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Our story here is more than just a vintage tale of what God did in a past generation. It's a bit of time travel, or a message in a bottle from an intriguing, long-gone era. And the message is this: God can do it again. He can surprise us all with a new season of extraordinary, radical, spine-tingling hope, and a new flood of His Holy Spirit on a new generation.

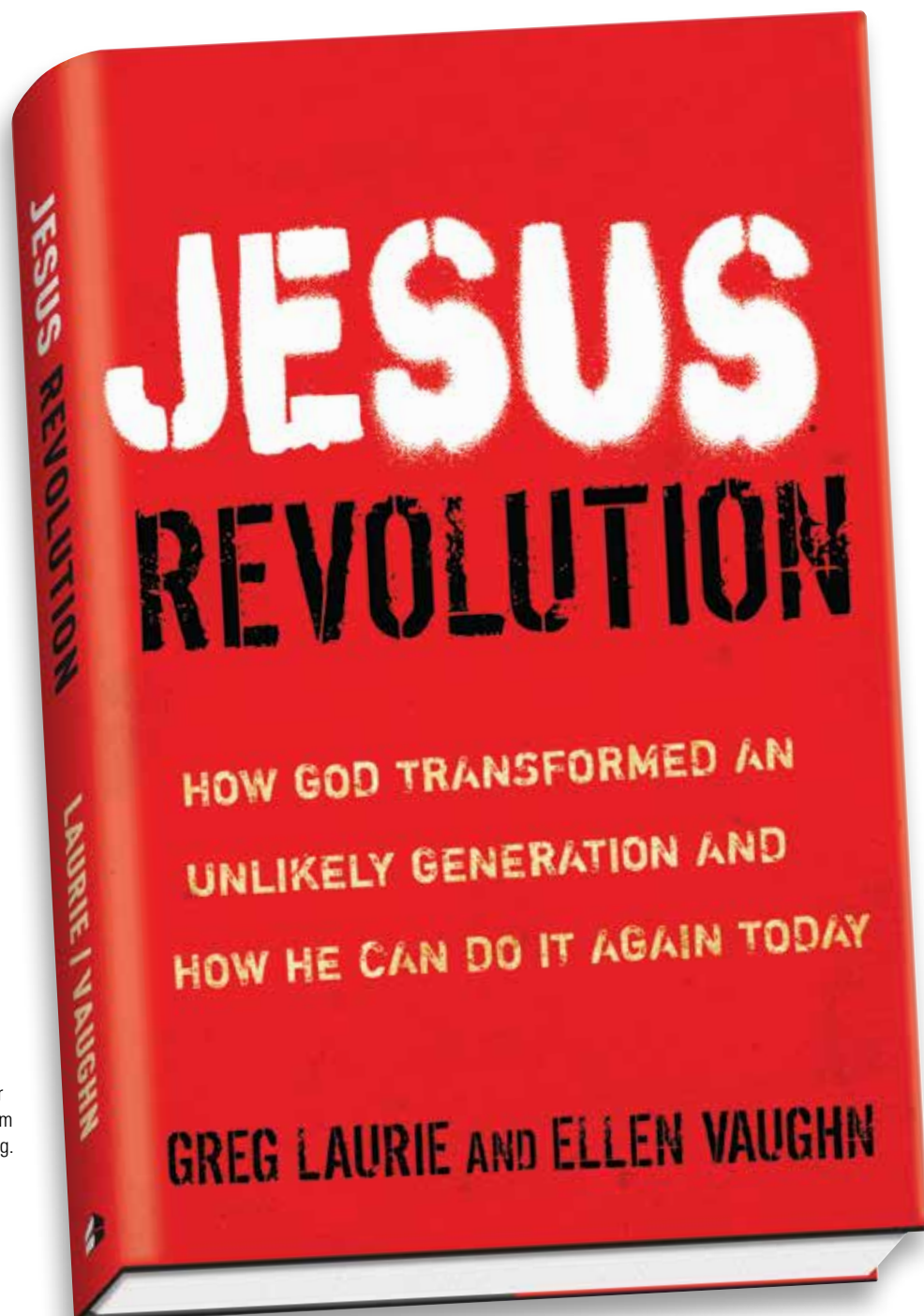
A new Jesus Movement would not look the same as it did fifty years ago. But in our own unruly times, God can certainly bring powerful revival to His Church and an awakening among people who don't yet know Him.

But that is something He tends to do only if people admit they need Him.

The hippies, flower children, and others who came to Jesus back in the '60s were desperate. They were willing to go to any lengths, or on any trip, to find what they were looking for. They'd throw off their clothes or their conventions, longing to break free of sin and shame. And when they heard the Gospel—the good news about Jesus Christ, and that He was real and alive and loved the whole world—it blew their minds, to put it in '60s vernacular. Their desperate search was satisfied.

So that's the central question for all of us, today. Young or old, are we going through the motions, comfortable and complacent, consuming some brand of cultural churchianity that has little to do with the electrifying Gospel of Jesus Christ? Are we really desperate to know God, to embrace the fresh, mysterious, powerful wind of His Holy Spirit?

Revival, after all, is not about human plans, programs, campaigns, or particular denominational movements. It comes from the real revolution that only God can bring.



How the Jesus Movement Transformed the Church—and Can Transform You

- Riveting story of the Jesus Movement challenges readers to be radically transformed from the inside out
- *Jesus Revolution* documentary and feature film will release in 2019
- Laurie has a large social media platform with more than 1 million Facebook followers, and a daily nationally syndicated radio program, *A New Beginning*, broadcast on more than 1,000 outlets around the world

God has always been interested in turning unlikely people into his most fervent followers. Prostitutes and pagans, tax collectors and tricksters. The more unlikely, the more it seemed to please God and to demonstrate his power, might, and mercy. America in the 1960s and 1970s was full of unlikely people—men and women who had rejected the stuffy religion of their parents' generation, who didn't follow the rules, didn't fit in. The perfect setting for the greatest spiritual awakening of the 20th century.

With passion and purpose, Greg Laurie and Ellen Vaughn tell the amazing true story of the Jesus Movement, an extraordinary time of mass revival, renewal, and reconciliation. Setting fascinating personal stories within the context of one of the most tumultuous times in modern history, the authors draw important parallels with our own time of spiritual apathy or outright hostility, offering hope for the next generation of unlikely believers—and for the next great American revival.

Those who lived through the Jesus Revolution will find here an inspiring reminder of the times and people that shaped their lives and faith. Younger readers will discover a forgotten part of recent American history and, along with it, a reason to believe that God is not finished with their generation.

Jesus Revolution

Greg Laurie and Ellen Vaughn



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Ellen Vaughn is a #1 *New York Times* bestselling author and inspirational speaker who has written or co-written more than 20 books. Former vice president of executive communications for Prison Fellowship, she collaborated with Chuck Colson on a number of his seminal works. A senior fellow for the 21st Century Wilberforce Initiative, she also serves on the board of directors for International Cooperating Ministries. Vaughn and her husband, Lee, live in northern Virginia. They have three grown children and two enthusiastic but clueless dogs.

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The Secrets of True Significance

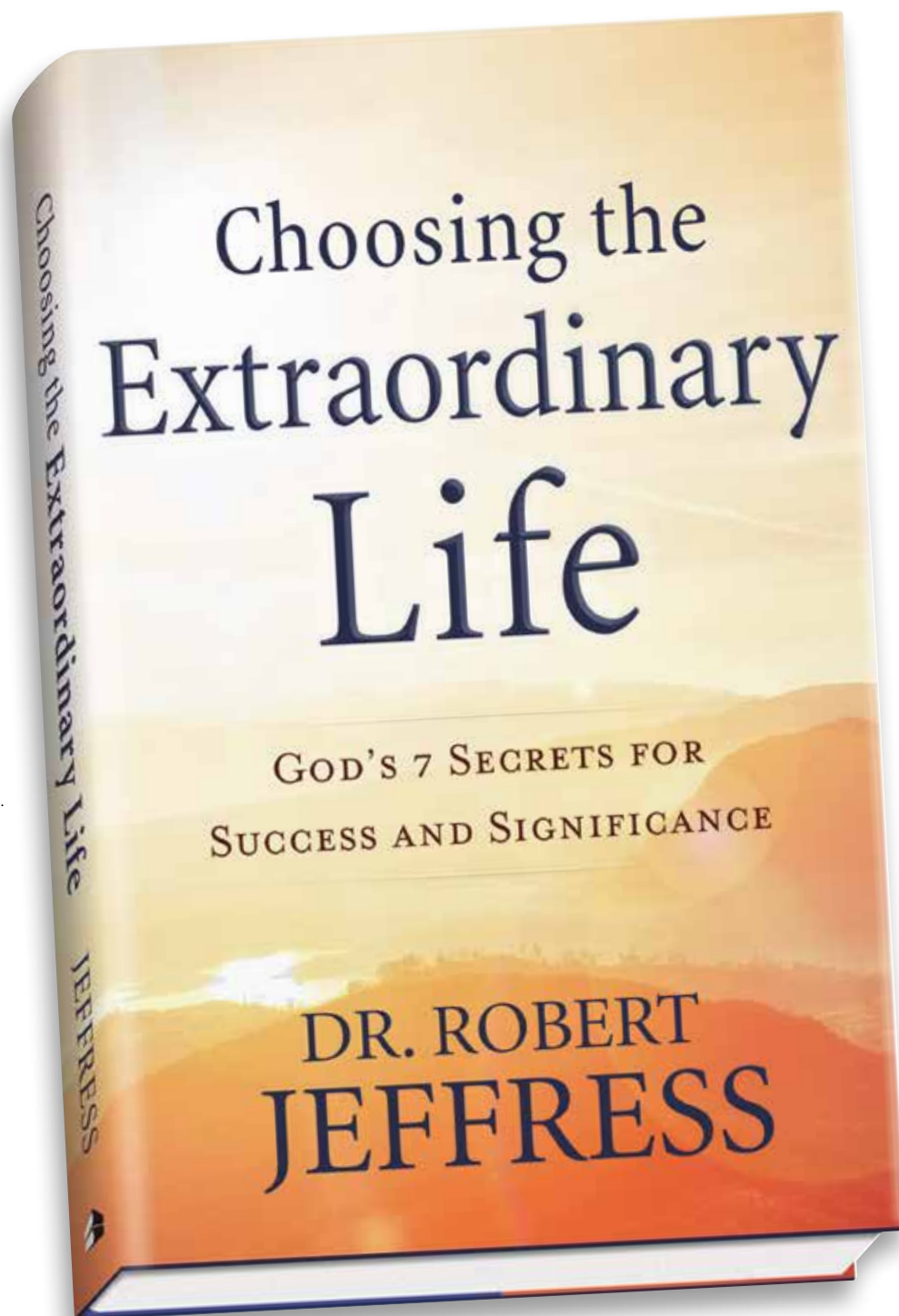
God can transform your life from ordinary to extraordinary, just as He did with Elijah. As far as God is concerned, there can never be enough Elijah-like men and women walking the earth, standing for His truth and upholding His glory. How does such a transformation take place?

In the chapters that follow, we will explore the seven secrets of significance, which are resolves you and I must make to experience the incredible life God desires for us.

Secret #1: Discover Your Unique Purpose

Every follower of Christ has a general purpose in life—to bring God glory and to enjoy Him forever. But each of us also has a unique purpose that answers the question: “Why has God placed me in this world?”

Elijah’s life offers clues to how we can answer that question in our own lives. Elijah’s unique purpose was serving faithfully as a prophet of God, confronting a wicked king and queen, and calling his nation back to the worship of the true God. Your call and purpose is probably different, but like Elijah, you have a specific purpose in life. In the next chapter, we will discover two questions that will help you determine God’s unique purpose for your life.



Your Roadmap to a Life of Eternal Impact

- Author is pastor of 13,000 member First Baptist Church in Dallas
- Dr. Jeffress's radio and television programs, *Pathway to Victory*, reach 106 million U.S. households and 195 countries
- Uses the life of Elijah as the backdrop to reveal seven eternal secrets for living a life that is marked by genuine significance, satisfaction, and success

Too many of us settle for a listless life of mundane routine. We long to discover a greater purpose for our lives, but we don't know how. Dr. Robert Jeffress has an encouraging message for people looking for something more. God not only wants us to enjoy an extraordinary life, he has provided a roadmap for doing so.

In this inspiring and motivating book, Dr. Jeffress reveals seven secrets from Elijah that result in a life marked by significance, satisfaction, and success, including

- discovering your unique purpose in life
- waiting on God's timing
- learning how to handle bad days
- and more

For the overworked parent feeling trapped at home, the businessperson feeling unfulfilled in a stagnant career, the Christian worker ministering in obscurity—for anyone who wonders if there's more to life—God's Word reveals seven secrets for experiencing a truly extraordinary life.

Choosing the Extraordinary Life

Dr. Robert Jeffress



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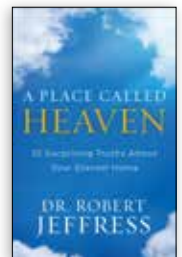
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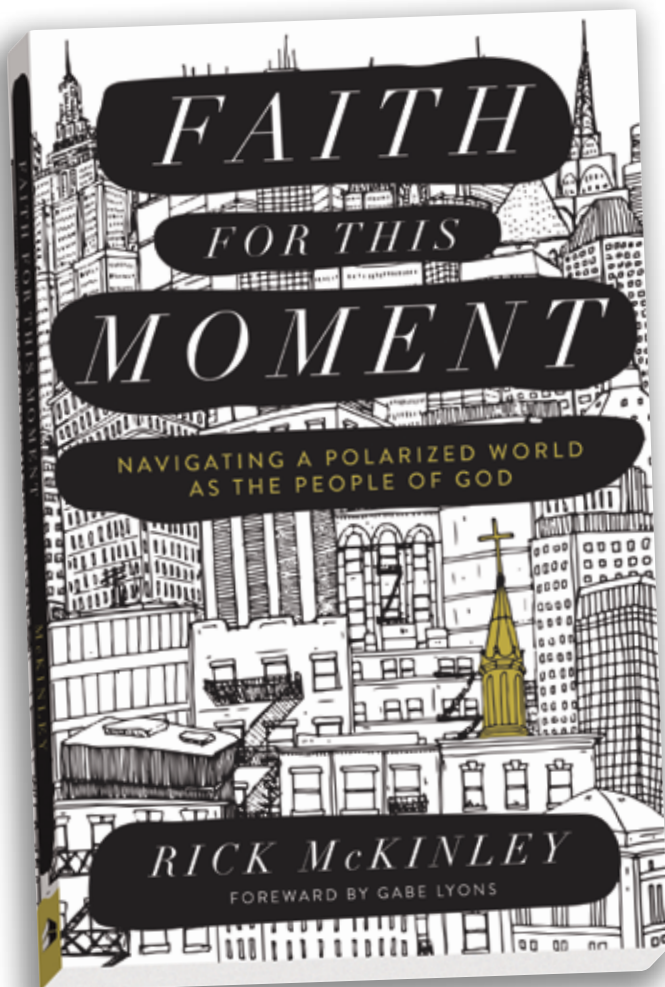
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What It Means to Be a Christian in an Increasingly Polarized Culture



- Insightful exposition of the exile narrative paired with engaging modern-day examples
- Author has a unique perspective as an influential pastor in the post-Christian context of Portland, Oregon
- Foreword by Gabe Lyons

For three generations, God's chosen people were exiles in the land of Babylon. Today, many Christians in America feel like exiles within their own country, and there is growing disagreement regarding how to live faithfully in this complex cultural moment. Some desire to conquer our Babylon and return to a type of Christendom they believe existed in an idealized past. Others seek to assimilate the values of our culture into the church. And in between are those who are uncomfortable with either extreme, who feel spiritually homeless. These exiles are looking for a new way of understanding what faith looks like in a polarized, pluralistic, post-Christian culture. They want to know: What does it mean to be the people of God now?

That's the question Rick McKinley seeks to answer. He shows exiled Christians how people of faith from other times and places discovered how to live faithfully, prophetically, and imaginatively, neither compromising their principles nor their compassion, and never giving in to despair.

Faith for This Moment

Rick McKinley



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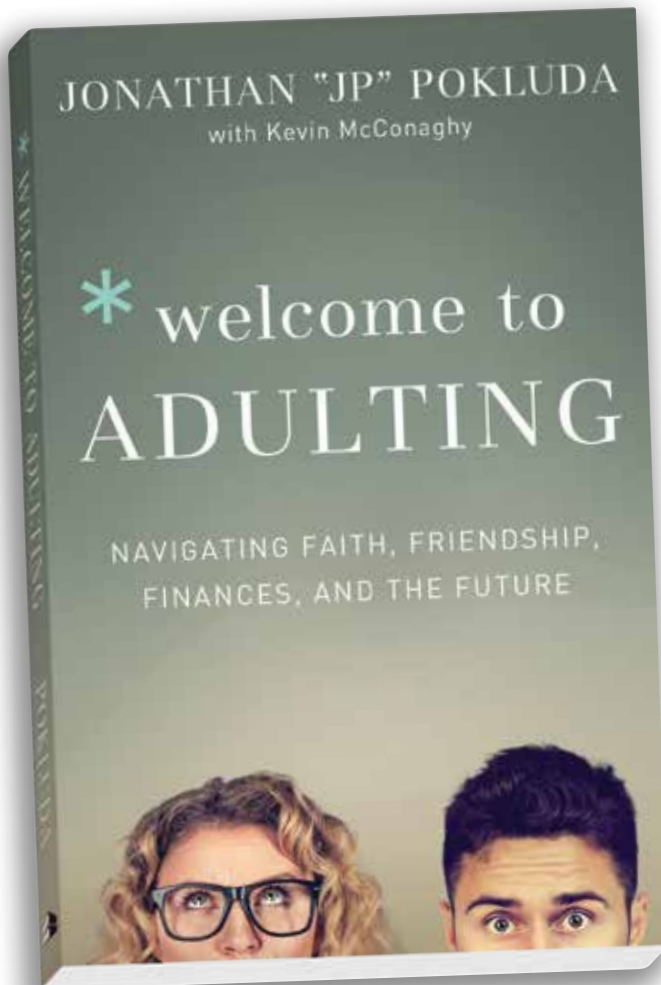
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I'm an Adult . . . Now What?



- Authentic, biblically based advice for young adults as they transition to life in the real world
- Author is a pastor of Watermark Community Church and the leader of The Porch, an influential young adult gathering of more than 3,500 each week in Dallas, Texas
- Each chapter includes discussion questions, a great resource for young adult small groups and excellent graduation gift book

Every day, another Millennial becomes an adult. For many young people, the transition is a bumpy one, fraught with opportunities to make mistakes and bad choices. The clear expectations they had at home or in school are gone, and they may feel unprepared to face what comes next.

But sometimes we make it harder than it has to be. Combining entertaining stories from his own experience, insights from the Bible, and compelling evidence from research, "JP" Pokluda lays out a roadmap for how to navigate life as an adult, addressing topics like

- friendships and dating
- career and money management
- interpersonal conflict
- controlling anxiety
- recovering from addiction
- and discovering your purpose on this earth

Anyone struggling to find a footing in the world of adult life will welcome this witty, non-patronizing guide.

Welcome to Adulting

Jonathan "JP" Pokluda
with Kevin McConaghy



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Kevin McConaghy works as a copywriter for a marketing agency in Dallas, Texas. He's been involved with The Porch since the day it first launched, and served in a variety of roles there for over a decade. As an editor and contributor to *The Porch* blog, he's collaborated with JP on writing projects for a number of years. He and his wife, Juliana, have one daughter, Clara, and another child on the way.



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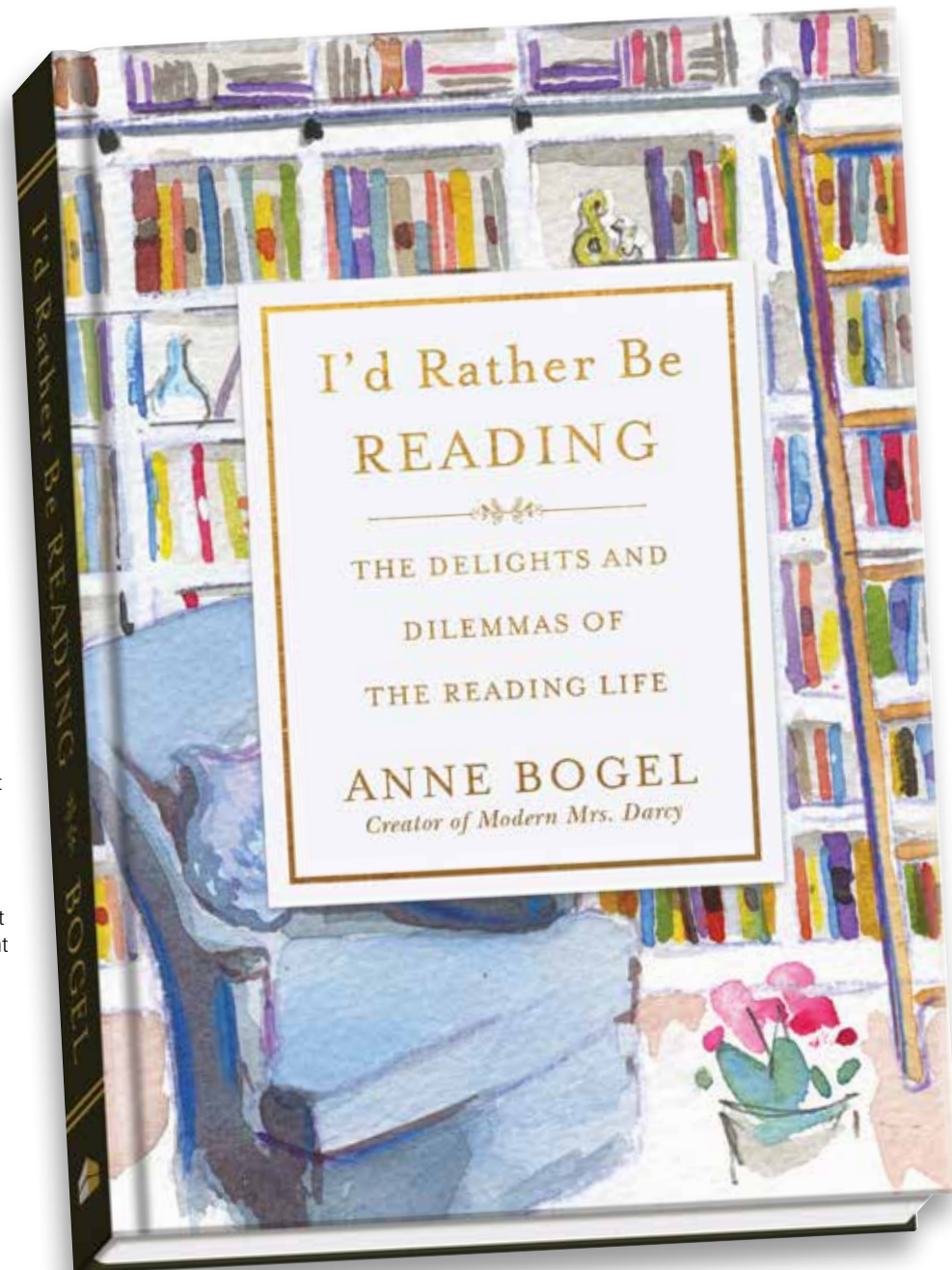
We're looking for a book that reminds us why we read in the first place. One that was written well and feels like it was written just for you—one that made you think about things in a new way, or feel things you didn't expect a book to make you feel, or see things in a new light. A book you didn't want to put down, whose characters you didn't want to say goodbye to. A book you close feeling satisfied and grateful, thinking *now that was a good one*.

If I could read only great books for the rest of my days, I would be very happy. But actually finding those books—for myself or any other reader—isn't so easy, because a "great" book means different things to different people.

When we talk about reading, we often focus on the book itself, but so much of the reading life is about the reader as an active participant. To put a great book in your hands, here's what I need to know: When you turn to the written word, what is it you are looking for? What themes speak to you? What kind of writing resonates with you? What sorts of places do you want to vicariously visit? What types of characters do you enjoy meeting on the page? What was the last story you wished would never end; which was the last volume you hurled across the room, and why?

Without the details of what great means to you, and without knowing what kind of reader you are, the question might be simple, but it's not an easy answer. It might even be impossible!

To hand you a great book, I don't just need to know about books, I need to know you.



Reflections on the Delights and Dilemmas of the Reading Life

- Offers engaging and relatable writings on books and how they shape us throughout our lives
- Beautifully packaged to make a perfect gift for book lovers
- Author is known as a reading tastemaker through her popular podcast *What Should I Read Next?*
- Bogel's blog, *Modern Mrs. Darcy*, averages more than half a million unique visitors each month

For so many people, reading isn't just a hobby or a way to pass the time—it's a lifestyle. Our books shape us, define us, enchant us, and even sometimes infuriate us. Our books are a part of who we are as people, and we can't imagine life without them.

I'd Rather Be Reading is the perfect literary companion for everyone who feels that way. In this collection of charming and relatable reflections on the reading life, beloved blogger and author Anne Bogel leads readers to remember the book that first hooked them, the place where they first fell in love with reading, and all of the moments afterward that helped make them the reader they are today. Known as a reading tastemaker through her popular podcast *What Should I Read Next?*, Bogel invites book lovers into a community of like-minded people to discover new ways to approach literature, learn fascinating new things about books and publishing, and reflect on the role reading plays in their lives.

The perfect gift for the bibliophile in everyone's life, *I'd Rather Be Reading* will command an honored place on the overstuffed bookshelves of any book lover.

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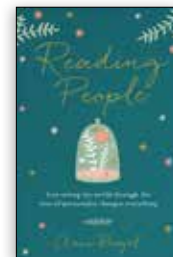
Anne Bogel is the creator of the popular blog *Modern Mrs. Darcy* and the podcast *What Should I Read Next?* Her popular book lists and reading guides have established Bogel as a tastemaker among readers, authors, and publishers. The author of *Reading People*, Bogel lives in Louisville, Kentucky. Find her on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.



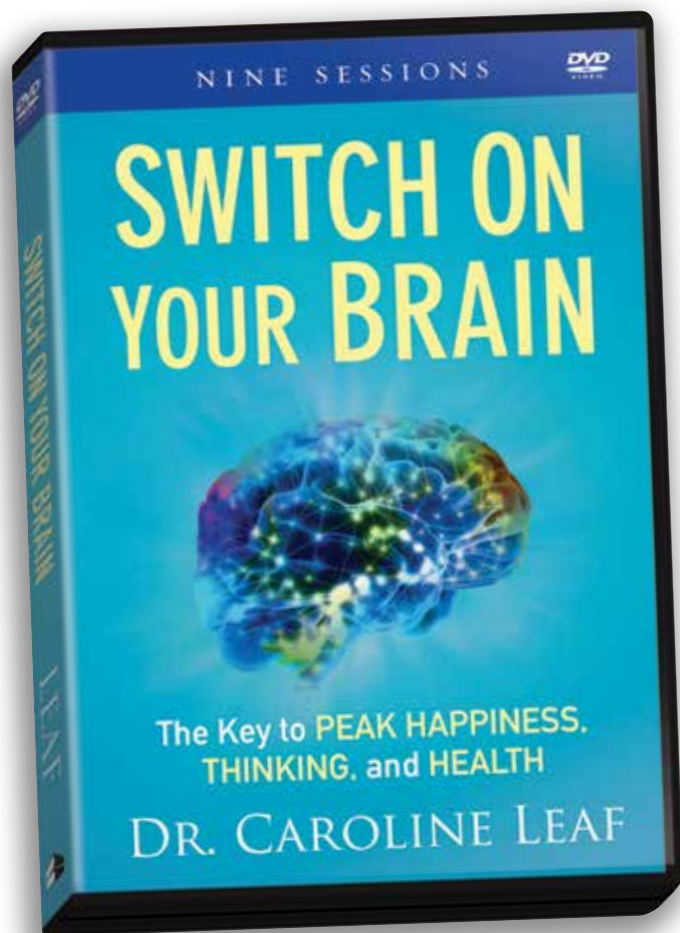
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Overcome Emotional, Physical, and Spiritual Obstacles



- A DVD and curriculum kit to help readers understand the power of their thoughts and how to transform them
- Includes scientific research and biblical teaching that help readers manage stress and break unhealthy patterns
- Author's books have sold more than 1.1 million copies

We all want to be more at peace, to be happier and healthier, but we often don't know how to go about it. Everything we try seems to fall short of true change. Dr. Caroline Leaf knows that we cannot change anything until we change our thinking. Her bestselling book, *Switch On Your Brain*, has already helped thousands of readers detox their thinking and experience improved happiness and health. Now she's made this life-changing content available on DVD.

Each of the keys in the *Switch On Your Brain* DVD pairs science with Scripture, asking penetrating personal questions in order to understand the impact of our thought lives on our brains, bodies, and lifestyles. The curriculum kit includes the *Switch On Your Brain* book, DVD, and workbook so that participants can get the most out of Dr. Leaf's exhaustive research.

Switch On Your Brain DVD and Curriculum Kit

Dr. Caroline Leaf



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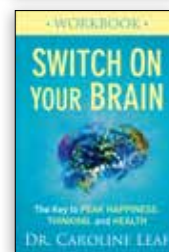
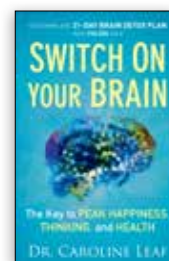
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Dr. Caroline Leaf is a communication pathologist and audiologist who has worked in the area of cognitive neuroscience, education, and mental health since 1985. The author of *Switch On Your Brain*, *Think and Eat Yourself Smart*, *The Perfect You*, and *Think, Learn, Succeed*, Leaf has been featured on many shows, including *Enjoying Everyday Life* with Joyce Meyer, *LIFE Today* with James and Betty Robison, *Today with Marilyn and Sarah*, *It's Supernatural* with Sid Roth, and *Doctor to Doctor*. Dr. Leaf also hosts *The Dr. Leaf Show* on TBN. She lives in Dallas, Texas.

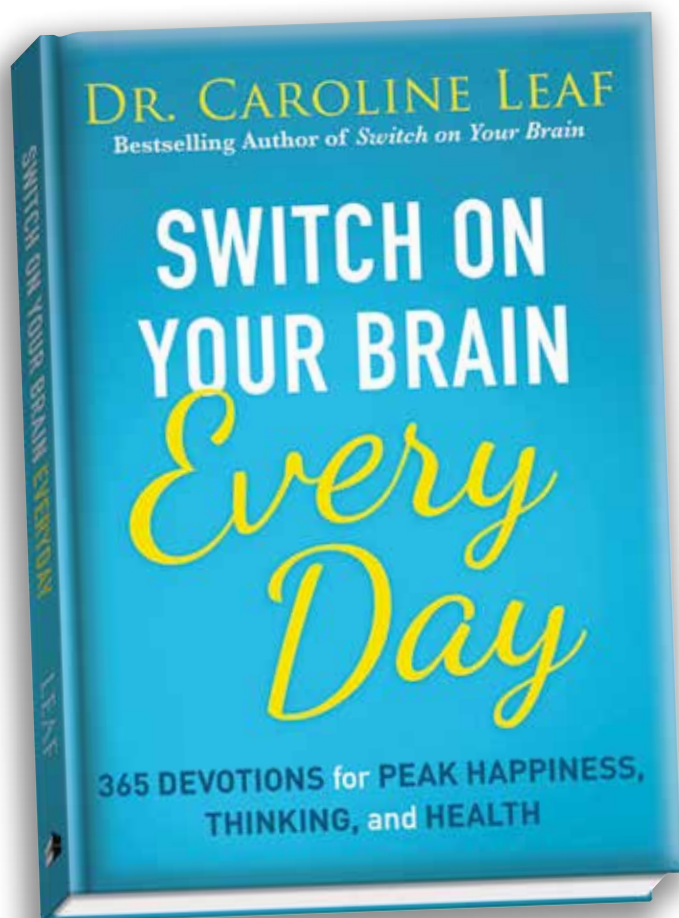


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Renew Your Mind with This Devotional Companion to *Switch On Your Brain*



- Experience better health and wholeness with this 365-day devotional that helps readers understand the power of their thoughts and how to transform them
- *Switch On Your Brain* has sold more than 370,000 copies
- Author is an international speaker and the host of the #2 show on TBN, *The Dr. Leaf Show*

According to researchers, the vast majority—a whopping 75–98 percent—of the illnesses that plague us today are a direct result of our thought life. What we think about truly affects us both physically and emotionally. In fact, fear alone triggers more than 1,400 known physical and chemical responses in our bodies, activating more than thirty different hormones! Today our culture is undergoing an epidemic of toxic thoughts that, left unchecked, create ideal conditions for illnesses.

In *Switch On Your Brain*, Dr. Caroline Leaf gave readers a prescription for better health and wholeness through correct thinking patterns. Now she helps readers live out their happier, healthier, more enjoyable lives every day with this devotional companion to her bestselling book. Readers will find here encouragement and strategies to reap the benefits of a detoxed thought life—every day!

Switch On Your Brain Every Day

Dr. Caroline Leaf



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I lived so much of my life with a list of things to change, to do better at, if not on paper then in my mind. I think most of us do and the message is always: we can do better.

We'll not only join the gym, we'll go!

This new diet plan will work and by summer we'll be bikini ready. (Note to self, don't you dare buy a bikini. Even if you're thinner things are not where they used to be and no one but your loving husband needs to know that.)

We'll start that read-through-the-Bible-in-a-year plan again. (Last year I got to May 7th and got distracted and by the time I realized it, I was a whole Leviticus, fifty-three Psalms, and Romans behind.)

We'll recover from the overspending and be financially responsible.

We'll cook wholesome nutritious meals for our family and sit down at least five nights a week together at the table.

We'll reduce our television watching and read more books.

Sometimes the messages carry much more weight.

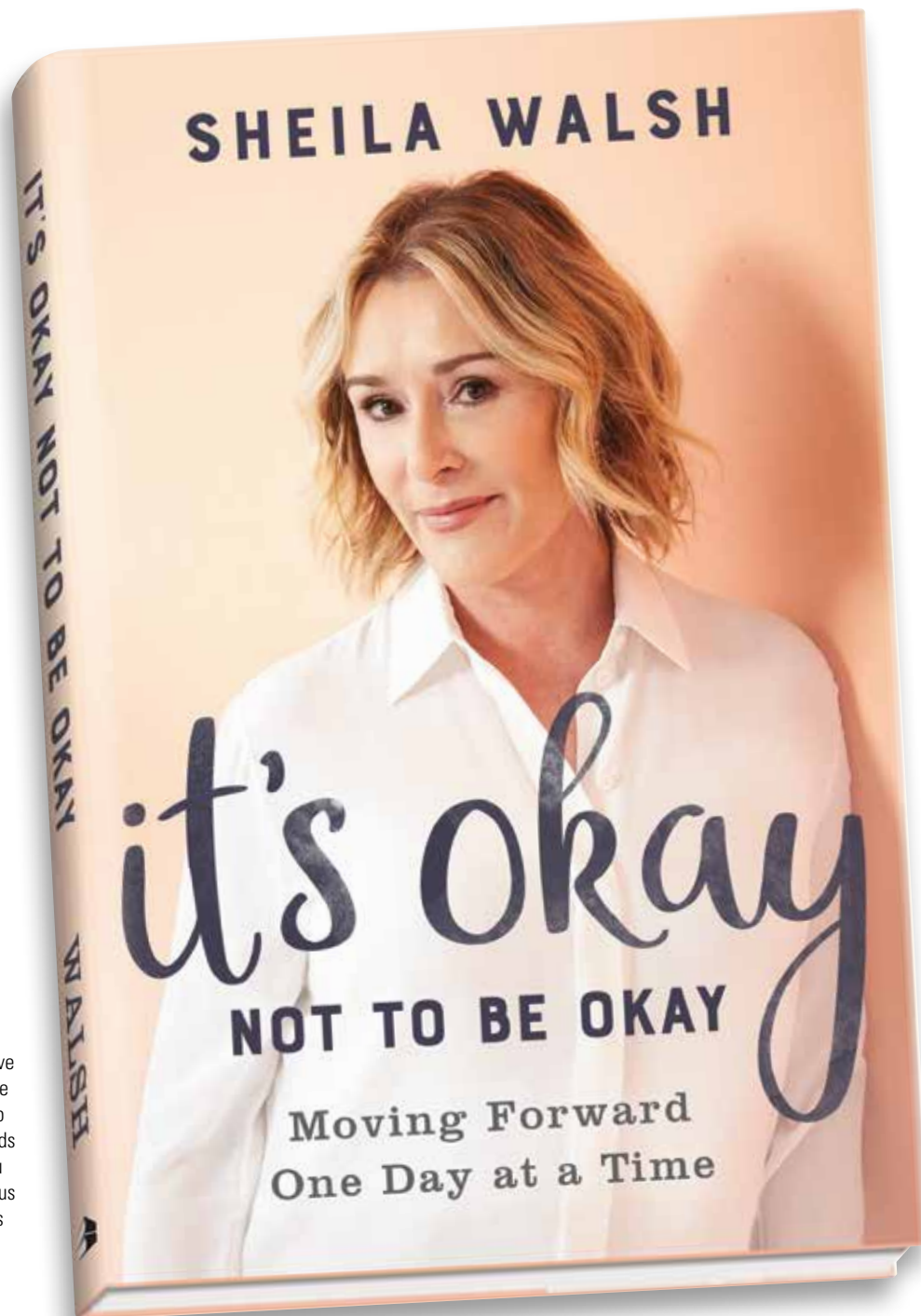
This marriage will work.

We will get out of debt.

Our children will come back to Christ.

We'll eat better to save our lives not our waistlines.

I don't know what your internal list looks like but if it's anything like mine it usually serves to let us know where we've failed. Lists are written when the kids are asleep or you've had a good night's sleep and a cup of coffee. The trouble is the kids wake up and that impossible woman you work with gets louder and more obnoxious by the minute and no amount of coffee is going to help.



8 Simple Steps to Help You Move Forward One Day at a Time

- Helps women understand it's never too late to start again and that there's healing and freedom in just taking the first step
- Author is a cohost of *LIFE Today* with James and Betty Robison and host of *Wednesdays in the Word* television programs
- Significant speaking platform, including 2017 Women of Joy and E-Women tours alongside Christine Caine, Kirk Cameron, Lysa TerKeurst, and many others
- Walsh is a bestselling author, speaker, and Bible teacher who has sold more than 5.5 million books

We've all experienced that moment where we wish we could start all over again. Failed marriages, lost friends, addictions, lost jobs. This is not the life we imagined. Yesterday can sometimes leave us stuck, sad, shamed, scared, and searching. Sheila Walsh encourages readers to face the pain head on and then start again, from right where they are. She shares that when she discovered "I'm not good enough and I'm good with that," everything started to change.

In *It's Okay Not to Be Okay*, Walsh helps women overcome the same old rut of struggles and pain by changing the way they think about God, themselves, and their everyday lives. She shares practical, doable, daily strategies that will help women move forward one step at a time knowing God will never let them down.

It's Okay Not to Be Okay

Sheila Walsh



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This cause—to ignite the next generation of Christians for Jesus—has lit Mark and me up for a long time. Mark has written books, taught hundreds of thousands of teens and leaders, and prepped parents for life in this new reality. I, too, have spent the better part of my working life trying to get a handle on the problems facing the next generation, and on potential solutions . . .

It is our contention in this book that today's society is, for many reasons we will explore, especially and insidiously faith-repellent. Certainly God's people have weathered hostile seasons in the past; the pages of Scripture and the annals of Church history remind us it is never easy to live faithfully. But our research shows that resilient faith is becoming more rare today, and tougher to grow.

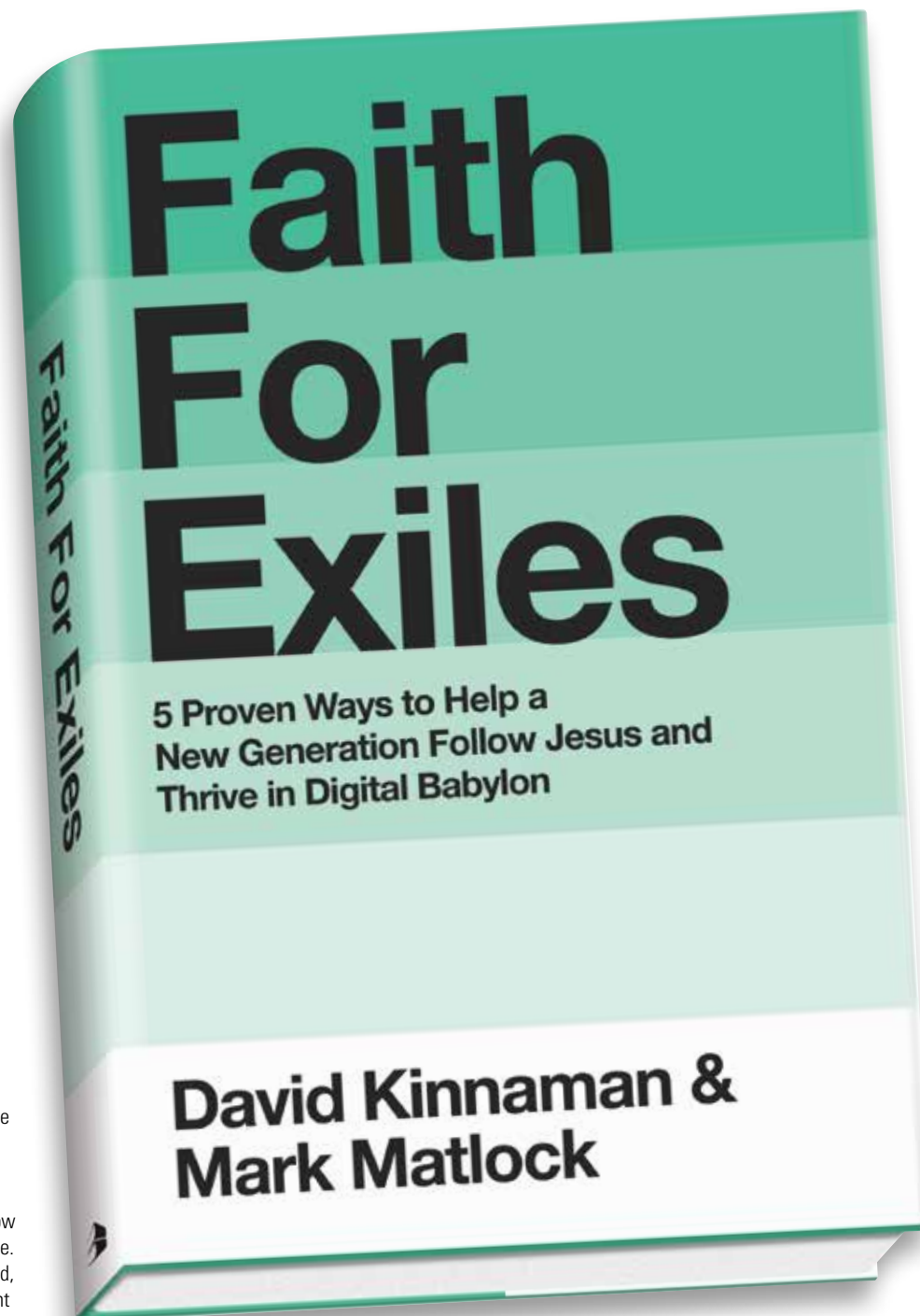
That reality leads us to our main argument in *Faith for Exiles*:

Non-Christians are avoiding Christianity and young Christians are abandoning church.

But by cultivating five practices, we can meet the deepest longings of our anxious age.

Even now there is hope hidden in the cracks. We find this hope breaking through in places like Scotland and Ireland and the wider UK and Australia—societies that are even more post-Christian than our own. We see it in our research in North America, too. And what we find confirms again what Christianity's long history reveals: The roots of faithfulness can sink deeper in anxious, unsettled times. Faith can grow even—and sometimes especially—in the darkest of times and places.

Over a decade's worth of research with nearly 100,000 teens, young adults, parents, and church leaders shows us how young faith can mature and last a lifetime. This book is about what we've discovered, as best we can describe it at this moment in time.



Powerful New Research-Driven Insights for 21st-Century Discipleship

- Reveals five practices that cultivate resilient faith in the next generation
- Kinnaman is president of Barna Group and author of bestselling *unChristian*, *You Lost Me*, and *Good Faith*, which have sold more than 375,000 total copies
- Matlock is an author and speaker and the former executive director of Youth Specialties

In a series of groundbreaking studies that led to two bestselling books, David Kinnaman and his Barna Group uncovered the truth about why young people are increasingly resisting and rejecting the church. But the news isn't all bleak. Recent analysis of Barna's incredible store of data reveals a hidden hope: the church is already perfectly equipped to meet young people's deepest desires and most pressing needs.

In *Faith for Exiles*, David Kinnaman teams up with former executive director of Youth Specialties Mark Matlock to reveal five formational practices that have the power to cultivate resilient faith in the next generation. Drawing on groundbreaking insights and never-before-released data, Kinnaman and Matlock show readers that God has not given up on the American church. In fact, the church is needed now more than ever.

Pastors, youth ministers, and concerned culture-watchers will find the hope they've been looking for as they navigate a rapidly changing, increasingly alien culture alongside young, faithful, thriving Christians exiled in digital Babylon.

Faith for Exiles

David Kinnaman and Mark Matlock



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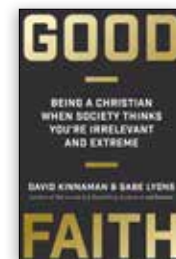
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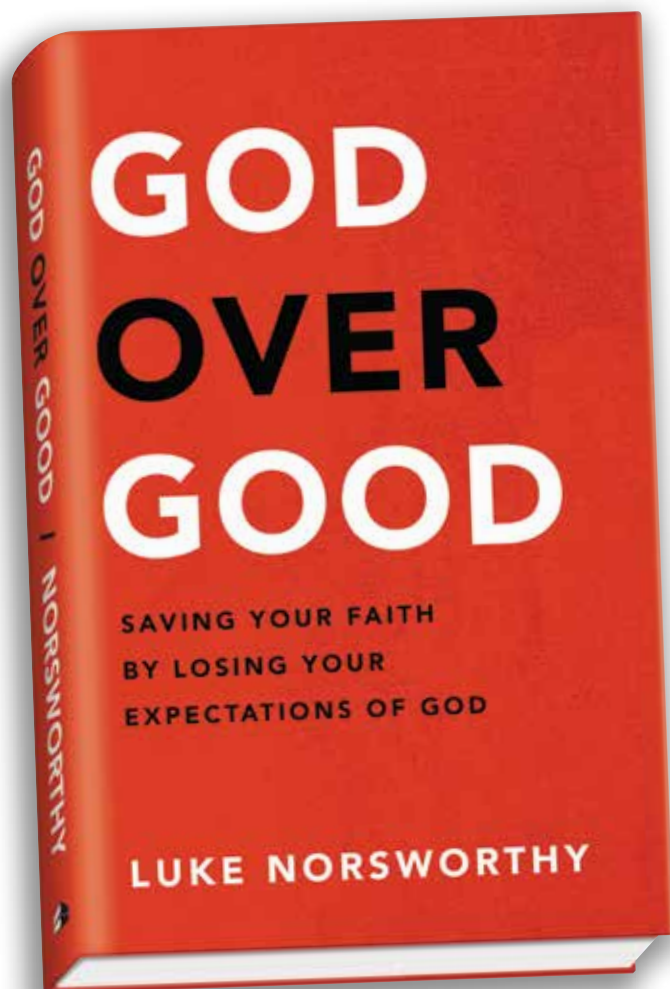
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Trusting God When He Isn't Living Up to Your Expectations



- Demonstrates how to have real faith in a world that's messy, in a church that's imperfect, and when God doesn't live up to our expectations
- Tackles tough theological questions from a biblical viewpoint
- Author's podcast, *Newsworthy with Norsworthy*, had more than 300,000 downloads in the past year and more than 1 million downloads total

It's hard to say that God is good when God isn't always what we expect *good* to be. A good father wouldn't make it so difficult to get to know him, would he? And if God is all-powerful, wouldn't he ensure that we never suffered? Either our understanding of God is incorrect, or our definition of *good* is inadequate.

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God over Good

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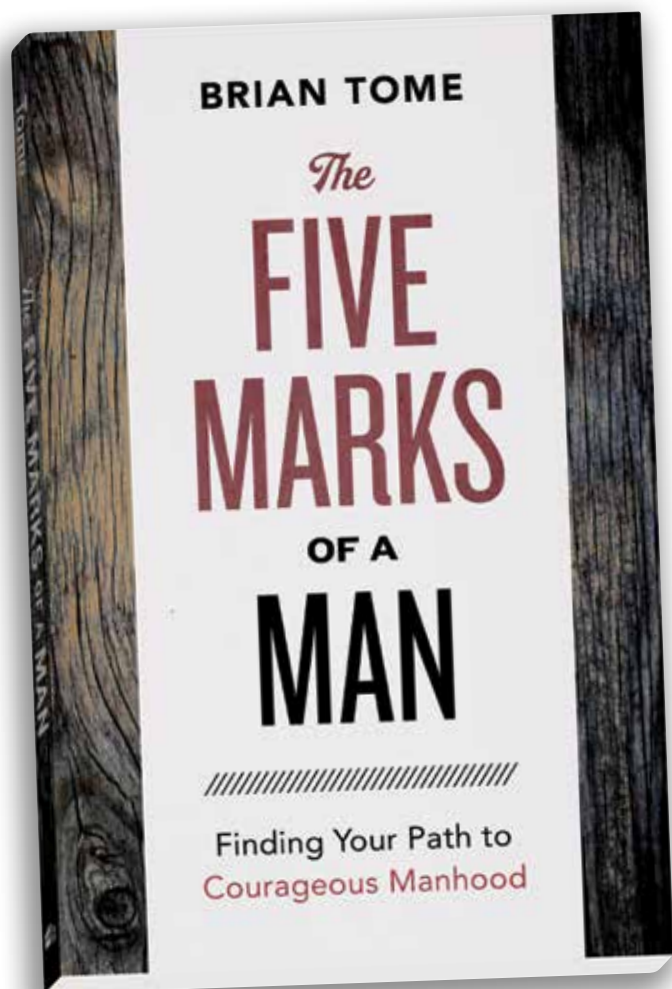
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Be a Man of Strength, Courage, and Honor



- Tome is the pastor of the fastest growing church in America according to *Outreach Magazine*, with more than 30,000 members
- A profound look at manhood from the perspective of the five marks that make a man
- Encourages men to assume responsibility for their place in the world and step into a new reality—one defined by strength, purpose, and a code of honor

A boy doesn't automatically become a man at age 18. What differentiates a man from a boy is the way he lives. A man has a vision for his life while a boy lives day to day. A man is a team player while a boy wants to be MVP. A man works while a boy plays. A man has the courage to take a minority position while a boy wants the reassurance of the crowd. A man is a protector while a boy is a predator. These are the five marks of a man. It's not enough to just know them. A real man aggressively pursues them on a daily basis.

Drawing from his own experience and the lives of others, pastor Brian Tome calls on men to examine themselves and take steps in the direction of a fully realized manhood that honors God, respects women, elevates others, and works purposefully for an end greater than their own satisfaction or pleasure. It's time for men to step into their honorable place in the world and lean into a new reality—one defined by strength, purpose, and honor.

The Five Marks of a Man

Brian Tome



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An All-In Faith in a World Full of Options



- Each chapter includes questions for individual or small group study, challenging readers to consider whether they are faking it or fully following Jesus
- Author is an active speaker at ARC churches and conferences such as Hillsong, Cherish, and reCreate
- Invites readers to stop faking it with misplaced worship, religious obligation, cultural captivity, and rule following, to live as passionate followers of Jesus

We live in a culture where many identify as “Christian” without fully embracing what it looks like to follow Jesus day-in and day-out. After gathering on a Sunday, do we simply go about our business, void of true transformation? Is the gospel simply a self-help tool, the church just a place where our needs can be met? It’s time to ask ourselves, “Am I really following Jesus? Or am I just faking it?”

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Fake or Follower

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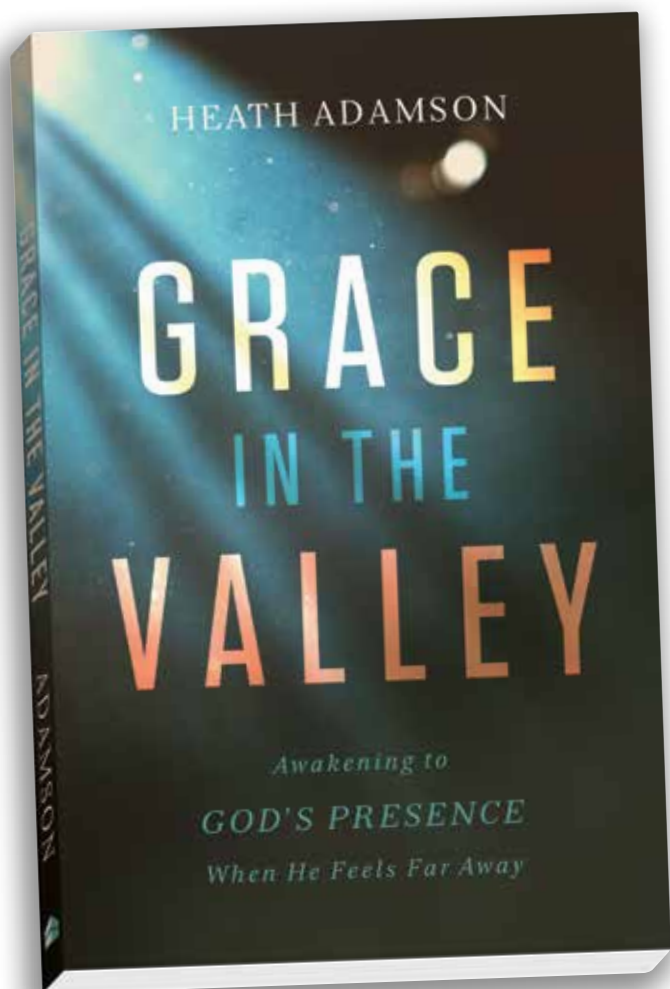


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Finding God's Goodness and Love in the Midst of Uncertainty



- Great writing on one of the most beloved passages of Scripture invites readers to experience Psalm 23 in a fresh way
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Perhaps no psalm is more widely known than Psalm 23. Spoken by David during a time of great stress and difficulty, it summons us to lie down in green pastures and walk thru the valley of the shadow of death. Yet so often it seems we do just the reverse, lying down in the valley and fixating on the danger, fear, and uncertainty. We wonder where God has gone and why he doesn't make things right, never considering that perhaps what we perceive as a spiritual trial is actually an invitation from God.

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Grace in the Valley

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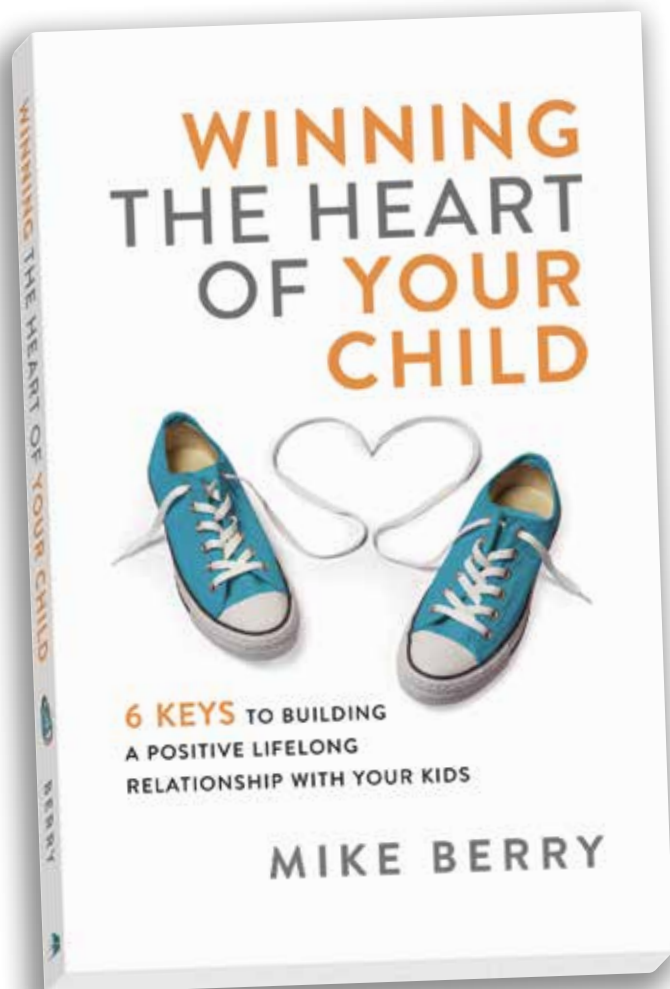
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How to Influence Your Teenager's Life When They Seem to Be Pulling Away



- Gives fresh perspective on how parents can be an effective influence in their child's life through the critical adolescent years
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- Author's blog receives more than 75,000 monthly visitors and has 60,000 email subscribers

Many of us enter parenthood with a perfect vision of what our family will be. But along the way we discover that the children we've been blessed with are real human beings, with their own minds, ideals, and views of the world. Our influence only goes so far, and when those children reach the pre-teen and teenage years, it may seem to have disappeared completely. Yet at no time in a kid's life is their parents' positive, godly influence more critical.

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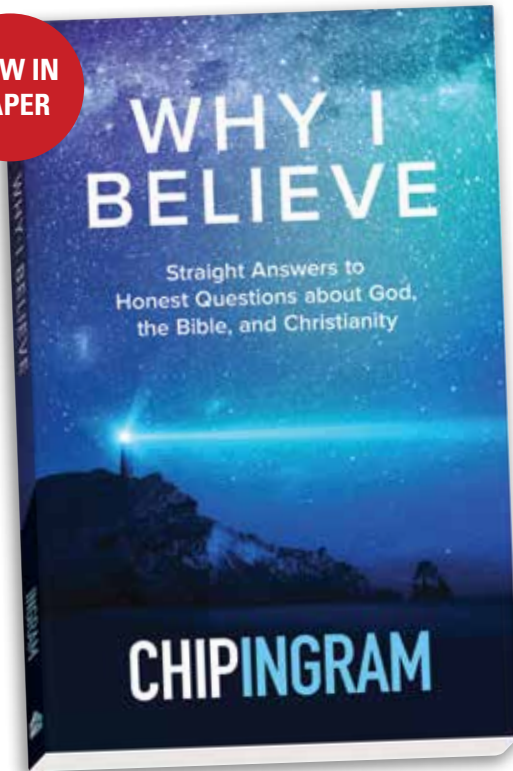
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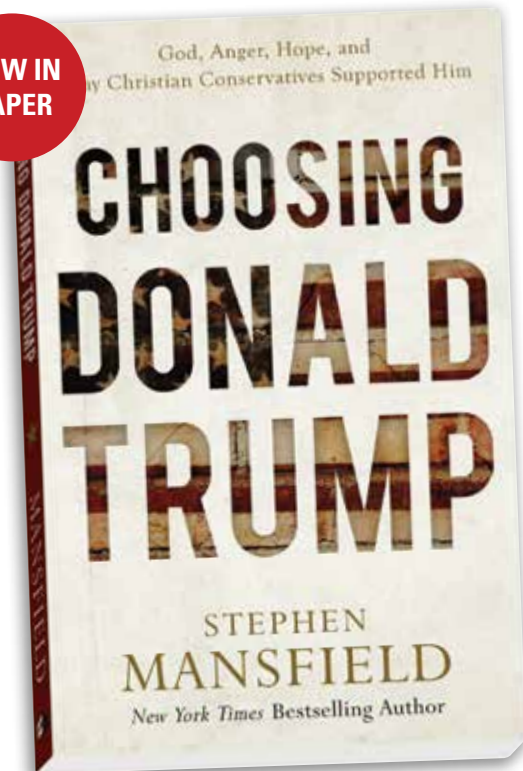
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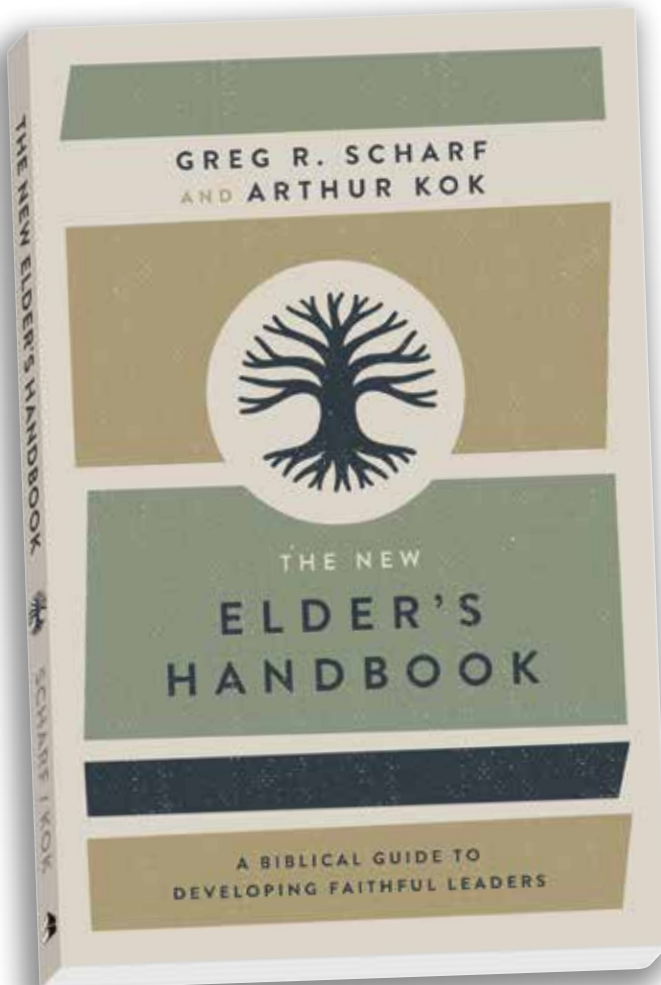
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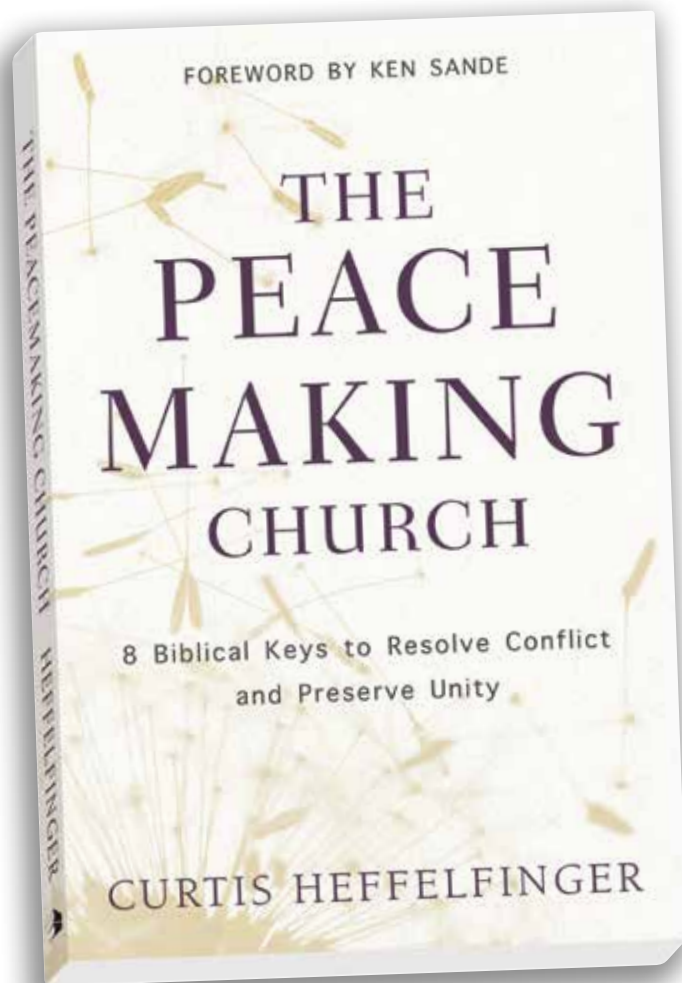
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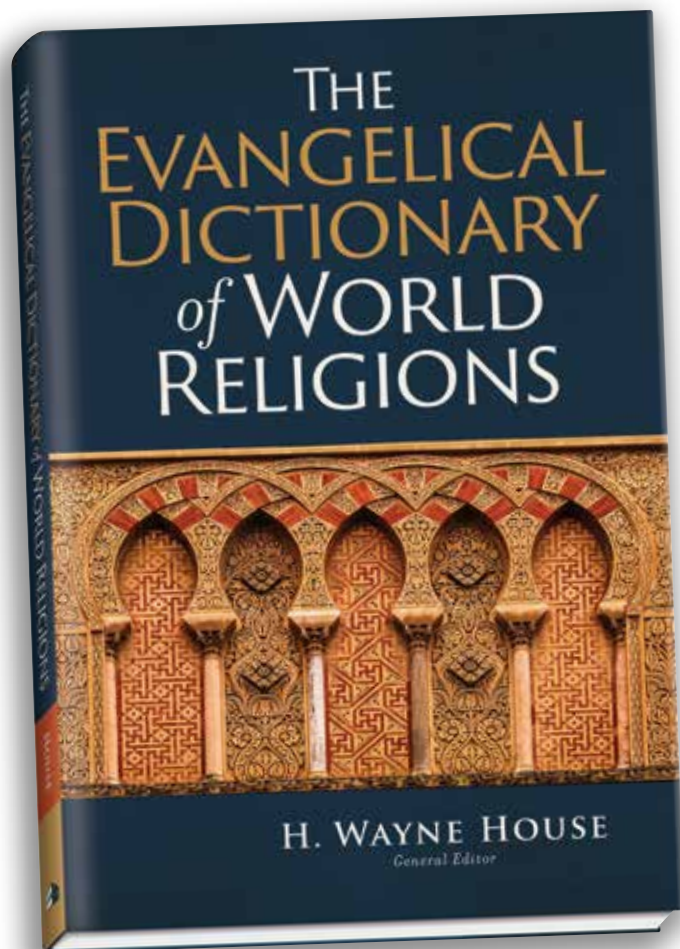
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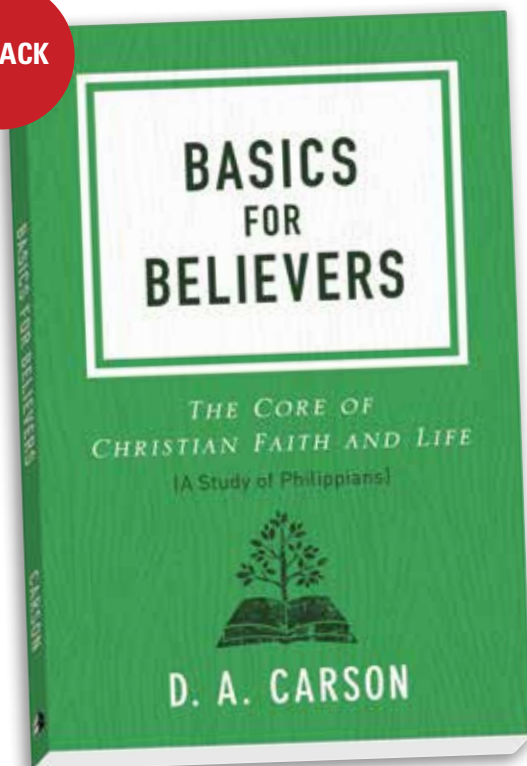
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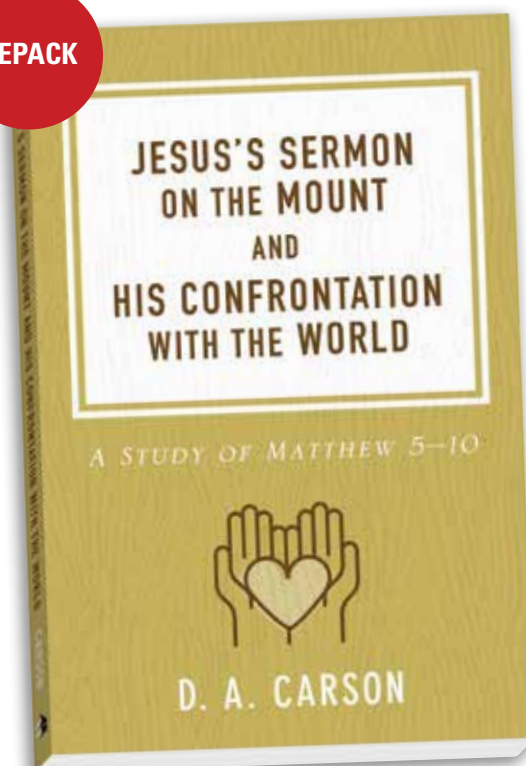
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