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BIBLE REFERENCE/BIBLICAL BACKGROUNDS

*The Baker Illustrated Bible Background Commentary*, edited by J. Scott Duvall and J. Daniel Hays (Baker)

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*A Christian Guide to Evidence for the Bible: 101 Proofs from History and Archaeology*, by J. Daniel Hays (Baker)

BIBLICAL STUDIES


HONORABLE MENTION

1&2 Peter and Jude, in The Christian Standard Commentary, by Thomas R. Schreiner (B&H)

Revelation, in the Zondervan Exegetical Commentary on the New Testament, by Buist Fanning (Zondervan)

THEOLOGICAL STUDIES

*The Trinity: An Introduction*, by Scott Swain (Crossway)
HONORABLE MENTION

*The Holy Spirit*, in the Theology for the People of God series, by Gregg Allison and Andreas J. Köstenberger (B&H)

*Christian Theology: The Biblical Story and Our Faith*, by Christopher W. Morgan with Robert A. Peterson (B&H)

**CHURCH HISTORY/BIOGRAPHY**

*An Introduction to John Owen: A Christian Vision for Every Stage of Life*, by Crawford Gribben (Crossway)

HONORABLE MENTION

*Tethered to the Cross: The Life and Preaching of Charles H. Spurgeon*, by Thomas Breimaier (IVP)

*Mother of Modern Evangelicalism: The Life and Legacy of Henrietta Mears*, by Arlin C. Migliazzo (Eerdmans)

**BAPTIST STUDIES**

*Baptists and the Christian Tradition: Toward an Evangelical Baptist Catholicity*, edited by Matthew Y. Emerson, Christopher W. Morgan, and R. Lucas Stamps (B&H)

HONORABLE MENTION

*Oliver Hart and the Rise of Baptist America*, by Eric C. Smith (Oxford University Press)

*The Lost Sermons of C. H. Spurgeon: His Earliest Outlines and Sermons Between 1851 and 1854*, vol. 4, edited by Jason G. Duesing (B&H)
WORLDVIEW APOLOGETICS

The Gathering Storm: Secularism, Culture, and the Church, by R. Albert Mohler Jr. (Thomas Nelson)

HONORABLE MENTION

The History of Apologetics: A Biographical and Methodological Introduction, edited by Benjamin K. Forrest, Joshua D. Chatraw, and Alister E. McGrath (Zondervan)

Cultural Intelligence: Living for God in a Diverse, Pluralistic World, by Darrell L. Bock (B&H)

DISCIPLESHIP/SPIRITUAL FORMATION

Breaking Bread with the Dead: A Reader’s Guide to a More Tranquil Mind, by Alan Jacobs (Penguin)

HONORABLE MENTION

Jesus the Great Philosopher: Rediscovering the Wisdom Needed for the Good Life, by Jonathan T. Pennington (Brazos)

“Here are Your Gods”: Faithful Discipleship in Idolatrous Times, by Christopher J. H. Wright (IVP)

CHURCH MUSIC/WORSHIP

Brahms’s A German Requiem: Reconsidering Its Biblical, Historical, and Musical Contexts, by R. Allen Lott (University of Rochester Press)
HONORABLE MENTION


*Recapturing the Enchanted World: Ritual and Sacrament in the Free Church Tradition*, by John D. Rempel (IVP)

APPLIED THEOLOGY/ETHICS

*Gentle and Lowly: The Heart of Christ for Sinners and Sufferers*, by Dane C. Ortlund (Crossway)

HONORABLE MENTION

*The End of the Christian Life: How Embracing Our Mortality Frees Us to Truly Live*, by J. Todd Billings (Brazos)

*Invitation to Christian Ethics: Moral Reasoning and Contemporary Issues*, by Ken Magnuson (Kregel)

PREACHING/MINISTRY/LEADERSHIP

*A Little Book for New Preachers: Why and How to Study Homiletics*, by Matthew D. Kim (IVP)

HONORABLE MENTION

*Lead: 12 Gospel Principles for Leadership in the Church*, by Paul David Tripp (Crossway)

*Pastors and Their Critics: A Guide to Coping with Criticism in Ministry*, by Joel R. Beeke and Nicholas J. Thompson (P&R)
EVANGELISM/MISSIONS/GLOBAL CHURCH

A Survey of World Missions, by Robin Hadaway (B&H)

HONORABLE MENTION

40 Questions about Islam, by Matthew Bennett (Kregel)

We Evangelicals and Our Mission: How We Got to Where We Are and How to Get to Where We Should Be Going, by David J. Hesselgrave with Lianna Davis (Cascade)

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION/COUNSELING/ YOUTH AND CHILDREN

Created to Draw Near: Our Life as God’s Royal Priests, by Edward T. Welch (Crossway)

HONORABLE MENTION

Is It Abuse? A Biblical Guide to Identifying Domestic Abuse and Helping Victims, by Darby A. Strickland (P&R)

Excellence in Online Education: Creating a Christian Community on Mission, by Kristen A. Ferguson (B&H)

BOOK OF THE YEAR

The Rise and Triumph of the Modern Self: Cultural Amnesia, Expressive Individualism, and the Road to Sexual Revolution, by Carl R. Trueman (Crossway)