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Following Jesus 2014-07-30

featuring a brand new cover design this edition of n t wright s popular following jesus first published in 1995 includes a new preface in which wright reflects on the book s origin and significance for him personally and on its continued relevance to believers even though our global context has changed wright first outlines the essential messages of six major new testament books hebrews colossians matthew john mark and revelation looking in particular at their portrayal of jesus and what he accomplished in his sacrificial death in the second part of the book wright takes six key new testament themes resurrection rebirth temptation hell heaven and new life in a new world and considers their significance for the lives of present day disciples

Biblical Reflections on Crises Facing the Church 1975-01-01

michael perham was an influential liturgist and priest who shaped the worship of the church of england as we know it today this collection brings together the very best of his unpublished writings to offer inspiring reflections on the seasons of the christian year from advent to christ the king michael perham shares his passion for the worship and its ability to draw us into god s presence he explores how celebrating the life death and resurrection of jesus opens us to growth and to change this collection includes the last address michael perham gave on ash wednesday shortly before his death rachel treweek the succeeding bishop of gloucester provides an introduction

One Unfolding Story 2018-06-07

this is a basic bible study book for doing the word if we are to do god s word as well as talk about it we need a vision to guide our doing and acting church folk already have a number of visions to be found in the bible but we

need them interpreted explained and applied to our daily lives to guide our attempts to work for justice mercy and peace from editor s preface to the first edition

Living Toward a Vision 1976

pope john paul ii has called the rosary a true doorway to the depths of the heart of christ ocean of joy and light of suffering and glory author tim gray celebrates this life changing truth as he uncovers the deep scriptural roots of the five luminous mysteries the baptism in the jordan the wedding of cana the proclamation of the kingdom the transfiguration and the institution of the eucharist in his foreword to the luminous mysteries archbishop raymond l burke of st louis writes tim gray is an outstanding teacher of the catholic faith as he has demonstrated by his other writings and his presentations given to a variety of audiences his love of christ is transparent in his writing and inspires the reader to love christ more fully and ardently the luminous mysteries biblical reflections on the life of christ is a most worthy tool for growth in the knowledge of christ and growth in christ s likeness this book also includes five meditations from the church fathers on the luminous events

Redeeming a Nation 2016-09

wesley hill s personal experiences and biblical reflections offer insight into how a nonpracticing gay christian can prove live out and celebrate the grace of christ and the power of the holy spirit for many who are on this path it s a lonely one the reality of loneliness and isolation of the celibate homosexual christian is something that hill lives and takes seriously in his pursuit of the gospel centered life to those on a similar journey it s often a life of uncertainties and questions in washed and waiting hill explores the three main struggles that have been part of his daily effort to live faithfully what exactly does the gospel demand of gay and lesbian christians and how can it enable them to fulfill its commands how do christians who experience homoerotic desires live with the

loneliness such desires entail is there any relief for it what comfort does the gospel offer can those of us who struggle with homosexuality please god and truly experience his pleasure in the midst of sexual brokenness interspersed throughout these main sections are character sketches and stories of people who have experienced this journey s trials and triumphs hill offers wise counsel that is biblically faithful theologically serious and oriented to the life and practice of the church as a celibate gay christian he gives us a glimpse of what it looks like to wrestle firsthand with god s no to same sex sexual intimacy and contemplate serious and difficult questions

The Luminous Mysteries 2005

in this collection of his essays from the popular and respected journal theology today longtime editor patrick d miller offers insights into the basic human condition his reflections range from popular culture the popularity of seinfeld to political matters the proper public role for the ten commandments to the sublime the connection between poetry and faith the wit and wisdom of this internationally respected biblical scholar come through clearly in this collection

Washed and Waiting 2016-09-13

the familiar images of word and light break open with fresh insight in the imaginative and wise ruminations of sister genevieve glen osb from nazareth to emmaus psalms to beatitudes advent to pentecost through characters stories and prayers this nimble poet and lifelong student of scripture takes us to new places in texts we thought we knew at turns probing humorous and inspiring these reflections ultimately help us to know more deeply the word made flesh jesus of nazareth crucified and risen the light of the world

Theology Today 2006-01-01

whether or not you've been to the holy land you already roam the land vicariously whenever you read the bible a book that is immersed in the landscape of ancient israel jam packed with geographical language and imagery if you have been there you've also encountered the land personally and embraced its living reality its storied landscapes excavated remains from bible times and people whose ancestral roots in these sands reach back hundreds or thousands of years in these 40 engaging reflections author paul wright brings fresh geographical historical and archaeological insights to biblical stories and contemporary situations alike each reflection speaks to the heart through a familiar bible passage invaluable historical and geographical context and beautiful photographs 40 meditations on the places and people of the holy land over 120 photos of the holy land 6 detailed maps with key sites insights into specific bible stories and moments in the life of jesus experiences of contemporary life celebration and conflict tools to deepen your bible study and much more book jacket

Reflections on Our Everyday Lives 2021

reflections on biblical themes by an octogenarian represents the journey into faith by the author of the essays over the span of sixty years in the pastoral ministry and as a professor on college university and theological school levels there has been a continuing growth in understanding from the beginnings of a rather conservative religious background and training to a more mature appreciation and understanding of life this growth came about through the interchange in the classroom as a student in preparation for ministry then as a pastor in the everyday work experience and interchange with parishioners and especially in the interchange with students in the classroom this more mature understanding and growth is reflected in the essays presented in this volume on various themes as listed in the table of contents it is hoped that they will be of value to lay persons and to professionals in the life of the church and in the academic world and that they will stimulate thought and

discussion in parishes and in institutions of higher learning some of the viewpoints may seem to be controversial but how are we to grow intellectually and spiritually unless we wrestle seriously with the deep and profound questions of our faith and life these reflections are offered with the hope and prayer that they will stimulate discussion and growth in the life of the church in both parish and academic settings

By Lamplight 2021-11-15

biblical profiles is a classic compendium of stories chosen to delight and shock to disturb haunt and teach us about what we should and should not do faley has included in his collection of personalities both male and female good and bad well known and not so well known but all relevant to the contemporary day they include hannah god s faithful servant hophni and phinehas profaners of all things of god and saul israel s great and divinely appointed first king book jacket title summary field provided by blackwell north america inc all rights reserved

Heart of the Holy Land 2020-10

because there is no single word that translates the hebrew word hesed and the greek word eleos multiple words are used in english biblical translations mercy is the most frequently used word in english but forgiveness generosity pity and others are also used using 106 biblical texts gathered from the hebrew bible old testament the old testament apocrypha and the christian bible new testament a representative sample of the various ways hesed and eleos are translated is presented in this book each entry consists of a short title a few verses of scripture a reflection a psalm response a meditation journal question and a concluding prayer the purpose of the book is to assist the reader s development of spirituality a deeper knowledge of divine mercy meditation on how he or she has experienced it and a closer relationship with god

Reflections on Biblical Themes by an Octogenarian 2007-01-01

this is a study of bible book of romans in short readable sections with food for thought and challenge

Biblical Profiles 2003

this is a collection of reflections on biblical passages and two short articles on how translation of the original greek text is used in translating the our father or lord s prayer and christ the good shepherd there are over two hundred biblical reflections many written during the covid pandemic while the authors are catholic and references to catholic teachings and the fathers of the church are abundant this text offered to all men and women of faith or those searching to make sense of life in their search for god in the sacred scriptures reverend david andrew fisher maronite catholic priest was ordained in 1984 by pope saint john paul ii in st peter basilica rome studied at the pontifical gregorian university in rome italy formerly i was assistant professor of humanities at columbus state adjunct professor of theology at xavier university in cincinnati and the university of dayton presently i am teaching eastern christian theology at st charles seminary of the roman catholic archdiocese of philadelphia i am a contributing writer for many years in the maronite voice and serve as an outreach priest for cross catholic outreach which funds missions to the poor around the world i was born in columbus ohio usa michele nicola grossmiller a bsmt bachelors degree in medical technology some graduate work in cqi undergrad and graduate level theology studies retired from a 40 year healthcare career widowed from my soul mate mother of one beautiful grown daughter also have two lovely grown god daughters love being a mom friend and family member i love meditating on scripture and praying my source of connection to my place in the world as a child of god love furthering my religious education writing bible study and informal counseling of troubled youth i am from philadelphia pennsylvania

Notes and reflections on the Epistle to the Romans 1852

how do worshippers understand the poetic line and the life of the world to come when they pray the creed are they thinking of a geographical destination a celestial community they will ultimately join a participation in the life of the trinity father son and holy spirit questions like these inspired john craghan to mine the biblical texts for insight and answers about heaven his exploration of the christian understanding of the afterlife moves through the understandings of ancient israel to the synoptic gospels and ultimately to the nascent beliefs of the early christians as reflected in the letters of paul and the book of revelation grounded firmly in scripture and written in a lively accessible style and the life of the world to come is an intellectual and spiritual journey for readers that are willing to explore their own beliefs and anxieties about the heavenly home promised by jesus

His Mercy Endures Forever 2024-03-29

though the mountains tremble is a collection of random commentaries from a biblical perspective on issues and events in the contemporary world though most of the essays speak to specific events they carry general observations that can provide insight into issues and events of any time at the heart of these observations are a few basic assumptions that god still works in history through nations and institutions that god s purposes for the creation are centered in jesus christ that humankind was created to be god s representatives in caring for the world and all living things that the crucial struggles in history are waged against the powers and principalities and that both nations and individuals are held accountable to god for their actions these reflections are rooted in the assumption that although it is not an answer book or a spiritual almanac the bible bears testimony to the character of god and sets forth an ethos that can if embraced engender basic discernment in the midst of the world s chaos

Reflections on Romans 2014-12-01

found in common worship times and seasons the way of the cross is a series of scripture based devotions for personal or group use in lent and holy week similar in intent to the traditional stations of the cross it focuses wholly on the biblical narrative of the passion death and resurrection of jesus this seasonal companion provides the sequence of fifteen meditations appears in full including opening and concluding prayers each is accompanied by three short reflections from different perspectives by three of today s very best spiritual writers paula gooder offers reflections on the scriptural narratives stephen cottrell considers the story from the perspective of personal discipleship philip north explores the story s challenge to mission and witness

Speak Lord for Your Servant Is Listening 2021-11-08

a diagnosis of a stage iv cancer is quite a jolt for any family this is the news that came to jeff wisdom a husband and father in his mid forties when the diagnosis of an advanced cancer comes to a family it can challenge faith and hope through the valley is a biblical theological reflection on suffering it details what scripture says about suffering and what god has promised both now and in the future it draws comfort and encouragement from some lessons learned and it acknowledges and wrestles with some unresolved questions and issues jeff s reflections as one who has endured cancer and chemotherapy help to bridge scripture s message and the experience of living with a deadly disease excerpts from his wife s journal are included to provide a window into this walk in a dark valley this book does not address every aspect of the bible s teaching on suffering but it makes an important contribution to the topic of the suffering that comes seemingly unexplained as the result of living in a fallen world

And the Life of the World to Come 2012

in this short hard hitting volume roelf haan critiques the assumptions that underlie our current economic system and makes the case for a truly biblical alternative the economics of honor walks through the bible from genesis to revelation but it blazes an unfamiliar path through careful exegesis haan draws economic insights from surprising passages and challenges conventional interpretations of some of jesus parables haan also draws insights from a wide ranging number of thinkers including john calvin jacques ellul ren girard germaine greer and several latin american liberation theologians a provocative and fascinating read the economics of honor challenges accepted economic wisdom and exchanges it for groundbreaking well reasoned arguments on how the bible would have us live today

Though the Mountains Tremble 2009-02-01

in these never before published stories sayings and biblical teachings the beloved author and translator of the message bible shows us how the wisdom of deep faith helps us live well calming encouraging and profound matt chandler lead pastor of the village church jesus words bring us the news of an expanded world a bright world a full dimensional world a world in which god rules mercy is common experience and love is the daily working agenda eugene h peterson 1932 2018 was one of the most beloved authors pastors poets and professors of our time while millions have read his bestselling paraphrased bible translation the message far fewer have heard his direct practical insights and wisdom about how to live well eugene knew the extraordinary spirituality of ordinary life he understood that we actually become more not less human as we grow to live like jesus and living like jesus means living well on living well collects some of eugene s best never before published short writings to help you walk in the way of jesus with a little more courage passion and hope by offering new ways to practice generosity community prayer simplicity worship inner peace and so much more even with the

challenges of today this book is a rich feast for the soul ideal as a daily spiritual touchpoint or simply to nourish a heart hungry for pastoral wisdom it is your invitation to enter into the meaningful simplicity of life with jesus in a world of immense beauty real difficulty and endless wonder

Walking the Way of the Cross 2019-10-30

this clear and accessible treatment of key biblical themes related to human suffering and evil is written by one of the most respected evangelical biblical scholars alive today carson brings together a close careful exposition of key biblical passages with helpful pastoral applications the second edition has been updated throughout

Reflections on the Bible 2004

christians are those who listen and hear the word of god in light unto my path author fr victor abimbola amole offers forty clear and engaging essays based on biblical themes that directly reflect on the word of god drawing inspiration from forty years ten of those in the priesthood amole presents profound thoughts and spiritual wisdom regarding some of the most important topics that challenge the faithful today he offers clear and engaging ways of relating to what is at the heart of the gospel these reflections interwoven with anecdotes and stories focus on making a simple systematic and practical exposition for the spiritual enrichment of all christians they are suitable for use either by the lay faithful who desire to deepen their communion with the lord who is the word or by ministers and clergy who need ready and apt ideas to speak on different biblical themes

Through the Valley 2011-09-14

a journey with jesus provides the christian reader with a vehicle to journey with the lord in a life of discipleship this journey begins with a call from god and moves to our response as ministers in the lord s name our journey is enhanced by knowledge of the christian tradition and inspired by the saintly lives of those who have gone before us

The Economics of Honor 2009-02-05

this monumental work is the first comprehensive biblical theology to appear in many years and is the culmination of brevard child s lifelong commitment to constructing a biblical theology that surmounts objections to the discipline raised over the past generation childs rejects any approaches that overstress either the continuity or discontinuity between the old and new testaments he refuses to follow the common pattern in christian thought of identifying biblical theology with the new testament s interest in the old rather childs maps out an approach that reflects on the whole christian bible with its two very different voices each of which retains continuing integrity and is heard on its own terms

On Living Well 2021-11-16

we god s creations have been put on this earth to live unique and specific lives we each have passions that make us happy whether they be life goals or hobbies through explanations of the various types of passion along with the presentation of several case studies jacqueline mckay directs readers with solid examples of basic principles that are elements in embarking on a meaningful journey of pursuing one s passion the principles outlined in this book are set against a backdrop of truths found in the holy bible

Jesus, God and Man 1978

in this companion volume to god with us critical issues in christian life and faith fr john breck continues his exploration of the ethical and moral dilemmas facing believers who live in the flesh but not for the flesh throughout the book a holy eros a longing for god intersects the mundane and transfigures the ordinary directing our gaze toward the love we long to know beyond all else fr john refracts common perceptions media messages politically charged statements and even religious suppositions through a lens that takes account of the crucified and risen lord book jacket

How Long, O Lord? 2006-09-01

in an era like ours when the christian scriptures are so often used as an excuse to harm others and destroy the environment in the name of god wilderness explorer and preservationist john muir 1838 1914 gives us a completely fresh perspective like those who perform the ancient monastic practice of lectio divina muir usually discovered insights within scriptural passages of which the original authors most likely were not aware rocks and waters are words of god reflections on john muir s ecological reading of the bible is a series of reflections on muir s insights into biblical passages and phrases each reflection begins with a scripture verse and is followed in turn by a passage in which muir used a part of that verse in his writings in a manner similar to what monks and contemplatives have always done like them he tasted the meanings of the scriptures rather than simply processing them intellectually

Jesus, God and Man 1967

thomas h olbricht grew up in churches of christ has taught in several of their universities and has given religious lectures on six continents and in most states in the united states he has met most leaders in churches of christ globally he has been active in several religious and rhetoric societies and has worked with leaders in all these organizations to bring about changes over the past sixty years c clifton black and duane f watson wrote about olbricht tom olbricht possesses a memory of elephantine proportions not only does he have at his fingertips the names and places and dates better than most he understands how the study of rhetoric has flourished among while cross pollinating multiple disciplines in the humanities classics english speech communication and religion

Light unto My Path: Forty Biblical Reflections 2014-06-16

a down to earth spirituality celebrates money politics and sex as divine blessings that require a special and responsible stewardship pb

The Master is Here 1997

in a day when almost anything seems possible through technology and human wisdom we need to be reminded again why we need the holy spirit and his enabling power in a day of mass communication we need to learn how to distinguish the voice of god from all other voices calling for our attention learning to walk as god requires is a lifetime effort scripture however does speak powerfully of our need for a strength greater than our own to live the life god requires could it be the one of the great tragedies of the christian life is that we have never learned the importance of the holy spirit s role in our lives

A Journey with Jesus 2022-10-10

do you have a spiritual thirst do you want to drink living water that only jesus offers whether you are yet to take your first sip of living water or have been satiating your spiritual thirst for a long time dig deeper into the gospel of john to move forward on your spiritual journey embrace john s and jesus s recurring themes of eternal life love and the need to believe it could it should change everything explore profound truths in living water a devotional bible study based on john s biography of jesus in living water lifetime student of the bible and founder of the abibleaday website peter dehaan phd celebrates the poetic rhythm of the gospel of john in doing so he digs into the disciple s evocative writing to uncover profound spiritual truth and life changing insights with eternal ramifications you ll never look at john the same way in living water you ll discover why john s biography of jesus is beloved by so many jesus s gift of living water so we ll never thirst again the power of jesus s longest prayer and what it means for us today jesus as the good shepherd who cares for us his sheep the role of the holy spirit in jesus s ministry and in our lives learn more about thomas s disappearing doubt peter s redemptive restoration and nicodemus s born again confusion find out who jesus s first missionary was how joseph of arimathea risked everything for jesus and the truth about mary magdalene get living water today to celebrate jesus s life and embrace his love

Jesus God and Man 1973

Biblical Theology of the Old and New Testaments 1993

Pursuing Your Passion 2017-03-30

Longing for God 2006

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