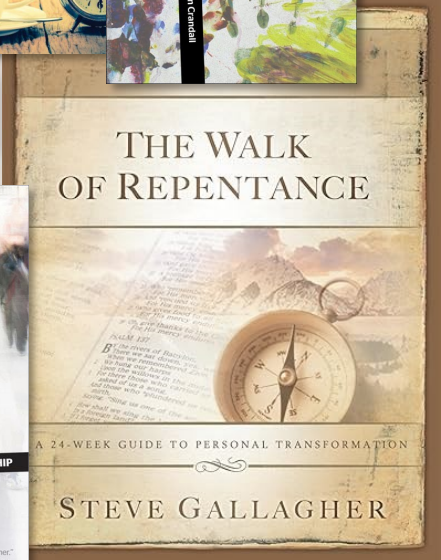
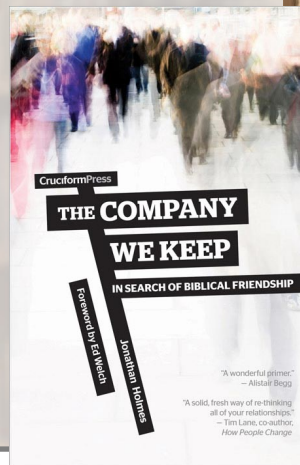
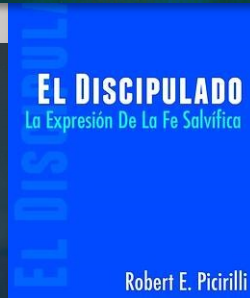
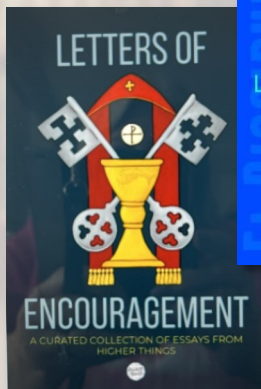
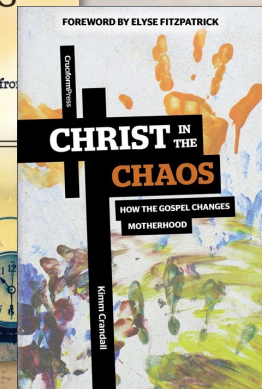
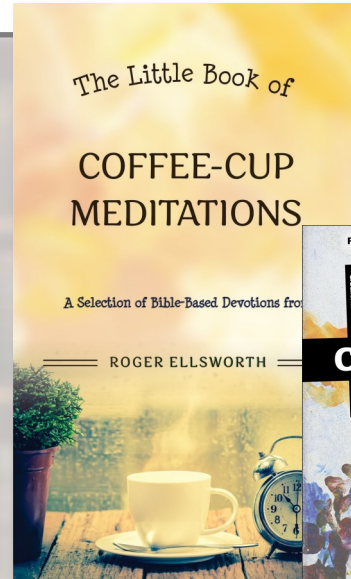
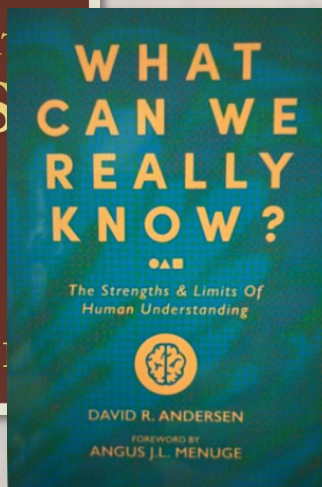
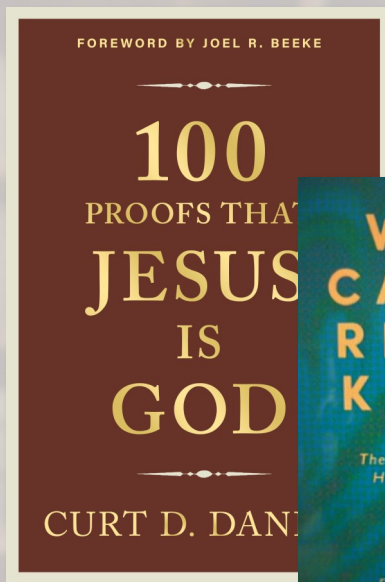




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October 2023

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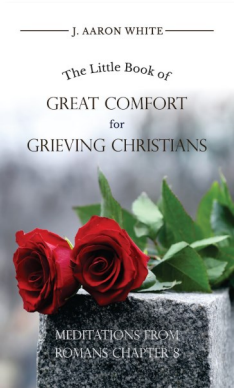
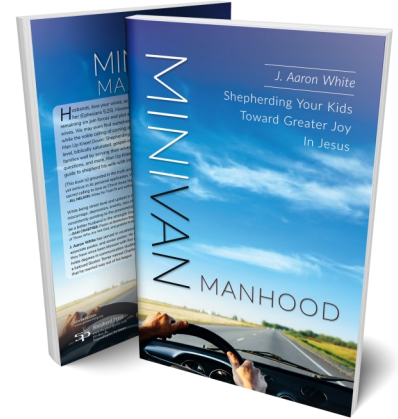


Minivan Manhood—NEW RELEASE OCTOBER 2023

by Pastor Aaron White—144 pages

As a follow-up to his previous book (*Man Up, Kneel Down: Shepherding Your Wife Toward Greater Joy in Jesus*), Pastor White has produced an accessible, mercifully short, gospel-saturated, practical guide for fathers who want to shepherd their children in a way that makes Christ look glorious. In its brief chapters, *Minivan Manhood* aims to encourage, equip, challenge, and inspire dads to take up the high call of fatherhood with fresh clarity and zeal.

About the Author: J. Aaron White has served in vocational ministry for over ten years as a worship director, associate pastor, and now as Pastor for Teaching and Training at Redeemer Bible Church in Minnetonka, MN. Pastor White holds degrees in communication studies, systematic theology, and practical theology.



The Little Book of Great Comfort for Grieving Christians: Meditations from Romans Chapter 8

—**NEW RELEASE AUGUST 2023**

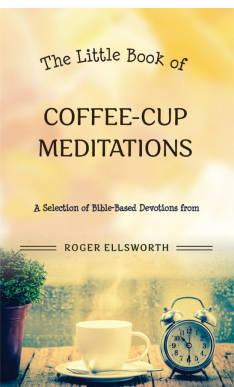
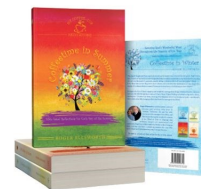
by Pastor Aaron White—112 pages

In our fallen world, grief is a painfully common experience. Times of loss and sorrow can leave the most stalwart saints breathless with agony. Hard times call for strong medicine. The promise-packed eighth chapter of Romans is a powerful antidote for spiritual depression. Grieving Christians of all ages will benefit from this accessible, winsome, pastoral, and compassionate journey through Paul's wonderfully encouraging chapter.

Reading Audience: Grieving believers, Friends of bereaved people, People suffering trials. Features and Benefits: Warm, engaging, exhorting tone. Written with care and thoughtfulness for believers struggling with trials. Rich in Scripture content and application. Short, meditative chapters.

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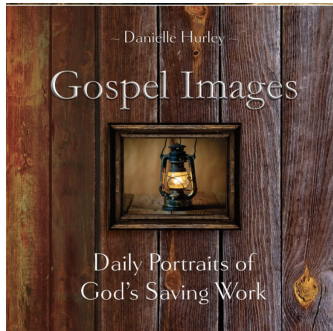
20 Bible-based devotions—128 pages

by Roger Ellsworth

These engaging and delightful readings from Roger Ellsworth practically and enjoyably connect ordinary life with the spiritual truths of God's Word. Find out how the Bible profoundly speaks to ordinary people—in the humdrum of life in a messed-up world. After you have read these twenty devotions, you will want to get the full set of books—Bible-based reflections for each of the seasons of the year.

About the Author: Roger Ellsworth is a retired pastor, active in ministry and writing, who lives in Jackson, Tennessee. Roger has written numerous books on the Christian faith, and has exercised a preaching ministry for over fifty years.

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GOSPEL IMAGES Daily Portraits of God's Saving Work—AVAILABLE NOW! by Danielle Hurley, Missionary to Uganda—144 pages

Nothing brings greater joy than meditating on the love of God and what He has done for us, which fuels our desire to serve our King with more fervor than ever and to mortify sin with a greater passion. And this is exactly what this book is intended to do for the believer—to personalize facts about Christ's sacrificial love toward us. This 31-day gospel devotional will help you to preach the gospel to yourself as you experience again God's grace through a different image of the gospel each day. Reading this book, we pray that: You will be refreshed in reminding yourself of all that Christ has done on your behalf. The Scriptures will come alive for you. You will feel closer to the Lord than you ever have before, more clearly understand your position in the Lord, and love Christ more as you meditate on these images of the gospel. 144 pgs.

About the Author: Danielle Hurley serves as a missionary with her husband Shannon in Uganda with Sufficiency of Scripture Ministries. She is the mother of eight children, five of whom are adopted from Uganda. Danielle enjoys helping her husband, raising her children, and inspiring other women in her village to love Christ more. She also recorded two albums, Love so Amazing and Satisfied. To learn more about Sufficiency of Scripture Ministries, please visit www.sosministries.com

CRITICAL ISSUES SERIES—AVAILABLE NOW!

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This book will help you understand how a counseling theory is constructed and to remind us of the foundations and construction of a historic biblical counseling approach to life issues. It will demonstrate the beauty of Scripture and help you grow in discernment as we hear the claims of other proposed models. Of course, this is all for the glory of God and the good of His people through the power of the gospel.

About the Author: Dr. Ernie Baker has been a pastor in Virginia and a professor at The Master's University (Santa Clarita, CA) where he continues to serve as the chair of the online biblical counseling program. He is a fellow with the Association of Certified Biblical Counselors and a certified conciliator with The Institute for Christian Conciliation. Ernie is passionate about people and serving them for the glory of God and the relevance of the Bible for the many counseling issues humans face.

Common Grace – Critical Issues Series—AVAILABLE NOW! by Heath Lambert—94 pages

This addresses the important topic of the doctrine of common grace. With laser-like precision it demonstrates the beauties and limitations of this crucial doctrine, and reemphasizes what historic biblical counseling has taught concerning the sufficiency of Scripture while showing the weaknesses of endeavoring to use the doctrine of common grace to allow for integration of secular methodologies. Of course, this is all for the glory of God and the good of His people through the power of the gospel.

About the Author: Heath Lambert is Senior Pastor First Baptist Church of Jacksonville, FL. Prior to serving at First Baptist, he served as the Executive Director of the Association of Certified Biblical Counselors (ACBC), and as a professor at The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. Heath earned a bachelor of arts (B.A.) in biblical and theological studies and political science from Gordon College in 2002, a master of divinity (M.Div.) in Christian Ministry from Southern Seminary in 2005, and a doctorate (Ph.D.) in biblical counseling and systematic theology from Southern Seminary in 2009.

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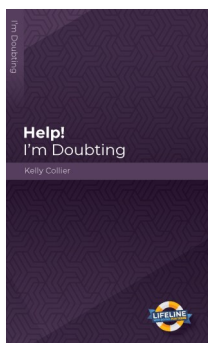
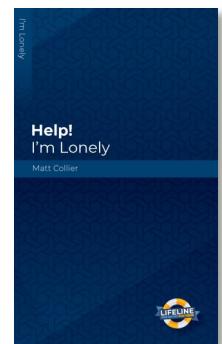
"I am very excited about the new Lifeline for Teens. Unlike the many counseling resources for adults, there are few directly relatable to teens and the issues they face. Often parents and counselors are left to offer, or re-apply, something with illustrations and applications that are not well suited. This new series should provide some great help for young people at a crossroads on issues having to do with peers, parents, worldly voices, and inner struggles. I wholeheartedly endorse this effort designed to bring the Scriptures to bear in a relevant way for both teens and those ministering to them."—**Dr. Stuart Scott ThM, D.MIN:** Director, The Center for Biblical Counseling; Professor of Biblical Counseling, BJU Seminary, Greenville, SC; Director of Membership Services and professor of biblical counseling at The Master's University in Santa Clarita, CA.

Featured Title: Help! I'm Lonely

by Matt Collier—48 pages

In spite of being surrounded by people and continual access to social media, many teens like you feel lonelier than ever. Thankfully, God's Word speaks into your loneliness. Jesus suffered the ultimate loneliness so that you can experience the genuine belonging you crave so deeply. It turns out that your feelings of loneliness are actually an invitation from God Himself. Your journey of belonging awaits.

About the Author: Since 1999, Matt Collier has served in various capacities related to youth ministry, including youth pastor, senior pastor, President of the Wilds Christian Association, and Director of CampsAbroad, an international organization that helps local churches reach teenagers through Christian camping.



Featured Title: Help! I'm Doubting

by Kelly Collier—48 pages

Have you ever wondered how you can know for sure that you are really saved? Do you question if you said the right thing when you prayed? Or if you really believed? If so, you are not alone. Many teens just like you struggle with uncertainty about salvation. Paralyzing doubt can keep you from progressing in your walk with God. Thankfully, God can help you lift your eyes off yourself and onto Jesus Christ, your great Savior!

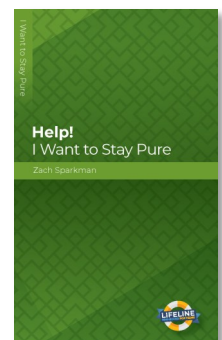
About the Author: Kelly Collier is an ACBC certified counselor with over 20 years of experience in counseling teenagers and women. She serves with The Wilds Christian Association, which ministers to teenagers around the world through Christian camping. She and her husband, Matt, have three children and live in Brevard, NC.

Featured Title: Help! I Want to Stay Pure

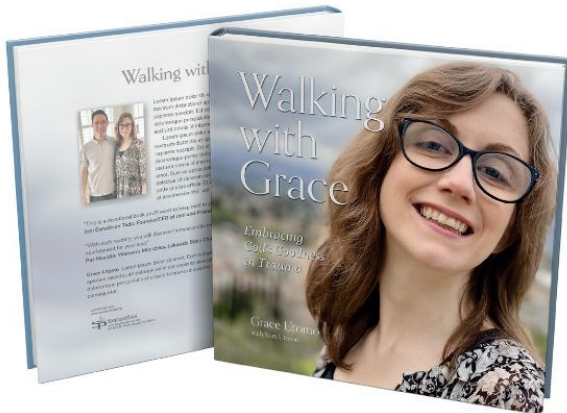
by Zach Sparkman—48 pages

Do you feel like battling lust is like trying to stop a tidal wave from crashing down on you? The truth is, even as a teenager, you can resist the temptation to lust. The battle for purity is a battle of faith, believing that God is more satisfying than any pleasure sexual lust gives. The Bible gives us hope-filled instruction about how to stay pure.

About the Author: Zach Sparkman, ThM in New Testament, has served teens in various settings: local churches, camps, and schools. Currently, Zach serves as a lead pastor in the Metro Denver area of Colorado.



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Walking with Grace—AVAILABLE NOW

By Grace Utomo with Ivan Utomo—128 pages

Footage from a nearby security camera shows a white Mercedes plunge through its red light. The driver hits Grace before he hits his brakes. Doctors predict the severe traumatic brain injury, two strokes, and two brain bleeds will end her life that night. Grace and her new husband are just twenty-three years old. Walking with Grace looks trauma's hard questions in the eye: Why doesn't God grant every prayer for healing? How could a loving God let someone suffer? How can God be sovereign and good? Join Grace and her family as they journey through loss and disappointment to a fuller understanding of what it means to live by God's grace. 128 pgs.



Endorsement from Dr. Voddie T. Baucham Jr:

“Walking with Grace is honest, riveting, heartbreaking, and encouraging, all at once. This is not a fairytale, but a picture of real Christian life. This book warns us that trusting our Sovereign God is no guarantee that tragedy will not find us, while reminding us that trusting in him is the key to holding on to faith when tragedy does strike. The tapestry of God’s providence that unfolds in these pages will be a healing balm to those who find themselves in the midst of a trial, and a guide to all who struggle to hold on to hope. In the end, Walking with Grace points to the hope we find in the One who endured suffering on our behalf, and how that truth triumphs over all.”

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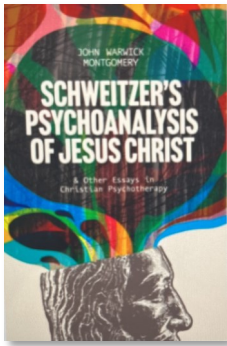


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Schweitzer's Psychoanalysis of Jesus Christ: And Other Essays in Christian Psychotherapy - NEW RELEASE
by John Warwick Montgomery—106 pages **AVAILABLE DECEMBER 2023**

John Warwick Montgomery beautifully highlights how modern psychiatric treatment has lost its mind! Contemporary forms of psychotherapy are, soulless—psychological and spiritual problems require a transcendent solution, as Montgomery nicely documents. No citation of Freud, Jung, or Albert Schweitzer in his flawed diagnosis of Jesus will never be the same as quoting Holy Scripture. Dr. Montgomery's latest book is a fresh movement of the Spirit of God to a lost and dying world without Christ. The answer: Put Christianity back into the discussion of what is genuine treatment, and Montgomery's newest book wonderfully points us in that direction.

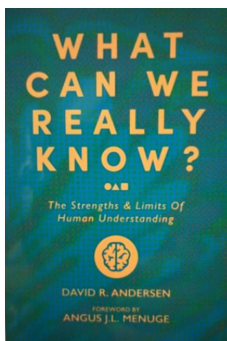
About the Author: John Warwick Montgomery (Ph.D., U. of Chicago; D.Théol., Strasbourg, France; LL.D. (Cardiff, Wales, UK) has served as Professor-at-Large at 1517: The Legacy Project since he became Professor emeritus of Law and Humanities at the University of Bedfordshire, England. In two of his previous books (Cross and Crucible and Myth, Allegory and Gospel) he employed Jungian analysis in his literary apologetic for the truth of historic Christianity. Having recently obtained the Specialist Diploma in Psychoanalysis and become a member of the Christian Association for Psychological Studies, he has written this little volume of essays connecting biblical truth with psychotherapeutic insights.

Letters of Encouragement: A Curated Collection of Essays from Higher Things

Edited by Higher Things —124 pages **AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER 2023**

This book is a collection of letters from pastors and professors of theology meant to encourage young men who either desire to be pastors or are interested in theology and want to learn more. Each letter is a topic in theology that either relates to the Office of the Holy Ministry or is a doctrinal topic that is helpful for all Christians to know.

About the Authors: The Mission of Higher Things is to make known the Gifts of Christ Jesus to youth and young adults.



What Can We Really Know? The Strengths and Limits of Human Understanding

by David R. Andersen—292 pages **AVAILABLE NOW**

This book aims to bring some balance to the topic, and argues that while we do have reason to believe that a great many of our claims are justified, it's also true that much of what passes for knowledge is a social product and therefore vulnerable to future revision. Exploring how knowledge can be understood, how far science can take us and what its limitations might be, and the status of some of the most recent arguments for God's existence, it will be suggested that a healthy dose of humility should be reincorporated in our public and private debates.

About the Author: David R. Anderson holds a PH.D from Wycliffe Hall, Oxford/Coventry University and has taught at several American universities. He is also the author of Martin Luther – The Problem of Faith and Reason.

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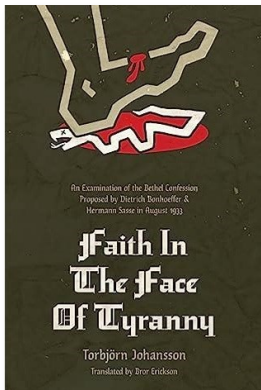
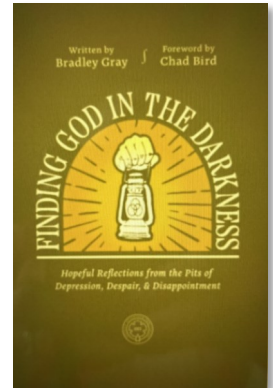
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Finding God in the Darkness

by Bradley Gray—190 pages **AVAILABLE NOW**

Suffering engulfs our lives in an unavoidable darkness, leaving answers and explanations obscured like a sorrowful fog. The gospel of Christ, however, gives us something infinitely more valuable than answers or explanations. Finding God in the Darkness: Hopeful Reflections from the Pits of Depression, Despair, and Disappointment is not an attempt to decode or decipher every nook and cranny of sorrow and suffering. It is a journey wherein faith, hope, and love are unexpectedly found along the way, in the midst of darkness. Much to our surprise, that's where God shows up, too.

About the Authors: Bradley Gray serves as senior pastor of Stonington Baptist Church in Paxinos, Pennsylvania, where he lives with his wife and 3 children. He blogs regularly at www.graceupongrace.net and hosts a semi-regular podcast, "Ministry Minded."



Faith in the Face of Tyranny: An Examination of the Bethel Confession Proposed by Dietrich Bonhoeffer and Hermann Sasse in August 1933

by Torbjörn Johansson—102 pages **AVAILABLE NOW**

In Faith in the Face of Tyranny, Torbjörn Johansson looks at the work that Dietrich Bonhoeffer and Hermann Sasse brought to the forgotten Bethel Confession of 1933 to show just what a confessional response to national socialism and racism looks like. This work is relevant for today, when there are often calls for new confessions and declarations addressing different political ideologies, issues, and movements. Faith in the Face of Tyranny shows what such a confession should look like and why, as well as what considerations should be taken into account when looking at such a project.

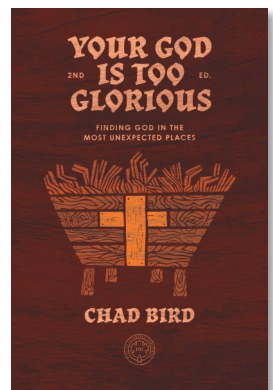
About the Author: David R. Anderson holds a PH.D from Wycliffe Hall, Oxford/Coventry University and has taught at several American universities. He is also the author of Martin Luther – The Problem of Faith and Reason.

Your God is Too Glorious

by Chad Bird— **AVAILABLE NOVEMBER 2023**

"Make it your ambition to lead a quiet life," Paul urges (1 Thess. 4:11 NIV). Those words have become almost a mantra for me, says Chad Bird. "Make it your ambition to lead a quiet life." In other words, make it your ambition not to let "awesome" define your life, dictate your relationships, weigh the importance of who you are, or guide you in discerning how and where God is found. To lead a quiet life doesn't mean that you lower your expectations as much as you lower your gaze. Instead of looking up to the next accomplishment, the next rung on the ladder, you look down at the daily life you live, the children God has given you, the spouse by your side, your aging parents, your dear friends, the poor and needy—all those "little things" you miss when you're always looking up to the "next big thing" in your life.

Likewise, instead of looking up for God in emotionally electrifying mountaintop experiences, you'll discover he is the Lord of the lowlands, transfigured by simplicity and suffering. He prefers to sit with the lonely, weep with the mourner, and wander the halls of the ICU. Instead of looking for God in the high and mighty things of this world, you'll find him tucked into the smallest crevices of life: swimming in the tears of the widow, enthroned upon a quarter-sized piece of bread from the altar, laughing in the toddler's voice as he plays in the sandbox. Instead of waiting to be wowed by God in mighty displays of his omnipotence, you'll find that power compressed into weak, unimpressive vessels.



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Be Thou My Song: Grace and Faith in Christian Poetry in the Seventeenth Century

by Kerri L. Tom—92 pages **AVAILABLE MARCH 2024—PLAN AHEAD TODAY!**

Be Thou my Song is a line from seventeenth-century poet Edward Taylor. In his meditation on Philippians 2:9, Taylor finds that his ability to compose poetry falls short of his desire to glorify God, so he prays, “That I thy glorious Praise may Trumpet right, / Be thou my Song, and make Lord, mee thy Pipe.” In one way or another, all of the poets included in the chapters of Be Thou My Song strive to convey their wonder for God’s unending grace and mercy in their own limited ways; He provides the content, the song, while the writers are merely the conduits, the pipe. By reading these poems carefully, we can share in their gratitude for how God cares for us, both here on earth and in our final heavenly home. In each chapter, you will find a poem, presented in its entirety, followed by an exploration of that poem and some questions to contemplate afterwards. The goal of these explorations is to provide readers with a deeper appreciation, a deeper understanding, and a deeper love of what each poet has given to us.

About the Author: Kerri L. Thomsen is a Professor of English and the Director at Concordia University, USA.



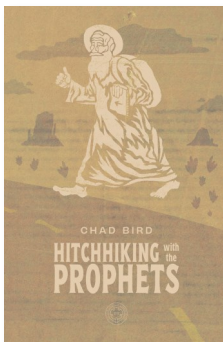
Encouragement for Motherhood: Devotional Writings on the Work of Christ

Edited by Katie Koplin—144 pages **AVAILABLE APRIL 2024—PLAN AHEAD TODAY!**

This book offers mothers encouragement, rooted in and focused on Christ. We’re reminded of the reality that Christ has established the work of our hands brings hope, peace, and sustainability to our work as a mother. Each contributor writes about their limitations, fear of the future, failures, and relationship dynamics. More importantly, each contributor points to the hope found amid the struggles of motherhood. The hope found is not within the mother. The hope found is freely given to each of us by Christ.

This is a gospel reminder that you are forgiven and free on account of Christ and his work. Being kept in those unfailing promises of Christ we get to live in freedom. Living in freedom we will fail and ask forgiveness, be confronted by our limitations but held by God, and be fearful yet rest in Christ.

About the Editor: Katie and her husband Dallas live in Western MN where she works as a substitute teacher, writer, and speaker. Katie writes and speaks about the work of Christ and what that means for our lives. A great joy in her life is reminding people that because of Christ ‘You are forgiven’. She Co-hosts a podcast Freely Given where she and fellow host Gretchen have conversations about the freedom that comes through dependence on Christ.



Hitchhiking with Prophets: A Ride through the Salvation Story of the Old Testament

by Chad Bird—196 pages **AVAILABLE JULY 2024—PLAN AHEAD TODAY!**

The Bible is not some dusty textbook, but a veritable circus of humanity, with high-soaring saints, back-talking donkeys, left-handed king-slayers, and all the glory and gore you can fit inside the big top of this biblical tent. And everywhere in this story is God who, in his wild and passionate love for humanity, is shepherding history toward the birth and ministry of Jesus the Messiah. Do you already have a good grasp of the Old Testament? Wonderful. This book will be an enjoyable review. Do you not know the difference between the Bible and The Hobbit? Also fine. This book will be a helpful map into unknown territory. By the time we’re done, you won’t know all the ins and outs of the story, but you will have a strong grasp of the major movers and shakers. We will sit shotgun with patriarchs and prophets. Each one will take us a little farther down the Old Testament road until we get to the goal: to Jesus, the one in whom the whole story finds fulfillment and meaning.

About the Author: Chad Bird is a Scholar in Residence at 1517. He holds master’s degrees from Concordia Theological Seminary and Hebrew Union College. He has served as a pastor, professor, and guest lecturer in Old Testament and Hebrew. Chad has authored several books, speaks regularly at conferences and congregations, and cohosts the popular podcast, “40 Minutes in the Old Testament.”

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Clothed with Christ: A Style Guide for Sinners

by Brian W. Thomas—**AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER 2024—PLAN AHEAD TODAY!**

Tracing the thread that is woven through the Bible. Is the Bible the first book that comes to mind when you think of fashion? Probably not. But carefully woven throughout Genesis to Revelation runs a clothing metaphor that adorns its theology. As he traces this literary thread, Brian W. Thomas presents the fashion-forward story of how God saves sinners in an engaging and winsome style. If you have ever been intimidated by God's big book, here is a little book to help you to better understand the topics of creation, sin, justification, and the Christian life as they center on being clothed with Christ's cross-earned righteousness. Welcome to God's red carpet. Are you dressed for it?

About the Author: Brian W. Thomas serves as the pastor of Grace Lutheran Church in San Diego, California. He is a frequent contributor at 1517 and host of the YouTube channel, Church Matters, which provides short explanations of the Christian faith for outsiders. Brian has written several books, including Wittenberg vs. Geneva: A Biblical Bout in Seven Rounds on the Doctrines that Divide.

Endorsement for Clothed with Christ: "Clothed with Christ': What does it really mean? It's not just a metaphor. It's what we are given for our security before God now and the dazzling finery of the Wedding Feast of the Lamb. Let Brian Thomas show you Christ's wardrobe!" ---- Michael Horton, Professor of Theology, Westminster Seminary California and co-host of the White Horse Inn podcast.

Junk Drawer Jesus: Discarding Your Spiritual Clutter and Rediscovering the Supremacy of Grace

by Matt Popovits—210 pages **AVAILABLE OCTOBER 2024—PLAN AHEAD TODAY!**

Junk Drawer Jesus is for all those who are worn out by their religious experience and frustrated by their growing collection of burdensome traditions, conflicting "truths," and unfulfilled promises. If you are spiritually exhausted, you're invited to examine your religious clutter and compare it to the person and promises of Jesus Christ. In the process you'll discover what—if anything—of your spiritual collection is worth keeping. And you'll be re-introduced to the soul-satisfying simplicity of a God who refuses to fill your life with junk, but instead offers grace upon grace.

About the Editor: Matt Popovits serves as Senior Pastor of St. Mark Houston. Matt is the host of What Matters Most radio and co-host of the podcast, Make It Simple. He's the author of Tough Call: A Little Book on Making Big Decisions and is a regular speaker at events and conferences.

Endorsement by Chad Bird:

Not only was the book a sheer joy to read; it centered me on who and what truly matters. By the last page, I loved Jesus more and knew, with profound gratitude, that I am one whom Jesus loves.

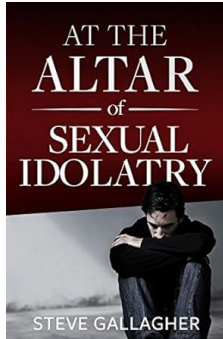
I know a book is a keeper when the author comes alongside me to point to our shared weaknesses, our silly and self-chosen religious masquerades, and to usher me, with wit and humor and truth, into a life where Jesus is the all-in-all. Matt pulled open my own junk drawer and pointed out all the useless stuff that clutters my soul and centers me on me, then pointed, over and over, to Jesus and his finished work of salvation as God's gift.

Endorsement by David Zahl:

What a wonderful book! Junk Drawer Jesus abounds with inspired imagery and insight about the burdens we accumulate, often without realizing it -- and the cluttering effect this can have on our souls. A worldclass communicator, **Matt Popovits has given us not only a vital tool for taking spiritual inventory, but a highly readable invitation to faith itself. I loved every chapter.** *David Zahl, Author of Low Anthropology*



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At the Altar of Sexual Idolatry

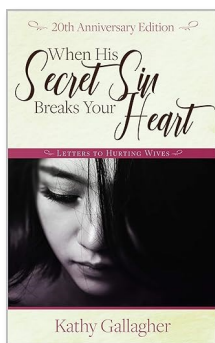
by Steve Gallagher— 304 pages

Gallagher Exposes the real roots of sexual addiction while clearly marking the path to a **victorious life!**

In the most comprehensive treatment of sexual addiction available, Gallagher shows men how to destroy the idol of lust and paves the way for a radical transformation of their heart and life. “This book has a straightforward, biblical approach to the sensuality of our culture. It dares us to believe that sexual addictions of any kind can be overcome through deep repentance, spiritual warfare and accountability. Thankfully, it does not just analyze how pagan our culture has become but also shows how we can walk down a different path to purity and freedom. This book is direct, helpful and hopeful for all who have been led to believe that victory over sensual sins is not possible.”

About the Author: Through his experience, Steve Gallagher has dedicated his life to helping men overcome sexual sin through holiness and a passionate pursuit of Jesus Christ. Steve is the founder of Pure Life Ministries and author of 11 books and 7 Bible studies. He is also a regularly featured columnist in both print and web media. He holds an Associates of Arts degree from Sacramento City College and a Master’s Degree in Pastoral Ministry from Master’s International School of Divinity. He is also a certified Biblical Counselor through the International Association of Biblical Counselors (IABC) in Denver, CO. Steve and his wife Kathy make their home in Williamstown, KY.

Endorsement: Dr. Erwin W. Lutzer - Pastor Emeritus, Moody Church, Chicago “Our world ‘experts’ have diagnosed sin as psychological and prescribed therapy, physiological and prescribed drugs, societal and prescribed support groups. They have missed the one key element to any diagnosis of aberrant behavior. This important element that our world’s experts have missed is the key teaching in Steve Gallagher’s book *At the Altar of Sexual Idolatry*. Steve has delved into the root cause of all sexual deviancy, and reveals with his characteristic clarity: all sin is first and foremost spiritual. And because the diagnosis is accurate the prescription Steve presents is both accurate and life-changing: the gospel. In reading this book we learn what the world does not know, and we discover the solution the world does not provide. I highly recommend this book!”.



When His Secret Sin Breaks Your Heart

by Kathy Gallagher— 208 pages

“This is one of the deepest betrayals a woman faces. Kathy’s personal experience and years of counseling have provided her with tremendous insight.” Beverly LaHaye

One afternoon, Kathy Gallagher discovered why her husband was so emotionally distant, angry and unpredictable: he was addicted to pornography and adulterous sexual encounters. Only those who have experienced this kind of betrayal can comprehend the level of pain Kathy experienced in that moment. But in the years that followed, she experienced a God who could use the greatest pain and deepest suffering imaginable to draw her into His unfathomable depths of love, forgiveness and intimacy.

In the 20th Anniversary Edition of *When His Secret Sin Breaks Your Heart*, the devastated wife will quickly find that Kathy sympathizes with her emotional turmoil and offers solid counsel on a wide range of issues. But most importantly, she will be directed to the only true source of hope and comfort in the midst of unspeakable pain: Jesus.

NEW TITLES



i: The Root of Sin Exposed

by Steve Gallagher— 288 pages

Since the Garden of Eden sin has ravaged people's lives, leaving behind a plethora of troubling problems such as anxieties, fears, insecurities, confusion, unbelief, bitterness, sexual hang-ups, and even addictions.

Most people look for answers in all the wrong places. They ought to look within. They ought to look at i:

i is the "self-life." i is the core of the fallen human nature. i is the realm where sin grows and flourishes.

i: the root of sin exposed unravels the mystery of the corrupted human nature, and convincingly proves that all of man's struggles with sin can be traced to the pride-driven "self-life" that emerges from it. Rather than relying on trendy quick-fixes, this book digs deeply into the treasures of Scripture to provide struggling believers everything they need to deal with their problems at the root level: the inescapable, ever-present i. "There is a common thread that runs through every broken relationship, international war, church split, ministry scandal, or social conflict: Human pride. It is so insidious that we seldom see it in ourselves, so universal that no heart is immune, and so destructive that no nation is safe from its fury. While the topic of pride is central to the human condition, it is one of the least discussed sins in the Christian world. Steve Gallagher extracts the truth of this topic with the precision of a skilled surgeon. His goal is to identify the roots and fruits of this heart condition, that God truly hates, and enable us, through the power of the Holy Spirit, to root it out and replace it with Christ's humble nature. If you want to gain victory over sin, you will never be able to do so without dealing a death-blow to your pride. You need the truth contained in this book more than you need air, for it can save your very soul. This book is the definitive work on the topic of pride for our day. I highly recommend you read this vital work!"

Israel Wayne, Christian Worldview

"In Steve Gallagher's book, **i: the root of sin exposed**, the reader is introduced to the root of all sin: pride. He successfully shows how the faithful follower of Christ can change from one who worships self to one who pleases the Lord through a life of humility. By carefully defining his terms and illustrating the various forms pride takes, Gallagher helps those who truly want to follow Christ to enjoy a much closer relationship with God and thus fulfill the great commandment to love God with all that we are, heart, soul, mind and strength. I heartily recommend this book to every believer who desires to live to the glory of God." **Bill Hines**, D.Min., President, Covenant Ministries, Inc. and Author of *Leaving Yesterday Behind: A Victim No More*

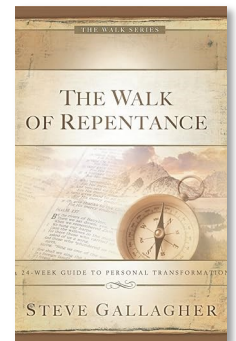
The Walk of Repentance

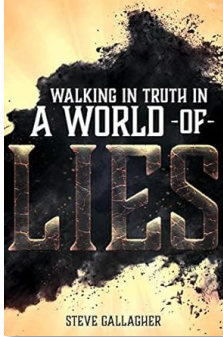
by Steve Gallagher— 180 pages

Our problem isn't a lack of knowledge. Our problem is a lack of living it.

This 24-week Bible study has impacted the lives of thousands of people because it equips them to live out the Word of God. It is a simple, straightforward discipleship tool that focuses on the basics of the Christian life. Each week of this easy-to-use curriculum has a theme, addressing the challenges of the Christian life one step at a time.

Whether used by individuals or couples—in small groups, counseling settings, Sunday school classes or prison ministry—The Walk of Repentance makes a profound impact and leads sensitive hearts into a deeper intimacy with the Lord.





Walking in Truth in a World of Lies

by Steve Gallagher— 400 pages

You and I are being lied to on a regular basis. In fact, our entire culture is riddled with duplicity. Scripture repeatedly warns of deception on a massive scale in the Last Days, so why are Christians seemingly so unconcerned? Has their access to theological information and their acceptance of orthodox doctrine caused them to believe they are impervious to being deceived?

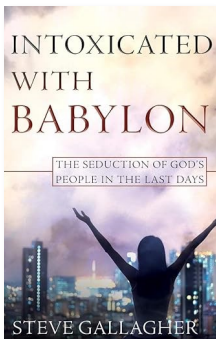
There is only one way to stay safe from the deceiver's powerful lies: We must allow the "love of the truth" to hold sway in our innermost being. Only then will be capable of Walking in Truth in a World of Lies.

"I believe this book has come into the Kingdom for such a time as this. Never before has the enemy amassed such an arsenal of deception as today. Jesus warned us that in the last days the love of many would wax cold. Blow out any candle and the wax will remain hot momentarily but gradually it will return to its previously hardened state. Such is the state of multiplied millions of believers today; the fire has gone out and relationship has been replaced by ritual, love by legalism and devotion by duty. **I believe this is Gallagher's finest work as it broadens its scope beyond the sex addict to the believer who feels comfortable in his lukewarmness and mediocrity.** My prayer is that this book will find its way into every believer's home and will serve to awaken us to the enemy's diabolical devices. Keep a copy for yourself and buy one for your pastor and friend. You may well help avert a major spiritual disaster."

David Ravenhill, Author and Itinerant Speaker

Given a choice, most students prefer a true or false test over essay questions. Perhaps that's because with true or false questions there is at least a 50/50 chance of getting the right answer. However, guessing is risky. Far better to study the subject and know what is true. Knowing what is true is never a matter of guessing; it's a matter of knowing. Solomon wrote 'Buy truth, and do not sell it, Get wisdom and instruction and understanding' (Proverbs 23:23 NASV). I can think of no better reason to encourage you to read Steve Gallagher's masterful essay on truth. Get it, read it, and I can assure you that you will get wisdom, and instruction and understanding on how to walk in the truth in a world of lies.

Dr. Dennis Frey, President: Master's International University of Divinity



Intoxicated with Babylon: The Seduction of God's People in the Last Days

by Steve Gallagher— 240 pages

Babylon is not a place but the seducing spirit of Antichrist, which has quietly infiltrated the pulpits, pews, bookstores and homes of the Christian ranks. Armed with a vast array of worldly charms and enchanting indulgences, she has deceived believers into exchanging a vibrant life in God for the empty shell of powerless religion.

Intoxicated with Babylon rips the mask off this harlot's face and exposes how she has subtly woven her mindset into the fabric of the end-times Church. It is a sobering wake-up call to a slumbering and sensuous Church to return to holy living.

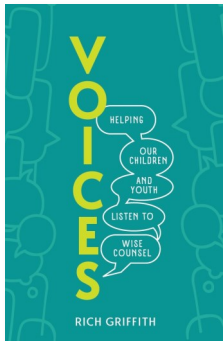
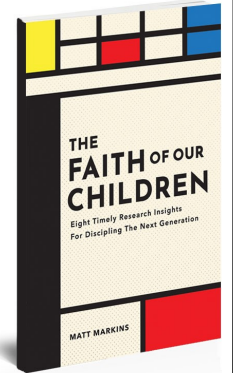
ENDORSEMENT: "Intoxicated with Babylon is very informative for people who want to hear and see. They will be challenged to repent and make new commitments. Unfortunately, the masses will continue to walk in the darkness of deception unless God intervenes. But Steve, like Jeremiah of old, is still commanded to cry the message even though people will not always listen. I feel this book is a definite wake-up call to the Church in these last days." **Rev. Kenneth Kashner, Haverhill, MA**

The Faith of Our Children—Eight Timely Research Insights for Discipling the Next Generation

by Matt Markins— 136 pages **NEW RELEASE SEPTEMBER 2023**

This book provides children’s ministry leaders and their teams with the insight needed to build ministry around the primary areas that form lasting faith, using educational systems needed to help cultivate faith that lasts. Readers will enjoy the casual voice this book is written in as well as the metaphors and rational logic included. The short, easy-to-read chapters provide space for reflection.

About the Author: Matt serves as the president and CEO of Awana, a global leader in child discipleship. As a leading researcher in child discipleship and children’s ministry, Matt has commissioned eleven research projects since 2013, including a study conducted by Barna Group called, “Children’s Ministry in a New Reality”. He is a board member at large for the National Association of Evangelicals and is the co-author of four books, most notably Resilient: Child Discipleship and the Fearless Future of the Church. He is also the co-founder of the Child Discipleship Forum and D6 Conference.



Voices -Helping Our Children and Youth Listen to Wise Counsel

by Rich Griffith, D.Min.—144 pages **NEW RELEASE OCTOBER 2023**

This book helps explain the origin of the quiet, positive voices, as well as the loud, negative voices. It also explores thought-provoking, relevant-to-teens questions. Provides scriptural guidelines in each section.

- Offers techniques to recognize and compare positive and negative voices.
- Teaches how voices contribute to anxiety in a teen’s life.
- Provides guidance on how to maintain open communication between parents and teens.
- Encourages intergenerational mentoring and offers steps to finding a mentor.

About the Author: A dad to three teenage sons, Dr. Rich Griffith, D.Min., is professor of Youth Ministry at Toccoa Falls College. Dr. Griffith also serves as a part-time pastor, is featured on several podcasts, has contributed to various Youth Specialties products and has worked with teens and families for over 30 years. This ministry fuels his passion to help young people find their voice.

The Lord is My Shepherd

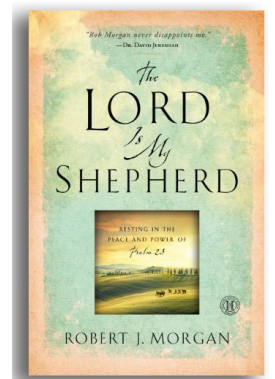
by Robert J. Morgan— 240 pages

Best Selling Author with more than 4 Million books in circulation world-wide!

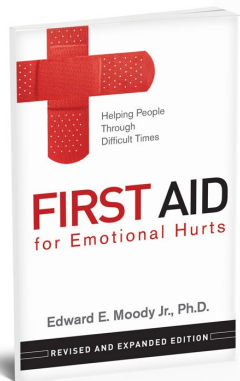
Bestselling author Robert J. Morgan explores the rich meaning and transcendent comfort of the world’s best-known and most-loved poem: Psalm 23.

Let these gentle words soak into your soul and fill you with the peace you long for.

About the Author: Robert J. Morgan is the teaching pastor of The Donelson Fellowship in Nashville, Tennessee, where he has served for 35 years. He is a best-selling and Gold-Medallion winning writer with more than 35 books in print and more than 4 million copies in circulation in multiple languages. He and his wife Katrina have three daughters and fourteen grandchildren. In 2014, Rob was awarded an honorary Doctor of Divinity Degree from his alma mater, Columbia International University.



NEW TITLES



First Aid: Anxiety-Part of a Series: First Aid for Emotional Hurts

by Dr. Eddie Moody— **COMING SOON! NEW RELEASE MARCH 2024—PLAN AHEAD TODAY!**

Please view the description of First Aid: In a Crisis for an example of how Dr. Moody handles subject matters for ministry leaders and volunteers to address anxiety and spiritual needs of those in need.

OTHER TITLES IN THIS SERIES:

First Aid: Emotions & First Aid: In a Crisis

Crisis has a way of showing up in the most unexpected times and places. Dr. Moody wants ministry leaders and volunteers to be ready when crisis arises to be the first responders for those who are hurting. While many excel at meeting physical needs, believers are called upon to meet emotional needs as well. Dr. Moody is a qualified voice guiding the reader through proper ways to respond to those suffering and offer help that will lead to restoration. Both the emotional and spiritual needs are addressed through Scripture and biblical examples in this book. Dr. Moody prepares the reader to respond in ways that offer real hope for those who are hurting.

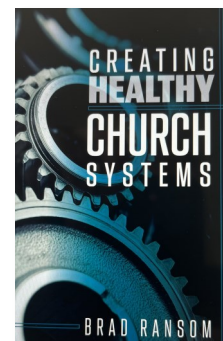
About the Author: Dr. Moody provides a much-needed resource to equip ministry leaders to help those suffering. Readers will learn what they can do to help someone dealing with emotional hurts, addiction, or crisis. Moody shares many examples from the Bible of those dealing with issues still present in our modern times. The author also provides an extensive list of resources related to each topic including ways to contact those providing professional help when needed. This book gives an excellent overview of situations one may face in helping someone suffering from emotional issues, addiction, and mental health issues.

Creating Healthy Church Systems

by Brad Ransom—175 pages **NEW RELEASE MARCH 2024—PLAN AHEAD TODAY!**

Readers will be empowered through the understanding of the importance of a spiritual foundation. This book explores the idea of strategic thinking and aids pastors in charting a course to move forward as it uniquely challenges pastors to examine the health of their church. The aim of this work is to equip church leaders to implement 8 essential systems every church needs to become healthy through reaching and discipling a new group of believers, while being able to develop a strategy that is unique to their situation.

About the Author: Brad Ransom currently serves as Director of Church Planting and Chief Training Officer for Free Will Baptist North American Ministries. A published author, Brad has 26 years of experience as a lead pastor, as well as extensive experience in assessing individuals and churches through his work as a church consultant.



Disciple-Making with Guys

by Dr. Jonathan Denton—**NEW RELEASE MARCH 2024—PLAN AHEAD TODAY!**

This book shares the author's love for discipleship and sincere burden for the next generation of men. Readers will be armed with research and discipleship strategies to disciple guys of all ages and will be empowered with a solid understanding of how to disciple guys based on their development, scriptural examples, and the practical experience of the author.

About the Author: Dr. Jonathan Denton has been serving in student ministry for over 20 years and is an assistant professor of Christian Studies/Student Ministry at CSU. His desire is to train up the next generation of student ministry leaders who will be disciple-makers and leaders of healthy ministries that see students and their families brought into relationship with God, built up in their faith, and sent out to make Him known. Denton was able to see this as a reality by serving over 10 years in a South Mississippi church before his current position at CSU.



NEW TITLES



Integrating Faith and Learning: Case Studies from Dallas Baptist University

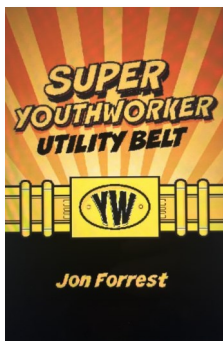
Edited by David Cook, J.D., Ph.D. and Brent Thomason, Ph.D.

NEW RELEASE MARCH 2024—PLAN AHEAD TODAY!

About the Editors: David Cook serves at Dallas Baptist University as the Dean of Global Studies; Pre-Professional Programs, as the Senior Legal Counsel to the President, and as a Professor of Leadership. Prior to coming to DBU, Dr. Cook

founded and practiced law at Cook & Gore, PLLC. He and his wife, Nicole and 3 children, live in Red Oak, TX.

Brent Thomason serves at Dallas Baptist University as the Dean of the Graduate School of Ministry and as a Professor of Biblical Studies. He oversees the nine graduate level theological degrees in the department as well as their respective faculty and staff of the Graduate School of Ministry. He and his wife, Aline, 3 children live in Dallas, TX.



The Super Youth Worker's Utility Belt

by Jon Forrest—**NEW RELEASE MARCH 2024—PLAN AHEAD TODAY!**

This book is a one stop shop for ideas every youth worker can use every week, including devotions, lessons, games, events, and helps. This book has everything from fun games to lessons with depth. It's a great place to find seeds of ideas you can use in weekly preparation or it can help get you out of a bind when you find out you have to teach a class at the last minute. This book contains lessons, object lessons, games, ideas for devotional talks, outreach, illustrations, counseling tips, and more from a creative, veteran youth worker.

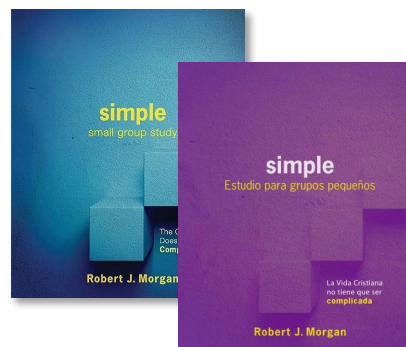
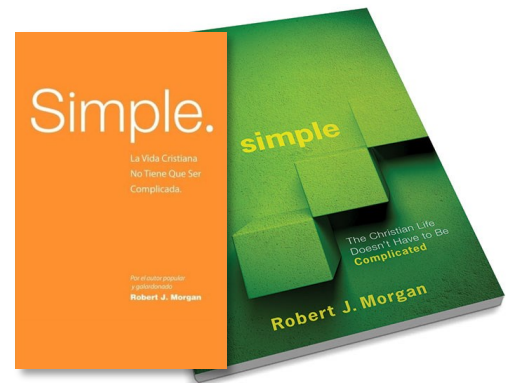
About the Editors: Jon D. Forrest has been working with students at Bethel Free Will Baptist Church in Ashland City, Tennessee for over 30 years.

Simple. The Christian Life doesn't have to be Complicated &

Simple. La vida cristiana no tiene que ser complicada – English & Spanish Editions!

By Robert J. Morgan

This work reminds the reader that success in the Christian life comes from sticking with the basics of the Bible. The author explains the ABC's of the Christian faith: assurance, baptism, church, devotions, and evangelism. This is a perfect book for a new believer's class or a new members study. A study guide to accompany this book is also available from Randall House.



Simple Small Group Study is a six-week study on the ABC's of the Christian life. The reader will explore further the truths presented and gain a deeper understanding of basic Christian teachings. Numerous Bible passages are used in the study to further clarify each topic giving a clear picture of the Christian by events of everyday life.

Robert J. Morgan is a best-selling and Gold-Medallion winning author with well over a million books in print. His works include Then Sings My Soul (Vol. 1,2,3), The Red Sea Rules, All to Jesus, The Lord Is My Shepherd, and many more. He is the pastor of the Donelson Fellowship in Nashville, Tennessee, where he has served for over 30 years. Morgan also conducts Bible conferences, parenting Spanish and marriage retreats, and leadership seminars across the country as well as overseas.

NEW TITLES



Gracia, Fe, & Libre Albedrío

Grace, Faith Free Will—**Spanish**

by Dr. Robert E. Picirilli

Dr. Picirilli presents both classic Calvinism and Arminianism in order to help readers intelligently decide for themselves, he unashamedly advocates a very specific form of Arminianism as the best resolution of the tensions between the two doctrinal positions. In what he calls “Reformation Arminianism,” Picirilli reclaims the original views of Arminius and his defenders. 258 pgs.

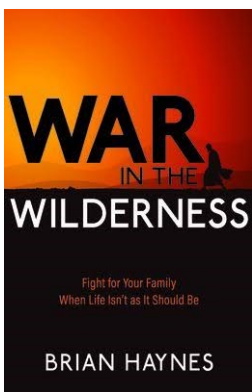
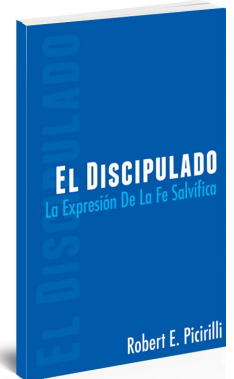
ALSO AVAILABLE IN ENGLISH

El Discipulado—La Expresión De La Salvífica—Spanish

By Dr. Robert E. Picirilli

Providing answers and practical applications through a thorough study of what the New Testament authors said about the requirements for salvation. It offers wholesome and comprehensive exegesis, showing that repentance, obedience, and discipleship are biblical expressions of saving faith. Dr. Picirilli also shares important implications for how we are to present the gospel, offer assurance of salvation, and incorporate proper church discipline.

About the Author: Robert E. Picirilli completed his studies at Welch College (B.A.) and Bob Jones University (M.A., Ph.D) and spent his career as a professor, and in academic administration at Welch. His specialty was the New Testament in Greek. He is the author or co-author of books published by Moody Press, Thomas Nelson and Randall House. His works include Teacher, Leader, Shepherd and Discipleship. Dr. Picirilli has also served as president of the Accrediting Association of Bible Colleges and moderator of the National Association of Free Will Baptists.



War in the Wilderness

by Brian Haynes, D.Min.—180 pages

This book dares to win, equipping people of faith to fight victoriously, especially for family, when life is not as it should be. We live between two gardens: Eden and the New Jerusalem. Between the gardens there is only desert; a biblical metaphor for life. Three main words in the Hebrew language describe the desert: *midbar*, *t'siyah*, and *yashiyomown*—three kinds of deserts and metaphorically three kinds of life experience. Life between the gardens is a desert. It's all challenging but some parts are almost impossible; gaining the understanding of overcoming fears about the warfare your family will face is spiritually important and the most important action we can take to lead our families through such a war in the wilderness is to cry out to God. He will hear you.

About the Author: Brian Haynes, D.Min., has served the church locally and globally as a ministry leader and pastor for over 25 years. His work focuses on family, parenting, and discipleship. As a husband and father, Brian has led his family through spiritual warfare, and he shares his experience of fighting for family when life isn't as it should be.

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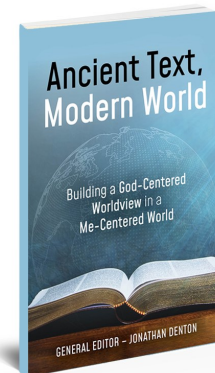
Ancient Text, Modern World

by Jonathan Denton, Ph.D—188 pages

This book aims to present the Bible as a reliable, true, and trustworthy Ancient Text that is sufficient for ministry to a modern student with all the complexities, hurts, and mixed messages of a modern world. The focus is not only on the message that the Ancient Text gives to a modern audience but also on how the Ancient Text should inform our ministry and educational practices. Studies the reliability, story, and message of the Bible. Examines the modern world of a student and how the Bible speaks into this world. Provides ministry implications of applying an ancient text into ministry and Christian education.

About the Author: Jonathan Denton, Ph.D., has been serving in student ministry for over 20 years. He spent ten years serving in a church in Mississippi and is currently an assistant professor at CSU. Denton desires to train the next generation of student ministry leaders.

Contributions by various faculty members of the College of Christian Studies at Charleston Southern University including Peter Beck, Ph.D.; Michael Bryant, Ph.D.; Dondi E. Costin, Ph.D., D.Min.; Ryan Gimple, Ph.D.; Edward D. Gravely, Ph.D.; Ron Harvell, D.Min.; R. Allen Jackson, Ph.D.; Peter J. Link Jr., Ph.D.; Ross Parker, Ph.D.; Benjamin B. Phillips, Ph.D.; Jay H. Strack, D.Min.; and Jonathan D. Watson, Ph.D.



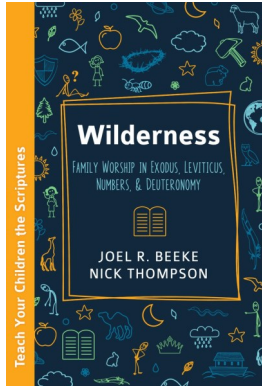
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Wilderness – Family Worship in Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy
by Joel R. Beeke & Nick Thompson—200 pages

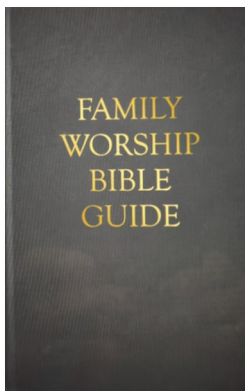
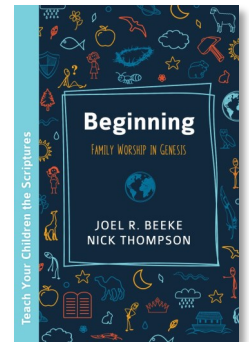
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Help is here to teach the Bible to your family! This guide to family worship helps you engage with your children in Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, and Deuteronomy. Learn how God faithfully led Israel out of Egypt and dealt with them faithfully during forty years of wilderness wanderings. Use this simple helpful guide to teach your children how the types and shadows of the Old Testament have pointed God's people of all times to Jesus, the ultimate deliverer of His people.

Related Title: Beginning—Family Worship in Genesis
by Joel R. Beeke & Nick Thompson—200 pages

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Christians are counter-cultural: our primary goal should not be to raise intelligent, successful, competent, and upright citizens, our primary concern ought to be for the good of our children's souls - and so for God's glory. Teaching our children the Scriptures in a compelling, relevant, and holistic manner during daily family worship is one of the chief means we can achieve this. If you need help to do that – this is the series for you! It's a comprehensive guide for the entire family and particularly children between the ages of 5–12. Using a unique Review/Read/Reflect/Request format, family worship has never been so fulfilling.



Family Worship Bible Guide

by Dr. Joel R. Beeke, Dr. Michael Barrett, Dr. Jerry Bilkes, Rev. Paul Smalley—880 Pages

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Leading and nurturing your family as you seek to glorify God and encourage spiritual growth in your home is both God's command and your privilege. One of the best and most effective ways to do this is through intentional, worshipful, daily family devotions where the truths of God's life-changing Word are openly discussed chapter by chapter. Hand in hand with your Bible, this Family Worship Bible Guide presents rich devotional thoughts on all 1,189 chapters in the Bible, including searching questions to promote conversation, to help you with this responsibility. Use this resource every day alongside Scripture to read each chapter's major takeaways aloud and then discuss them with your family.

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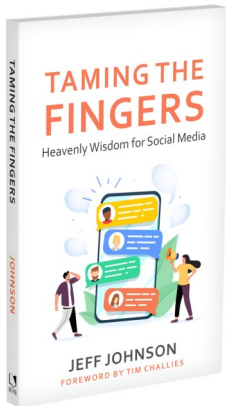
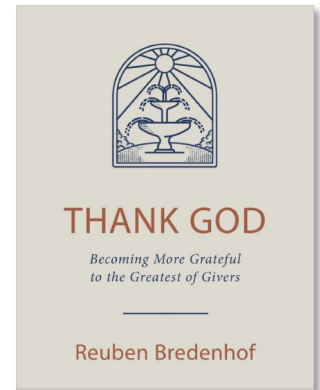
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- Am I calm?
- Am I careful?
- Am I compassionate?
- Am I conscientious?

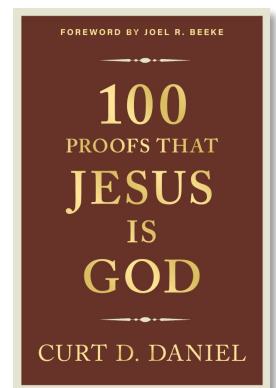
“Social Media. What a blessing it is ---and what a curse! In this book, Pastor Jeff Johnson takes us by the hand to the fountain of eternal wisdom to help us know how to handle this latest revolution in social communication. This may be a small book, but it is packed with God’s word, it could save your spiritual life.” —Conrad Mbewe, pastor of Kabwata Baptist Church & foundin chancellor of the African Christian University, Lusaka, Zambia

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by Curt Daniel—144 pages

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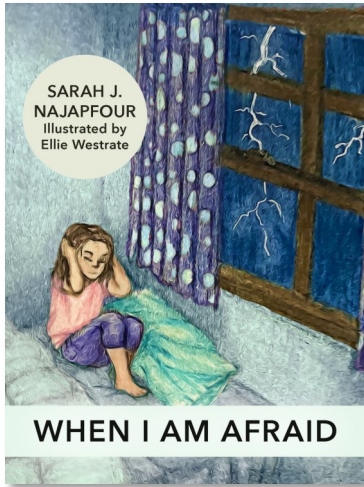
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About the Author: Sarah Najapfour has a BA in English literature and a teaching certificate from the University of the Fraser Valley. She has taught at Christian schools in British Columbia and Michigan before becoming a stay-at-home mom. She is married to Brian, and they have been blessed with five children.

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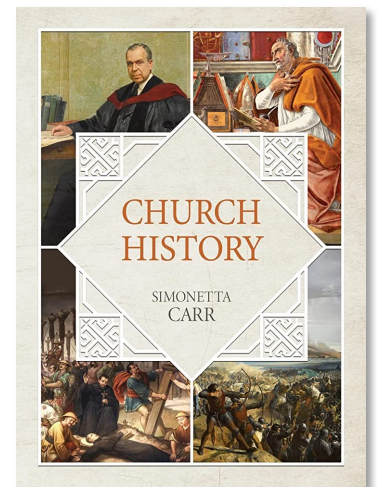
Learn about how Christianity spread to Armenia, the first official Christian nation; how a paper nailed to a church door in Germany marked the beginning of the Protestant Reformation; how missionaries have taken the gospel to places like India, Japan, Latin America, and Africa.

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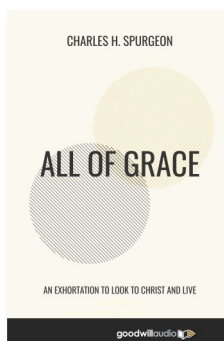
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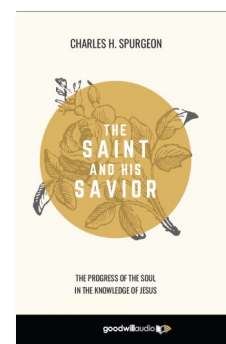
Originally penned by Spurgeon in 1886, this book is dedicated to the lovers of the gospel of free grace and seeking assurance of faith. All of Grace reminds us that because of God's saving grace, we can rejoice, regardless of present circumstances and an unknown future; we have One who is seated on the throne of eternity who works all things for our good and for his glory.

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The Saint and His Savior: The Progress of the Soul in the Knowledge of Jesus

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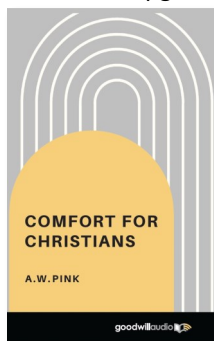
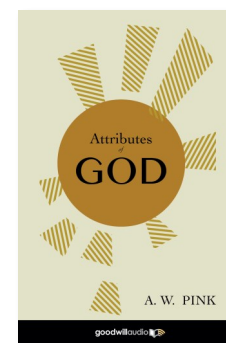
This beloved classic by A.W. Tozer is for the spiritually dissatisfied, for the passionate, for the hungry. If your hunger and thirst can only be satisfied by God Himself, and the desire for the piercing sweetness of the love of Christ overrides all competing desires, then reading *The Pursuit of God* will intoxicate you. This edition also contains two sermons by C. H. Spurgeon on Finding and Fellowshiping with God.

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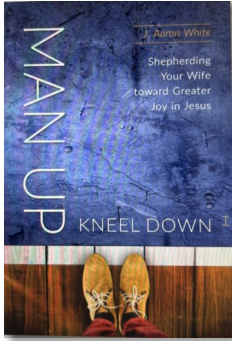
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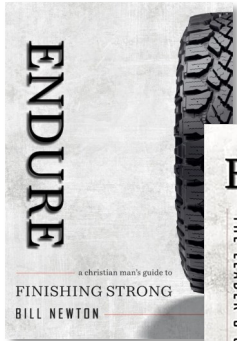
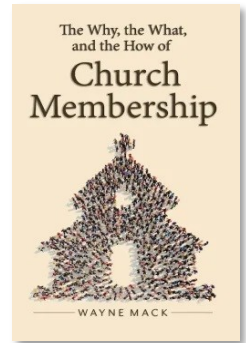


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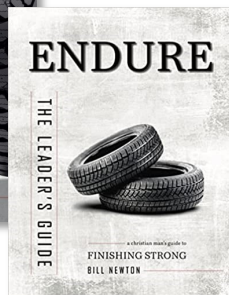
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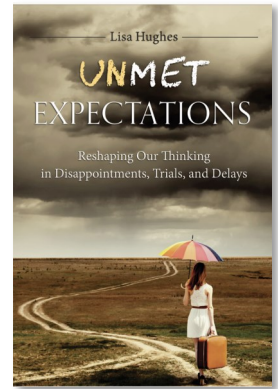
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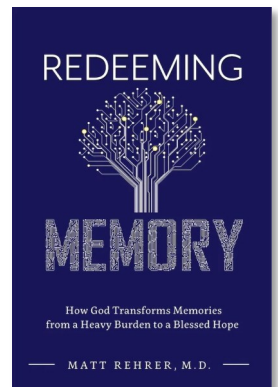
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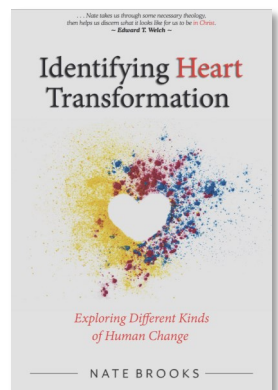
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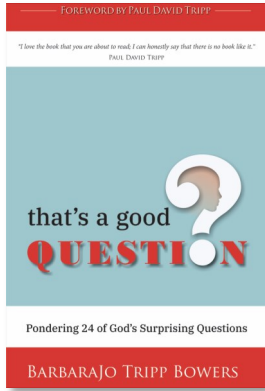
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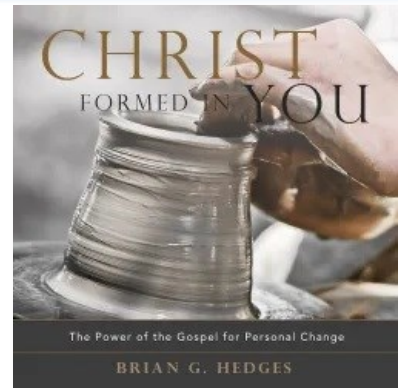
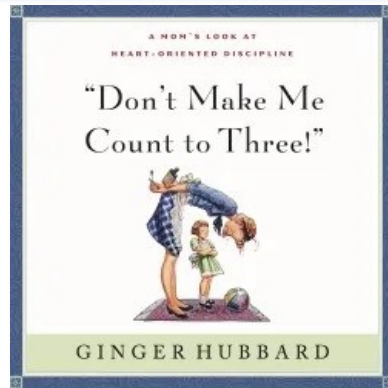
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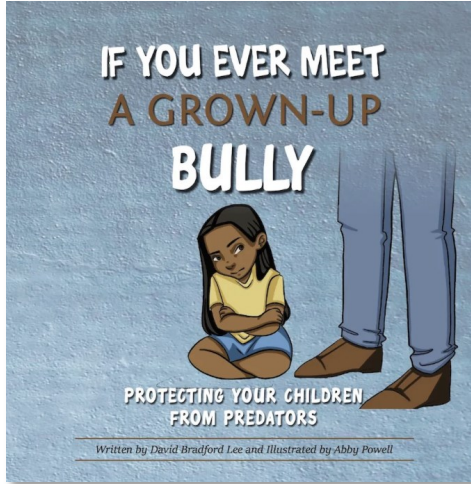


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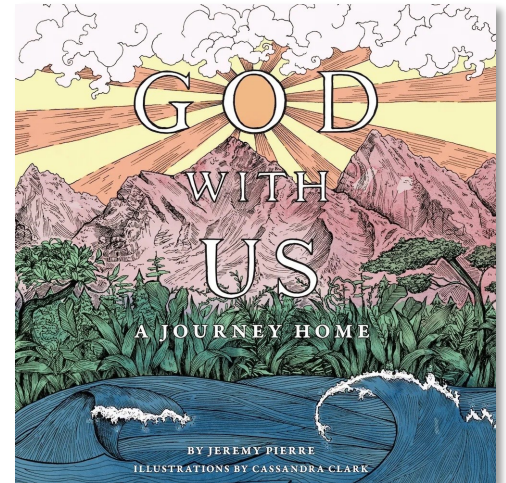
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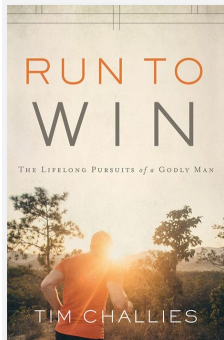
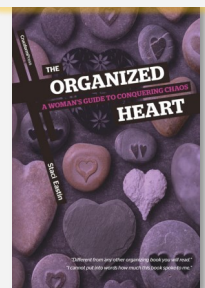
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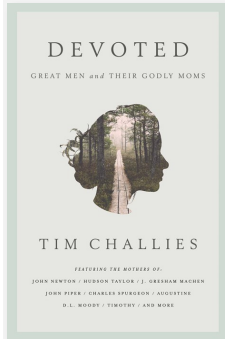
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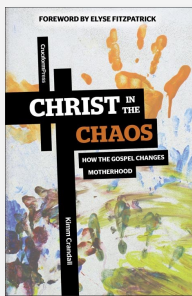
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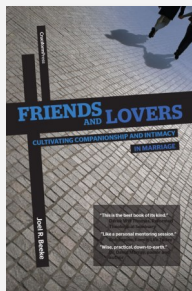
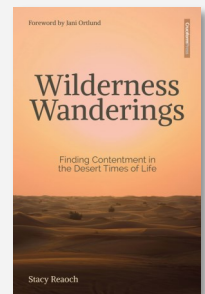


Christ in the Chaos

In this book, Kimm Crandall emphasizes the importance of the gospel and how Christ's life, death, and resurrection change every aspect of motherhood. From finding our identity in Christ and understanding God's grace to taking off the mask of acceptability and dealing with the comparison crud, this book will free you to serve your family knowing that his love for you does not change based on your performance. Christ in the Chaos is a "must read" for every mother who longs for what is seemingly impossible: peace and freedom in the midst of her chaos. 112 pgs.

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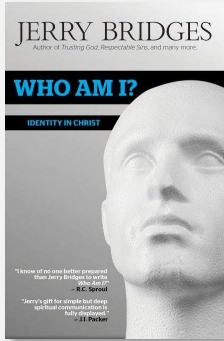
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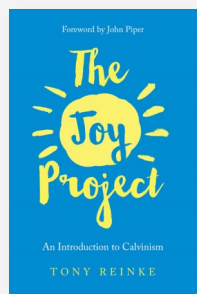
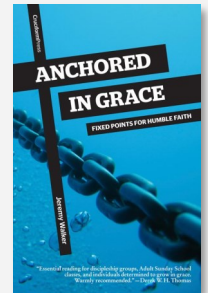
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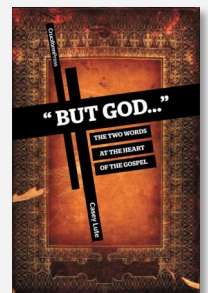
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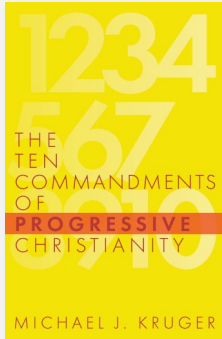
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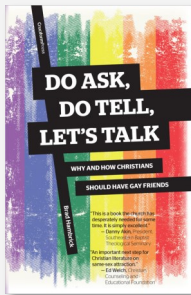
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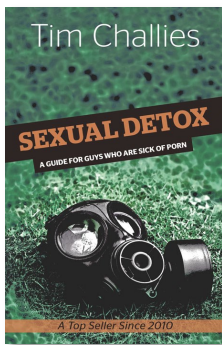
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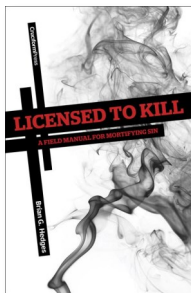
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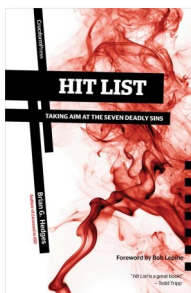
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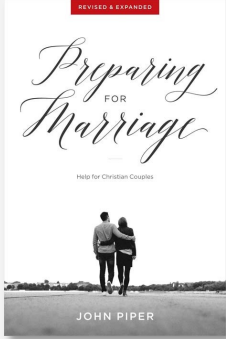
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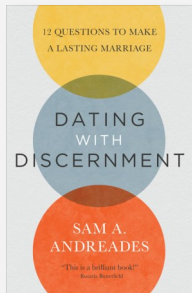
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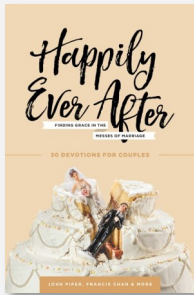
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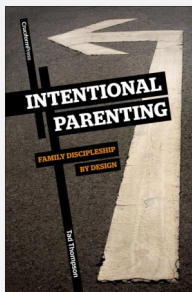
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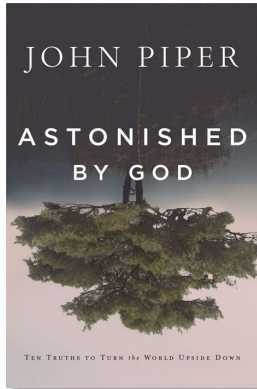
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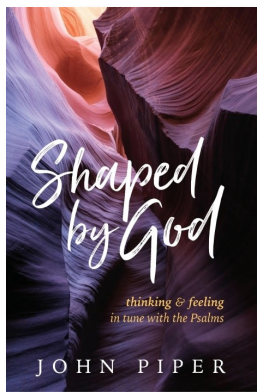
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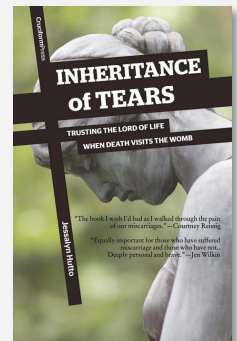


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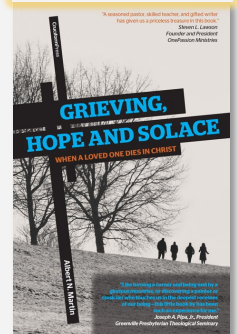
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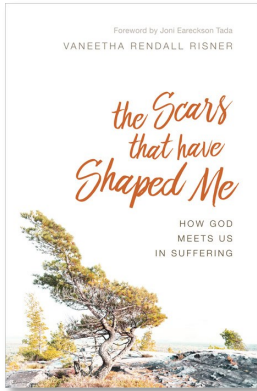
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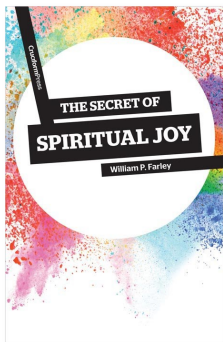


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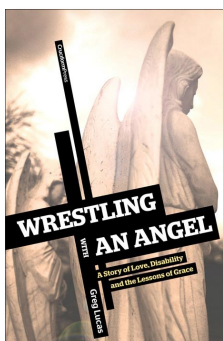
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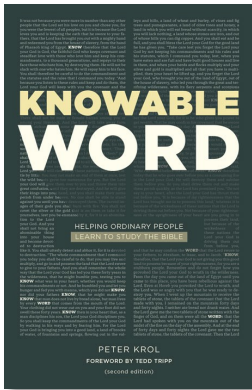


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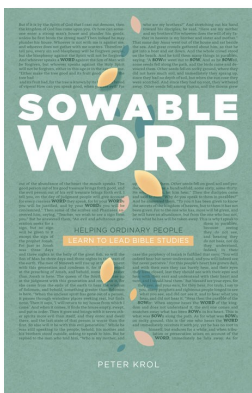
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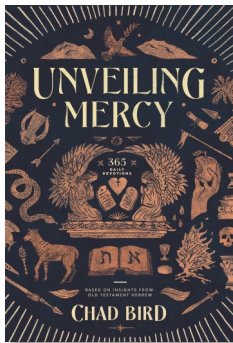
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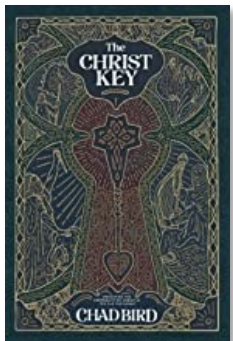
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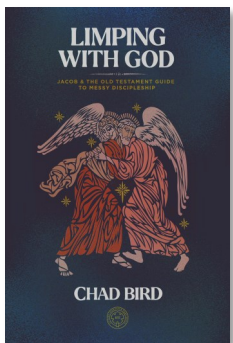
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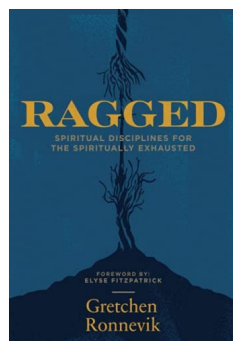
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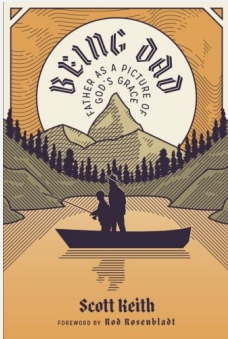
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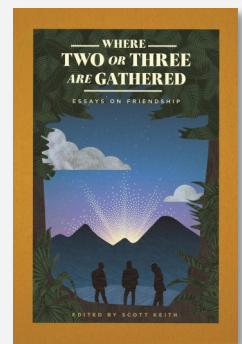
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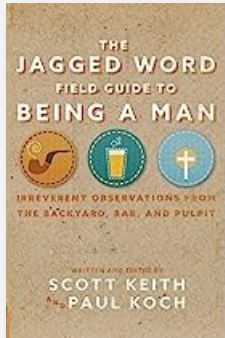
Most scholars consider Melancthon to be a Reformation enigma. He, the developer of the Reformation doctrine of forensic justification, is contrarily condemned as a synergist. Known well as the Protestant preceptor of Germany, he was Martin Luther's lifelong friend, colleague, teacher of Greek, and fellow reformer. Upon arriving at Wittenberg, Melancthon was a theologian neither by trade nor by training. He was a classically trained expert in classical languages, neo-Latin poet, textbook author, Greek scholar, humanist, and above all, an educator. His influence on the protestant reformation of the 16th century is profound, both through the Loci Communes (the first Lutheran systematic theology) and the Augsburg Confession both of which came from his pen. 94 pgs.

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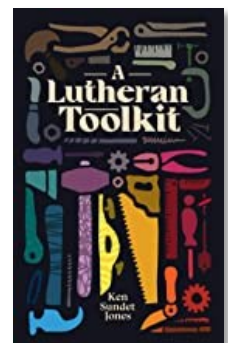


The Jagged Word-Field Guide to being a Man: Irreverent Observations from the Backyard, Bar, and Pulpit

This collection of essays explores masculinity in an unsystematic way. We've found that the various ways we've approached masculinity tend to fall into some broad and practical categories in our writing. To be a man means to be free to be what God has already declared we are in Christ—His saved and redeemed men. A man is free; we are free from sin, death, and the power of the devil. Being free, a man is then honored to work for his neighbor's good, knowing that his closest neighbors are those whom God has placed closest to him in his life—his family. And just as a man speaks to and cares for his own, so also does a man need to be spoken to and cared for at times. He needs the mutual consolation of the brethren, a brotherhood. To put it simply, a man needs good friends. 278 pgs.

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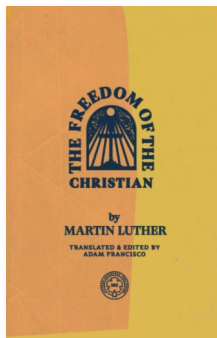
Starting with Philip Melanchthon's 1530 Augsburg Confession, which was drafted to defend the preaching and teaching of Luther and his colleagues, Ken Sundet Jones sees its primary themes as a set of tools that God uses to build faith in us. He takes the reader beyond scholarly analysis and historical explanations and uses his own experience as a college professor, parish pastor, and sinner looking for mercy, to discover God's handiwork in our lives. Each chapter takes as its starting point one of the foundational ideas presented to the Holy Roman Emperor and representatives of the church, including Sin, God hidden and revealed, justification, ministry, the Christian life, the church, sacraments, and vocation. These are not simply theological categories for scholars to debate or historians to recount. They're the lived experience of the faithful from the first believers to big thinkers like Augustine and Luther, to people in the pews, at the supper table, in their careers, and at their deathbeds throughout the ages. The tools in this kit continually point to Jesus as the one who promises mercy and abundant life- and who has the power to deliver them. This is a word for those who've not yet heard it and for those who desperately need to hear it again. 98 pgs.



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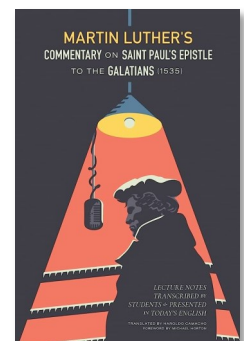
The Freedom of the Christian was Martin Luther's first public defense of the doctrine of justification by grace through faith on account of Christ alone. Luther's explosive rediscovery of the Gospel of Jesus Christ shattered the Church of Rome's foundation of works, which considered good works a part of salvation instead of a result of it. Here, Luther constructed a rich theology that relies on the full power of the Gospel, which not only grants saving faith but also nurtures that faith through good works done in the freest service.

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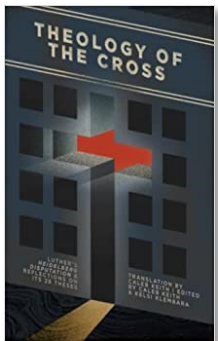
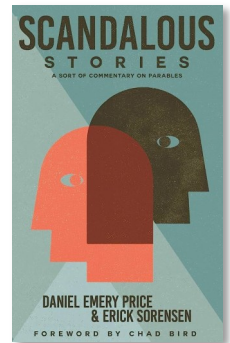
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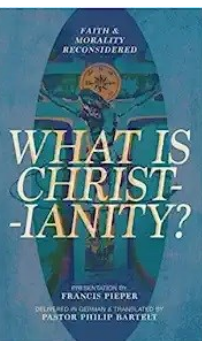
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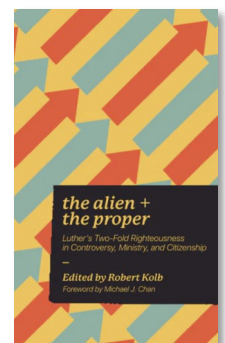
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In his Galatians commentary of 1535, Martin Luther insists that ‘our theology’ relies on the proper distinction of two kinds of righteousness: Alien and Proper. In relation to our Creator, we freely receive our ‘alien’ righteousness from Christ who has obtained it for us through his death and resurrection. In relation to humanity and God created order, we practice a ‘proper’ righteousness by actively fulfilling God’s commands that set down the form and pattern for good human living. 232 pgs.



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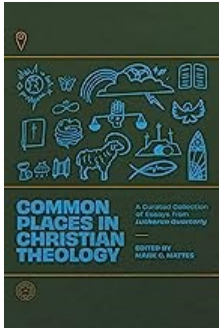
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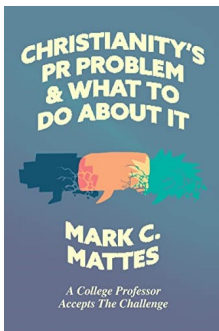
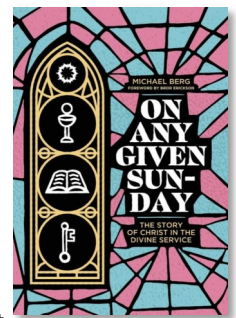
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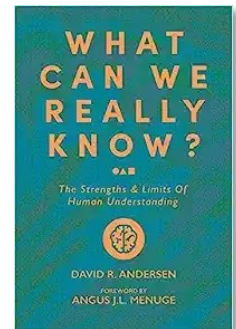


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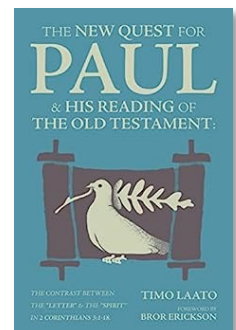
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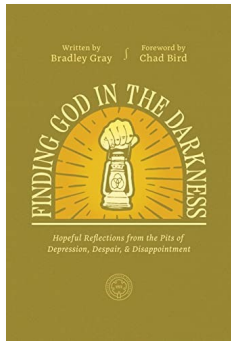
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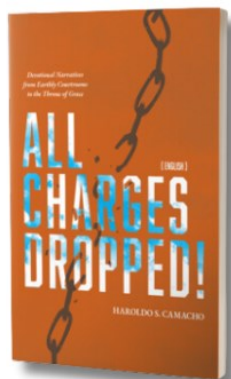
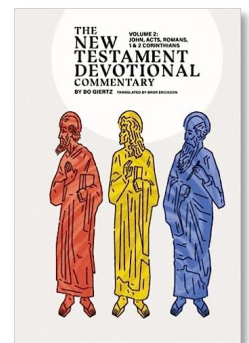
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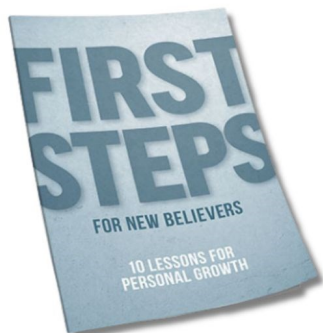


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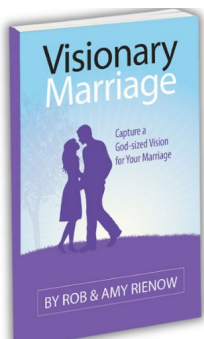
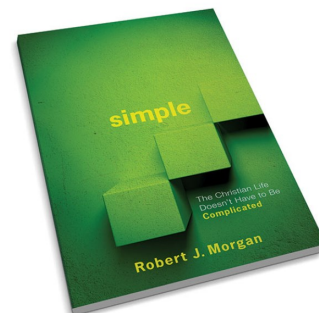


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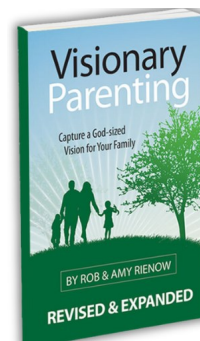


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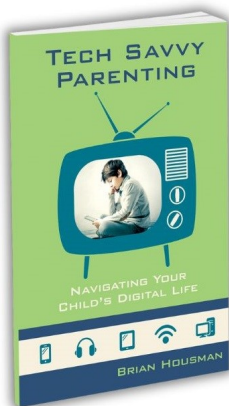
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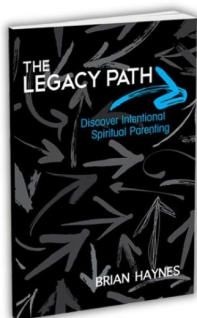


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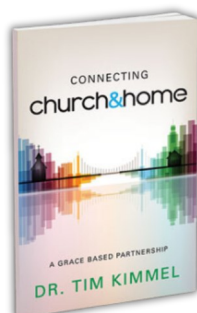
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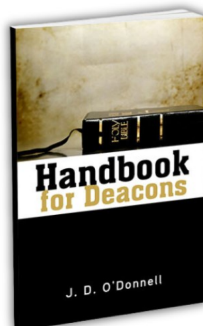
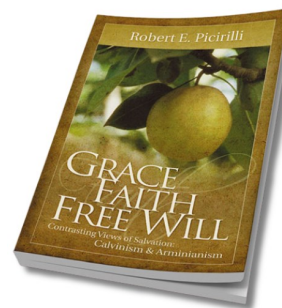
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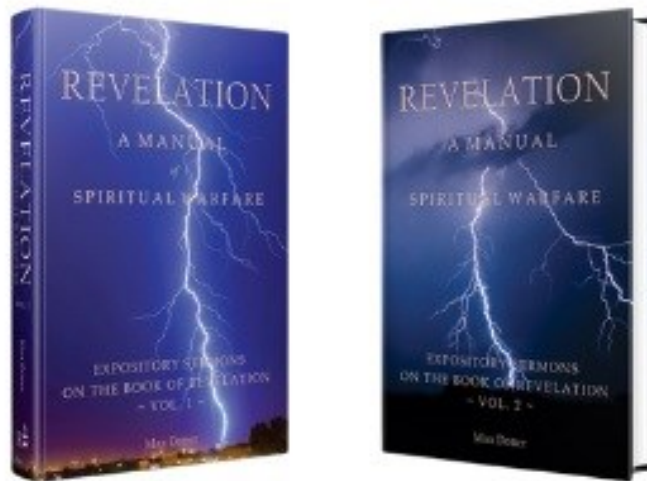
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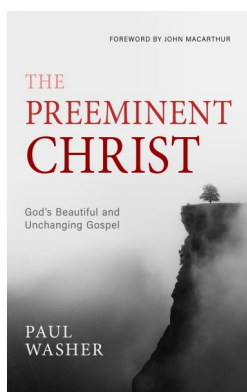
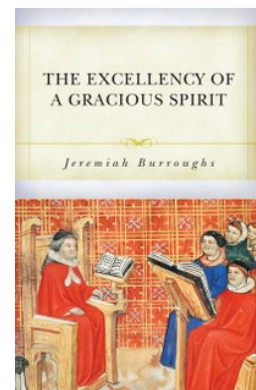
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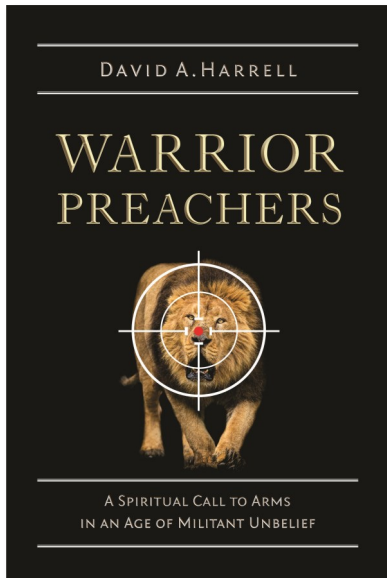
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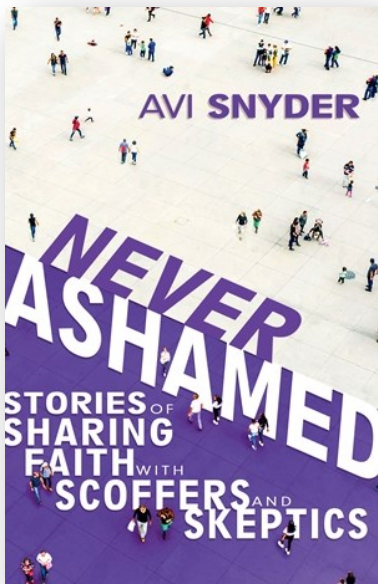
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Encouraging Words to Warrior Preacher's Wives



Never Ashamed: Stories of Sharing Faith with Scoffers and Skeptics

Most books on evangelism deal primarily with different approaches to sharing the good news. From street ministry to personal witnessing, books abound on how to present the gospel in a variety of ways and situations.

But *Never Ashamed* isn't a book about *how*. Rather, it's a book about *why*. Author Avi Snyder explains:

- Why we mustn't be ashamed of sharing the good news in an open and direct fashion.
- Why believers find it difficult to share the good news of salvation, despite the variety of fruit that always abounds.
- Why non-believers often choose to walk away from the claims of the Messiah, even when they know or at least suspect in their hearts that His claims are true.
- Why the early church felt compelled to proclaim His message, regardless of the risks and costs.

More than this, however, *Never Ashamed* is a book of stories:

- The man who told Avi he wouldn't stop him from jumping out a window.
- The Marxist lady trying to figure him out who eventually concluded he was a provocateur
- The woman who prayed for God to give her compassion like Him and wept when she received it
- The Soviet guard who helped Avi's team pass out literature

These and many more encounters that Avi shares will make you laugh, cry, and be filled with joy at the winsome ways in which he brings people to Jesus.

Author: Avi Snyder
144 Pages

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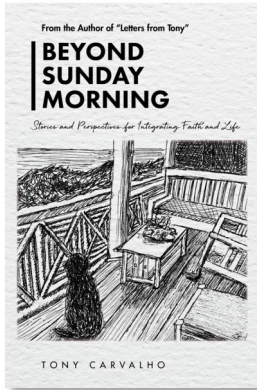
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About the Author: Avi Snyder grew up in a traditional Jewish home. In his early twenties, he defined himself as a Jewish atheist. But in 1975, a tract from Jews for Jesus challenged him to consider Yeshua's messianic claims. Thanks to that tract and the faithful witness of Christian friends, Avi gave his heart to the Lord in March 1977. He graduated from Fuller Theological Seminary's School of World Missions with a master's degree in missiology. Avi is the author of a number of articles and tracts, as well as the book, *Jews Don't Need Jesus—and Other Misconceptions*. Avi currently serves as the Jews for Jesus European ambassador.

New Authors!



Beyond Sunday Morning: Stories and Perspectives for Integrating Faith and Life

What happens after Sunday morning? What happens after the mountain-top experiences, the group praise and worship are over? It's difficult at times to remain connected to our Lord each day in the everyday, the mundane, when all you have before you are a chores list and yesterday's leftovers for lunch. Beyond Sunday Morning is an easy to read, "offbeat blend of humor and apologetics" providing clues, tiny tidbits, and morsels; some are easy to swallow, some not so much, on how to stay connected to the Lord in the other 99 percent of life.

Tony Carvalho starts by setting some ground rules through his numerous stories, insightful perspectives, and fun ways to recognize the Lord's hand in our lives. He lays out the case, the definition, of what we consider conservative Biblical Christianity by reviewing the frequent challenges to the faith. Each Christian is in full-time ministry, whether we know it or not, and is in the position to influence the lives of those around us for eternity. Yes, for eternity. The Lord doesn't want eight-billion Billy Grams. He wants you, and you, and you, and me.

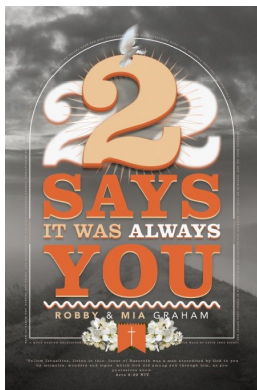
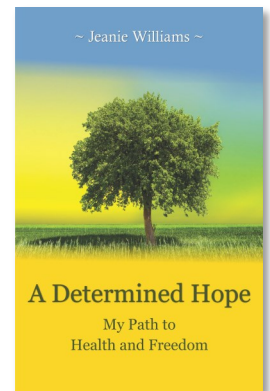
By reading this book, not only will you get past your bad hair days and miserable Mondays, but your weekly Christianity will get a complete revamp and you'll know with 100 percent certainty of the Lord's guidance Beyond Sunday Morning. 209 pgs.

A Determined Hope: My Path to Health and Freedom

This is the story of the journey that I've been on with Jesus and his faithfulness in guiding me through many health, family, and career challenges. I hope that as you consider my story, you will begin to look at your own journey. Maybe you will see where you have you picked up unhelpful ideas and consider asking God to renew your mind in those areas.

If Jesus hasn't been with you on your journey so far, my hope is that you will consider asking him to meet you on your path right where you are so he can guide you toward hope and health.

My hope and prayer for you is for good health, joy, hope, nurturing, and growth. I hope that through these reflections you will be encouraged along your path. 146 pgs.



222 Says It Was Always You

This book reveals how the Lord helped two broken people restore belief, faith, and hope. See how God led us through a series of signs, miracles, and wonders that brought us together, molded us through many challenges, and finally led us to be husband and wife in 11 short months. This is no flower-filled Christian romance novel about a man and woman who meet, fall in love, and live happily ever after; this is God's relentless pursuit of two addicts who struggled through depravity before surrendering their hearts to Jesus. The Lord brought us together as a testimony of Christ's redemptive power, available for anyone wanting to know if God still speaks clearly to those willing to listen. You will understand what it means to see the voice of God.

Our story-the Lord's story-is for those wanting to experience the process of letting go, picking up their cross, and following Jesus. If you desire to be free from yourself, free from others, and free to find and fulfill God's specific purpose for your life, this book is for you. Discover what kind of courage it takes to be completely transparent so God can use your mistakes and shortcomings for others to learn from. Whether you're a teen, single, married, or divorced you will see what it looks like to be in a relationship with the Creator of the universe. When you finish reading our story, we are confident you will be a better friend, family member, and husband or wife.

Come along on our walk by faith (not sight) and learn there is no such thing as a coincidence! We know you will be blessed, and we look forward to hearing your testimony of the Lord pursuing you-your realization of how persistently God has been trying to communicate with you. As you begin to have your own revelations, never forget, He created you, He loves you dearly, and He wants to have a much deeper relationship with you. Are you ready? 210 pgs.