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Be Exultant (Psalms 90-150) - Warren W. Wiersbe 2009

Journey with Dr. Warren W. Wiersbe as he teaches you of the patience, the power, and the promises of God through Psalms 90-150.

Leading a Congregation to Relevance - C. Dean Waterman 2022-10-17

What is the measure of a successful congregation? For most, success is in the numbers, but the new scorecard is relevance, which is deeper, and more impactful. The fundamentals that bring relevance are not new but have been abandoned by many congregations for the newest methods and trends in church growth. Within these pages is a new model for bringing these important fundamentals together. They may be taken as a whole or implemented individually, but when done so they bring a renewed focus to a congregation which results in lives changed, and new relevance to those within the congregation, and in the community it exists in.

Encyclopedia of Christian Education - George Thomas Kurian 2015-05-07

This reference work tells the unique history of Christian education and shows how Christian educators pioneered such institutions and reforms as universal literacy, home schooling, Sunday schools, women's education, graded schools, compulsory education of the deaf and blind, and kindergarten.

Reverberating Word - Michael Denham 2018-06-12

Like sounds of beautiful music, worship can renew us for God's glory and our good by the invigorating power of God's reverberating Word. It is God's story that redeems all our stories. We want to tell it again and again as best we can, clearly conveying its message, meaning, richness, claim, and call. Through its every facet and component, worship that is biblically expositional can heighten how we proclaim God's story, faithfully and creatively pointing to the One who alone offers us true identity, security, and destiny. "If you seek me you will find me, if you search with all your heart," declares the Lord. With the ancient prophets and apostles we must repeat and repeat and repeat the most wonderful truth that God wants to be found. In Christian worship such tremendous and tender encounter is available to us as nowhere else.

An Annotated Bibliography of Church Music - Jason M. Runnels 2003

The purpose and scope of this bibliography is to survey the literature concerning church music, primarily in publications from 1980 to the present, while including materials that have been published and serve as primary resources earlier than that. The emphasis is on Protestant church music, largely those published in the English language. The selected lists include over 700 titles, and contain citations with annotations of reference works and bibliographies. The annotations offer an indication of the scope, content, and special features of each work. This study will fill the research and reference needs of music students, scholars, and church musicians, as well as providing research and college libraries with a reference for building their church music collections.

The World, Genesis, and Theology of the Pentateuch - John M. Powell 2022-03-11

The World, Genesis, and Theology of the Pentateuch sets its focus on God's redemption of the entire human race following the entrance of sin into the physical time-space (i.e., the physical universe, physical realm of creation). Redemption didn't begin in the New Testament, but in the first book of the Bible called Genesis. As such, God has been reaching out to people through various means, methods, and ways to rebuild the divine and human relationship that became broken by Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden. Satan understood God's plan to save humanity and never set idly by to watch his purposes unfold in the lives of people. He countered by introducing a false narrative of the origin of people and the universe to all of those willing to believe him, and surrender faith in place of what can be explained away or sounds good. The counter-narrative to God's inspired message of creation is evolution. It purports teachings by people who reject the creation account in Genesis

chapter one. Evolution is therefore populism. It floods the education systems and many other worldly institutions under the disguise of being scientific, which is not scientific at all. Other counter-narratives extending out of evolution includes the evolution of the species and the big bang theory, which two systems that stand in opposition to the Bible. Additional points of emphasis include: Redemption began with the fall of humanity in Genesis and was completed in Jesus Christ in the New Testament. It uncovers how redemption began and took shape in beginning stages of human history, and how God's plan of redemption became clearer with the personal calling of Abraham through Israel and Moses. The 5 books of Moses called the Pentateuch embodies one-third of the Hebrew Bible (Old Testament) prior to Jesus Christ in the New Testament. Genesis leads the way in God's message to the human race. The ancient Gentile nations that vowed allegiance to other exalted deities apart from God manufactured their own religions, beliefs, literature, and teachings they tied to the deities they revered as divine. Such writings became the nucleus through which the nations viewed the world from the concept of religion, their gods, and the afterlife; and thereby competed with the knowledge of Israel's concepts in the way they viewed the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. Redemption is not and cannot be found in other forms of worldly wisdom, knowledge, and teaching. But God's concept of people accepting him on the basis of faith in his word mirrors the example of Abraham's faith in the one true God that created all things that exist. John M. Powell, PhD (ABD)

Voice - 2002

Worship Changes Everything - Darlene Zschech 2015-10-27

Renowned Songwriter and Author Helps Readers See Worship as a Way of Life It can be easy to have a heart filled with worship on a Sunday morning as the church band is playing your favorite song. But then comes Monday morning's commute or Tuesday afternoon's pile of laundry. So what does worship look like in real life--at work, in your family, or with your friends? Darlene Zschech has spent her life thinking and teaching about worship. With wisdom and contagious joy, she shares her thoughts on what worship truly is and how it should invade every facet of your being. Let yourself be transformed by the purpose and freedom that come from living a life of worship.

Be Exultant - Warren W. Wiersbe 2004

In Psalms 90-150, you will come to know God as both transcendent and immanent, far above and yet personally with us in our pilgrim journey. Everything you learn about God and his creation will prepare your heart to "Be Exultant"!

Katrina and the Need for Revival in the American Church - Jerry Bass 2014-05

What is it going to take to revive the American church and usher in a spiritual awakening in the country? The author was trapped in a downtown hospital in New Orleans during Hurricane Katrina. From that experience, Jerry Bass believes that God allowed this disaster in order to wake up the church from its spiritual lethargy. This book was written with an overwhelming conviction that revival in the American church is needed. Endorsements "Reading Jerry's book brought about different emotions in me. My first emotion was painful memories of a very difficult time in my life living in a city that was destroyed by Hurricane Katrina. My second emotion was one of hope as Jerry called for revival in our city, state, and nation. Ladies and gentlemen WE NEED REVIVAL in America, and it MUST start in our churches!" Fred Luter, Jr., pastor, Franklin Avenue Baptist Church, New Orleans, Louisiana, president, Southern Baptist Convention "I've never seen the need for revival in the Church like I see it now. I pray for revival every day. I did not pray for revival before I read this book nor understand the difference between a revival and evangelization. I have also realized that 2 Chronicles 7:14 is directed to God's people (that includes me!) and not to unbelievers. I believe that many American Christians will be touched by God's Spirit as they read

this book and glean from it that revival must start first with them." Bob Leaman, LSU Health/Director of Continuing Dental Education

Being a Child of God - Warren W. Wiersbe 2004-06-30

Beloved Bible teacher Warren Wiersbe takes a fresh look at the basics of Christianity for new and mature believers, in this primer that helps build faith, teaches the ways of the Father, and points Christians toward maturity.

Delighting in God - Delighting in God 2021-11-11

Delighting in God by AW Tozer, an American Christian pastor, author, magazine editor, and spiritual mentor, offers understanding towards your life's purpose by better understanding God. It is the message Tozer intended to be the follow-up to "The Knowledge of the Holy." He demonstrates how the attributes of God, those things God has revealed about himself, are a way to understand the Christian life of worship and service. Because we were created in the image of God, to understand who we are, we need to understand who God is and allow His character and nature to be reflected through us. We are here to serve and adore Him, and we can only fulfill that role by acknowledging who He is. This is the essence of the Christian life and the source of all our fulfillment, joy, and comfort. "Unless we get to know what God is like, unless we know God, we will accept all the superficial nonsense that passes for Christianity today. Our perception of God determines our perception of worship." — A.W. Tozer, Delighting in God "The prevailing condition among Christians today, as I see it, is that there is a sense of God's absence among us. Many believe in God. Many worship God and even sing about Him. But it is almost as if He is not there. This has brought Christianity down below any other religion in the world." — A.W. Tozer, Delighting in God.

Taking a Stand - Insight for Living 2004

The Sound Guide - Chaz Celaya 2013-12

Practically every church in the free world utilizes a sound system, but an alarmingly small amount of churches actually have trained personnel who can acceptably operate the system and allow the congregation to simply focus on Jesus. The Sound Guide is designed to cut to the chase and get right into the foundational elements that every sound person must know. With an easy-to-understand approach, this book de-mystifies and brings clarity to the essentials of the Audio Ministry. The Sound Guide is simply a must-read for any person involved or affected by audio in the church.

Modern Metaphors of Christian Leadership - Joshua D. Henson 2020-01-11

This book explores contemporary metaphors of leadership from a biblical or church historical perspective. It seeks to understand the cultural, social, and organizational metaphors from the Bible and the implications for contemporary organizations. Addressing issues such as communication, mentorship, administration, motivation, change management, education, and coaching, the authors explore concepts related to both for-profit and not-for-profit organizations. This book will be a valuable addition to the leadership literature in showing how biblical leadership principles can be used in contemporary organizations.

In Praise of Worship - David J. Cohen 2010-06-01

Drawing together scholars from fields of biblical studies, systematic theology, liturgics, and pastoral theology, In Praise of Worship questions an overemphasis on singing and music (alone) as worship in today's church. Whilst not minimizing moments of conscious and deliberate worship, the authors show that according to a close reading of Scripture and a clear understanding of theology, the whole of our lives is to be considered as worship-glorifying to the Lord who deserves such honor. Contributors: Nancy Ault Alastair Campbell David J. Cohen David G. Firth Travis Fitch Michael W. Goheen Stephen Haar Brian S. Harris Chris Jack Angela McCarthy Alan Niven John W. Olley Michael O'Neil Robin Parry Michael Parsons Michael J. Quicke

Adorar lo cambia todo - Darlene Zschech 2016-01-05

Una invitación a adorar y honrar a Dios en todas las facetas de su vida ¿Quién no tiene un corazón dispuesto a la adoración la mañana del domingo mientras la banda de la iglesia entona su alabanza favorita? El problema se presenta el lunes camino al trabajo y el martes con la pila de ropa que hay que llevar a la lavandería. ¿Cómo podemos mantener un corazón dispuesto a la adoración durante la rutina diaria? Darlene Zschech ha dedicado su vida a estudiar la adoración y enseñar sobre ella. Con una sabiduría y una alegría contagiosa, nos comparte sus pensamientos sobre lo que realmente significa a adorar y sobre cómo la adoración debería invadir todas las facetas de nuestra vida. Todo lo que hacemos puede convertirse en un acto de adoración al Señor,

transformando nuestro trabajo, nuestras amistades, nuestras iglesias y nuestras familias. Se trata de vivir en su presencia, de ser conscientes de que el Señor está a nuestro lado y obra en nuestras vidas.

Real Worship - Warren W. Wiersbe 2000-02-01

Respected Bible teacher Warren Wiersbe defines the essence of worship and discusses the key issues surrounding this often controversial topic within the church.

Astoundingly Joyful, Amazingly Simple - Timothy D. White 2012-08-30

The meta church is a group of culturally varied congregations combined together as one family with one dream that can only be fulfilled by our differences combined together as a fulfillment of the priestly prayer of Jesus Christ. If you're looking for the hard science of what it takes to build a thriving church, look no further than Dr. White's Astoundingly Joyful, Amazingly Simple. Biblically sound and culturally relevant, Dr. White's strategy reveals the secrets every church leader longs for. More importantly, he has put them into practice at his amazing church, Washington Cathedral. If you're in church leadership, you don't want to miss out on this transforming message. Dr. Les Parrott, Author of Love Talk Like the TV commercial where they're building an airplane while flying it, Dr. Tim White reworks today's institutional church while reading the Book of Acts. Readers feel both his passion and his struggle, but we also see the joy and simplicity of the model represented by Washington Cathedral. Their meta approach involves Tiny Little Churches that undergird everything they do, nonprofit foundations that minister to the community, and diverse cultural congregations that share the singular dream of building the greatest care network the world has ever seen. If you want practical ways for your church to move closer to the ideals found in the Book of Acts, this book is for you. Dr. Warren Bird, Research Director for Leadership Network, and co-author of Better Together: Making Healthy Church Mergers Work White's book is born out of a 25-year education in the school of hard knocks in founding and leading Washington Cathedral into one of the most profoundly incarnational churches in North America. Jim Palmer, author of Divine Nobodies, Wide Open Spaces, & Being Jesus in Nashville

Fervent - Priscilla Shirer 2015-08

Offers a guide to fighting back against Satan's temptations through the use of prayer, outlining advice on developing personal prayer strategies to counter the enemy's diverse assault strategies.

The Names of Jesus - Warren W. Wiersbe 1997-08-01

Warren Wiersbe explores fourteen names of Jesus from both the Old and New Testaments and explains their meaning as well as their relevance to believers today.

American Book Publishing Record - 1996

Preaching as Worship - Michael J. Quicke 2011-09

Move your church from small-picture to big-picture worship A pastor's role in shaping worship is vital. But what if preaching isn't just one part of worship? What if preaching is worship? In Preaching as Worship, veteran preacher Michael Quicke encourages those who preach to open their eyes afresh to glorious big-picture worship--grounded in Trinitarian theology and focused on the pivotal role of Scripture as it directs gathered worship for community formation--urging them to restore worship as an encounter with God. This unique and insightful book offers a clear call for preachers to rethink their worship responsibilities and the importance of preaching--for the sake of their church members and their God. "Michael Quicke's winsome and insightful exploration of preaching as an integral component and reflection of Trinitarian worship is a welcome contribution to thoughtful literature on both preaching and worship. For too long, one has been viewed as simply a prelude or culmination of the other. Quicke helps us understand how worship and preaching function organically and holistically to honor the persons of the Godhead who also comes to us as one."--Bryan Chapell, president, Covenant Theological Seminary; author, Christ-Centered Preaching "This book stretched me and enriched my understanding of preaching and worship."--Craig Brian Larson, editor, PreachingToday.com Michael J. Quicke is C. W. Koller Professor of Preaching and Communication at Northern Seminary in the Chicago area and preaches and lectures across the world. He is the author of 360-Degree Preaching and 360-Degree Leadership.

The Reset : Returning to the Heart of Worship and a Life of Undivided Devotion - Jeremy Riddle 2020-12-18

Even as the sound of modern worship has grown louder, the heartbeat of true worship has grown faint. This is a call for those whose hearts burn to see it revived— who burn with reformation's fire. Who long to see the

purity of worship restored and the Lord's house of prayer once again reflect the fullness of His glory and the wonders of His heart. The Reset is not simply a book on worship, it's an appeal to the broader worshiping community to once again re-order their lives and practices in accordance with the sacred and priestly calling they were given and zealously return to the heart of worship.

True Love Project - Clayton King 2014-09

Offers a Christian view of sex and relationships designed to help teenagers understand God's plan for their lives.

Life Sentences - Warren W. Wiersbe 2009-05-26

This observation by the great preacher Charles Spurgeon launched Warren Wiersbe on a study of the lives of prominent Bible characters. Interested in more than biographical facts, Wiersbe sought out the themes of each person's life as reflected in the pages of Scripture. How does the Bible summarize this person's life? What is the key to understanding his or her character? How do I see my own life reflected in the life of this person? Here is the fruit of this study. A popular reference book with a pastoral and devotional flavor, *Life Sentences* takes you into the lives of sixty-three men and women who encountered an extraordinary God. For each, Wiersbe identifies a verse that sums up that individual's life and then reflects on the lessons to be learned, both positive and negative. Not only will you be challenged by these examples, you will be stimulated to consider what your "life sentence" will be. *Life Sentences* is an ideal reference tool for teachers, Bible study leaders, and preachers seeking to bring Bible characters to life. But it is written from a pastor's heart, so it also makes ideal devotional reading for anyone who wants to more clearly understand the Bible and apply it to life.

Singing the Congregation - Monique M. Ingalls 2018-11-29

Contemporary worship music shapes the way evangelical Christians understand worship itself. Author Monique M. Ingalls argues that participatory worship music performances have brought into being new religious social constellations, or "modes of congregating". Through exploration of five of these modes--concert, conference, church, public, and networked congregations--*Singing the Congregation* reinvigorates the analytic categories of "congregation" and "congregational music." Drawing from theoretical models in ethnomusicology and congregational studies, *Singing the Congregation* reconceives the congregation as a fluid, contingent social constellation that is actively performed into being through communal practice--in this case, the musically-structured participatory activity known as "worship." "Congregational music-making" is thereby recast as a practice capable of weaving together a religious community both inside and outside local institutional churches. Congregational music-making is not only a means of expressing local concerns and constituting the local religious community; it is also a powerful way to identify with far-flung individuals, institutions, and networks that comprise this global religious community. The interactions among the congregations reveal widespread conflicts over religious authority, carrying far-ranging implications for how evangelicals position themselves relative to other groups in North America and beyond.

Sentimenti Autentici - Carolyn Mahaney 2018-10-08

La mia amica Carolyn Mahaney, con l'aiuto di sua figlia Nicole, ha scritto questo bel libro, utile per ogni donna che cerca di capire le sue emozioni dal punto di vista di Dio. Non soltanto capirle, ma anche controllarle e persino apprezzarle. In Carolyn e Nicole troverai due amiche fidate. Cristiane spiritualmente mature, in grado di comprendere trambusti emotivi e profonde delusioni, che hanno in cuore di aiutare altre credenti a progredire verso quel perfezionamento che onora Cristo. Se vuoi che i tuoi sentimenti si conformino a quelli del Signore e Salvatore Gesù, allora troverai in *Sentimenti Autentici* una guida e un compagno degni di questa sfida. Allora inizia a leggerlo, e sii benedetta dai pensieri biblici esposti da Carolyn e dalle sagge riflessioni di Nicole. Ho la sensazione che questo libro ti piacerà! Joni Eareckson Tada

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Communicating Like Jesus - Terrence W. Smith 2007-05

Communicating like Jesus is a compelling book based on the methods of the most masterful of communicators--Jesus Christ. The author has followed Christ's earthly ministry chronologically, discovering how He preached, taught and counseled people, and what made Him so effective! The writer reveals no less than fifty principles that Jesus employed which funnel down into seven categories or "laws." *Communicating like Jesus* is the perfect book for anyone who wishes to learn from the Master and become more effective in the art of communication.

Bible Exposition Commentary - Warren W. Wiersbe 2004-04-01

Volume 3 of the Bible Exposition Commentary 6-volume set

Battlefield of the Mind - Joyce Meyer 2008-03-25

!--StartFragment-- In her most popular bestseller ever, the beloved author and minister Joyce Meyer shows readers how to change their lives by changing their minds. Joyce Meyer teaches how to deal with thousands of thoughts that people think every day and how to focus the mind the way God thinks. And she shares the trials, tragedies, and ultimate victories from her own marriage, family, and ministry that led her to wondrous, life-transforming truth--and reveals her thoughts and feelings every step of the way. Download the free Joyce Meyer author app.

De pastores y predicadores - Miguel Núñez 2019-05-15

Muchos han abrazado el ministerio pastoral sin tener una idea clara de cuán extraordinario es este llamado y sin ser debidamente conscientes de cuán alto es el privilegio de enseñar y pastorear ovejas compradas a un precio de sangre. De pastores y predicadores, el nuevo libro del pastor Miguel Núñez, fue escrito con la intención de contribuir a dar forma a las mentes y corazones de aquellos a quienes Dios ha llamado para dirigir y nutrir a su rebaño. Many have embraced the pastoral ministry without having a clear idea of how extraordinary is this call and without being duly aware of how high is the privilege to teach and shepherd sheep bought at the price of blood. This book, "From Pastors and Preachers" has been written with the intention of contributing to form the mind and heart of those whom God has called to guide and feed His flock.

On Being a Servant of God - Warren W. Wiersbe 2007-06-01

Sometimes people lose sight of the core of their ministry. They feel overwhelmed by the needs that surround them on a daily basis. Wise and beloved pastor Warren Wiersbe invites ministry leaders to listen in on thirty short "armchair chats" to encourage and strengthen them for service. He shares what he wishes he had known about ministering to others when he began his own Christian pilgrimage. "Ministry," he says, "takes place when divine resources meet human needs through loving channels to the glory of God." With this new edition of a classic book, which includes a foreword by Jim Cymbala, the next generation of ministry leaders can take advantage of Wiersbe's years of wisdom.

The Wiersbe Bible Commentary: Old Testament - Warren W. Wiersbe

Let one of the most beloved and respected Bible teachers of our time guide you verse-by-verse through the Scriptures with *The Wiersbe Bible Commentary Old Testament*, the trusted reference you'll love to read.

The Biblically-Driven Church: How Jesus Builds His Body - Cliff McManis 2016-09-20

How does a church grow? Who builds the church? What is the real, honorable church anyway?

True Feelings - Carolyn Mahaney 2017-10-13

What am I feeling? Emotions can be confusing. One moment we're happy, content, and hopeful, and the next we're anxious, hurt, and overwhelmed. But we don't have to live at the mercy of our emotions. In *True Feelings*, a mother-daughter team clears away common misconceptions and mixed messages about our feelings to offer us a biblical perspective on emotions— helping us understand how they work, why we feel what we feel, and how to develop good emotional habits. We will see that we don't have to ignore, excuse, or follow our feelings, but can instead learn to honor God with our emotions as an integral part of who he made us to be.

God Up Close - Doug McIntosh 1998

'This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate in it day and night, that you may observe to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success.' - ~Joshua 1:8 You would think, given the Source of such a claim, that people would be climbing all over themselves in their efforts to meditate on the Word of God. Alas, it is not so. Meditation is an art that somehow has been lost. Yes, we desire to please God and receive His blessing. We spend time in prayer and reading His Word. But we have not put enough stock in the promises asserted in the Bible regarding meditation. Join Doug McIntosh in seeing *God Up Close*. Take a look at the ancient and divinely commended practice of meditation to discover what it is, how to do it, and the difference it can make in your life, and even in the world around you. Learn to realize the truth, reflect on it, and respond to God on the basis of it. Meditation is not simply for the cloistered. It is for every believer who desires a deeper personal relationship with Jesus Christ. It is not a laborious process, but rather one that comes overflowing with blessings and promises from God. Makes your time with the Lord more profitable.

Learn to see God Up Close.

Books in Print Supplement - 2002

Sent and Gathered (Engaging Worship) - Clayton J. Schmit 2009-10-01
Historic changes are occurring in the convergence of worship styles throughout the Christian church. Christians across the theological spectrum are seeking to learn from their own tradition's roots and from

the liturgical expressions of believers in other times and places. Here worship expert Clayton Schmit examines worship in church settings around the globe and provides a practical manual for shaping liturgies that are informed by and relevant to contemporary missional contexts. The book broadens current ecumenical worship conversations, reveals insights drawn from the church at worship in the world, and argues for a common understanding of a theology of worship.