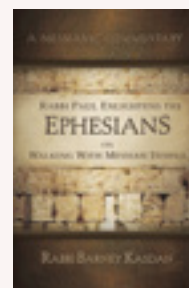
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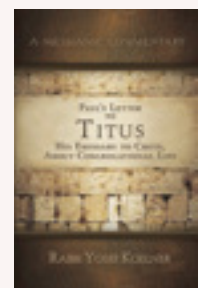
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**RYAN SNIDER** is a writer, pastor, thinker, and educator committed to nurturing spiritual growth, fostering meaningful connections, and telling a more beautiful story. He has spent his career in the church and higher education.



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By Ruth Graham

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Dr. **RUTH GRAHAM** is a clinical psychologist and has worked in the National Health System in the UK for more than a decade in a variety of mental health services. She has a particular professional interest in attachment, abuse and trauma. Her work has mostly been with young people, families and specifically those with experience of foster care.



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## Superhabits

The Universal System for a Successful Life

By Dr. Andrew Abela

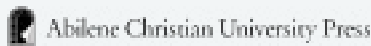
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Dr. **ANDREW ABELA** is the founding dean of the Busch School of Business at the Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C. He holds an MBA from the Institute for Management Development in Switzerland and a Ph.D. from the Darden Business School at the University of Virginia.



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## A Water Lily Among the Wildflowers

Hope and Truth for Moms after Pregnancy Loss

By Rachel Dickey

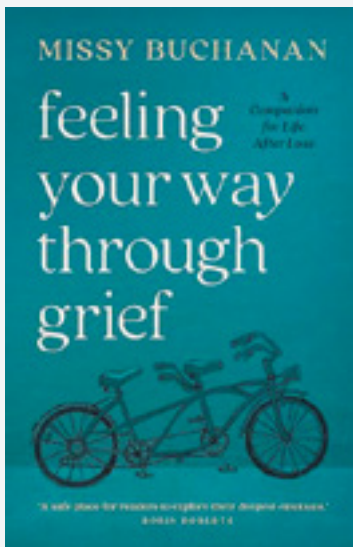
When a mother loses a baby, a depth of grief emerges that is unlike anything else. Family members and friends are usually at a loss regarding what they should do or say, and their sometimes-callous words only compound a grieving parent's anxiety and anguish of spirit.

This is what happened to Rachel Dickey, a registered nurse who tragically lost a baby during pregnancy. Having faced this overwhelming grief, she speaks directly to readers about her firsthand experiences and encourages moms to look to the truth of Scripture as they navigate their loss. Looking for answers, Rachel began an in-depth study of what the Bible says regarding the unborn, answering critical questions like, when does life begin, did God love my unborn baby, and is my baby in heaven?

Those reeling from the trauma of losing a baby need support and friendship. Rachel offers that to the millions of mothers who said goodbye to their babies too soon.

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After graduating from UNC Greensboro with a Bachelor of Science in Nursing, **RACHEL DICKEY** followed her dream of becoming a Labor and Delivery nurse.



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## Feeling Your Way Through Grief

A Companion for Life after Loss

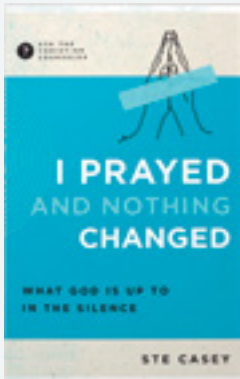
By Missy Buchanan

In this poignant collection of reflections from that first year, Missy opens the window wide onto her personal journey and all the raw emotions that bubbled up from day to day. From family holidays to everyday tasks such as pumping gas or taking out the trash, Missy's tender notes resonate with the shared experiences of grief, offering a guiding light and true companion for your own journey. Along the way, she also affirms that faith is not lacking when you don't feel "strong" and that and that being vulnerable can help support the healing process. *Feeling Your Way Through Grief* is an invitation to embrace the complexities of loss, find solace in genuine emotions, and embark on a faithful journey toward healing.

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**MISSY BUCHANAN**, an advocate for older adults, is an internationally recognized author and speaker on issues of aging faithfully. Buchanan is the author of multiple books, a devotional calendar, and a devotional journal.

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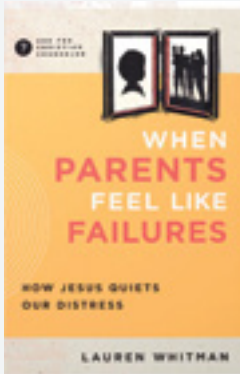
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**STE CASEY** is the pastor of Speke Baptist Church, Liverpool, UK and on the Executive Committee of Biblical Counselling UK and leads the Certificate Course in Liverpool together with his wife, Jane.



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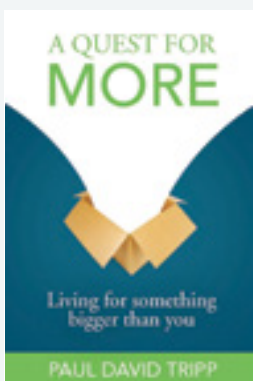
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For every parent who has ever laid awake reviewing the mistakes and missteps of their day, Lauren Whitman points them to Jesus, who quiets our distress with his love and forgiveness. While many resources help parents grow in how they parent, few help parents with addressing feelings about unrealistic expectations, perceived mistakes, and supposed failings. *When Parents Feel Like Failures* is an encouraging, grace-centered book that helps us see ourselves and the Lord more accurately.

**LAUREN WHITMAN, MA**, is a counselor and faculty member at the Christian Counseling & Educational Foundation (CCEF), where she has served for over a decade. She also serves as the developmental editor of the *Journal of Biblical Counseling* and is the editor of *Henry's Big Mistake* and the author of *A Biblical Counseling Process*, *A Painful Past*, and the minibook *Mom Guilt*.



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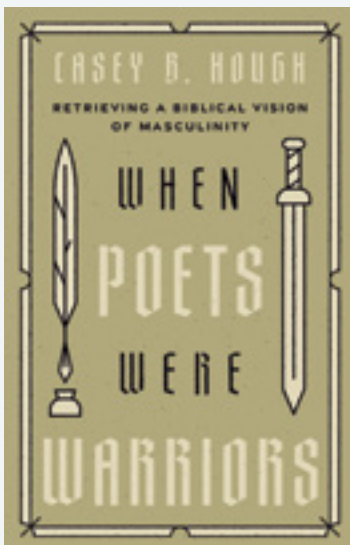
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Certified life coach, public speaker, author, and pastor, Dr. **MARK CHIRONNA** bridges the intellectual and spiritual realms to dismantle emotional barriers, empower lives, and release the creativity and personal power of the individual. His authentic and compassionate approach has transformed lives through one-on-one mentoring, speaking engagements, print, and electronic media.



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## When Poets Were Warriors

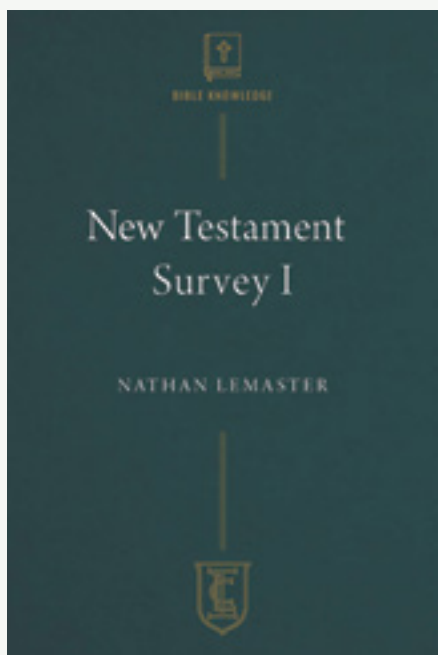
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By Casey B. Hough

Between the toxic masculinity and gender confusion of our day, the Christian church needs to retrieve a balanced vision of what it means to be a man. Instead of allowing cultural stereotypes to form our vision of masculinity, we need to return to the emotionally complex and paradoxically challenging example of Jesus' own life and teaching. *When Poets Were Warriors* studies the person and work of Jesus as an example of what it means to be a Christian man. Casey knows that Jesus is more than an example of masculinity, though He is not less. He wants readers to walk away from his book not only with a greater understanding of what it means to be a man, but also with a greater love for Jesus Christ. After all, Jesus provides the greatest example of what it means to be a man while doing what only He could do: redeeming others from sin through His life, death, and resurrection.

**CASEY B. HOUGH** (PhD, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary) currently serves as director of partnerships and curriculum at World Hope Ministries International and assistant professor of biblical interpretation at Luther Rice College & Seminary. Before moving to World Hope, Casey served in pastoral ministry for sixteen years.

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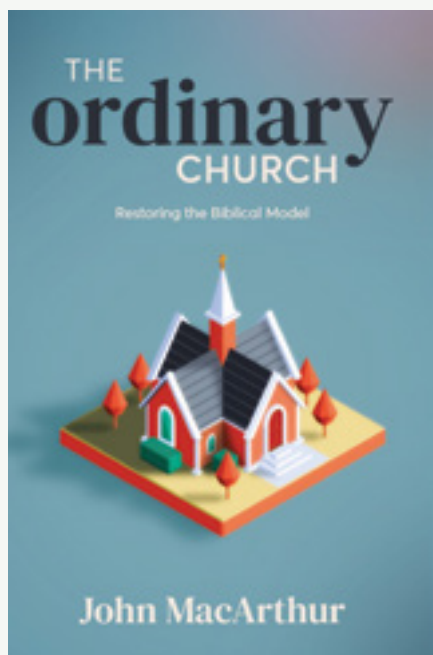
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Dr. **NATHAN LEMASTER** (PhD, Cambridge) serves as Associate Professor of Old Testament and Director of Distance Education at The Master's Seminary. He completed his MDiv at The Master's Seminary and went on to study linguistics at Arizona State University, Hebrew University in Jerusalem, and Cambridge University, where he completed his PhD in 2021.



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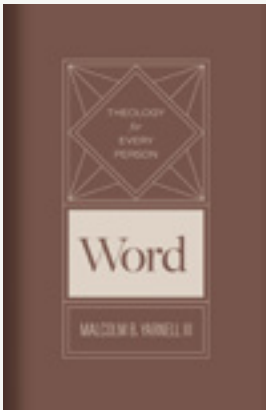
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**JOHN MACARTHUR** is chancellor of The Master's University and Seminary, an author, conference speaker, and pastor-teacher of Grace Community Church in Sun Valley, California. John is also a chairman and featured teacher of Grace to You, a nonprofit radio and television program.



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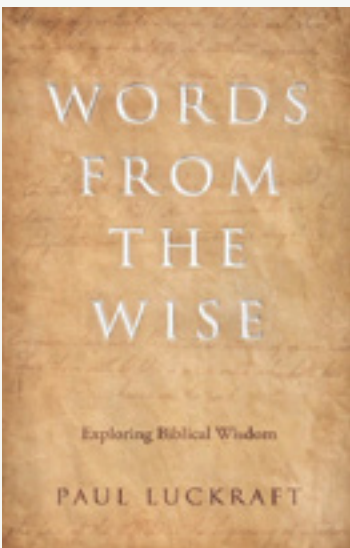
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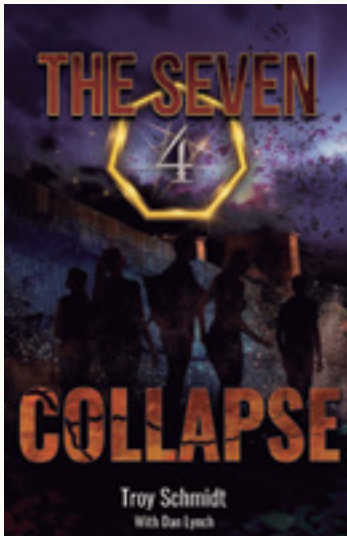
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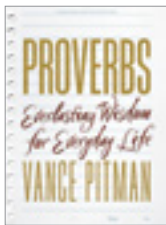
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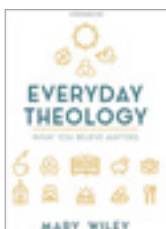
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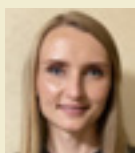
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