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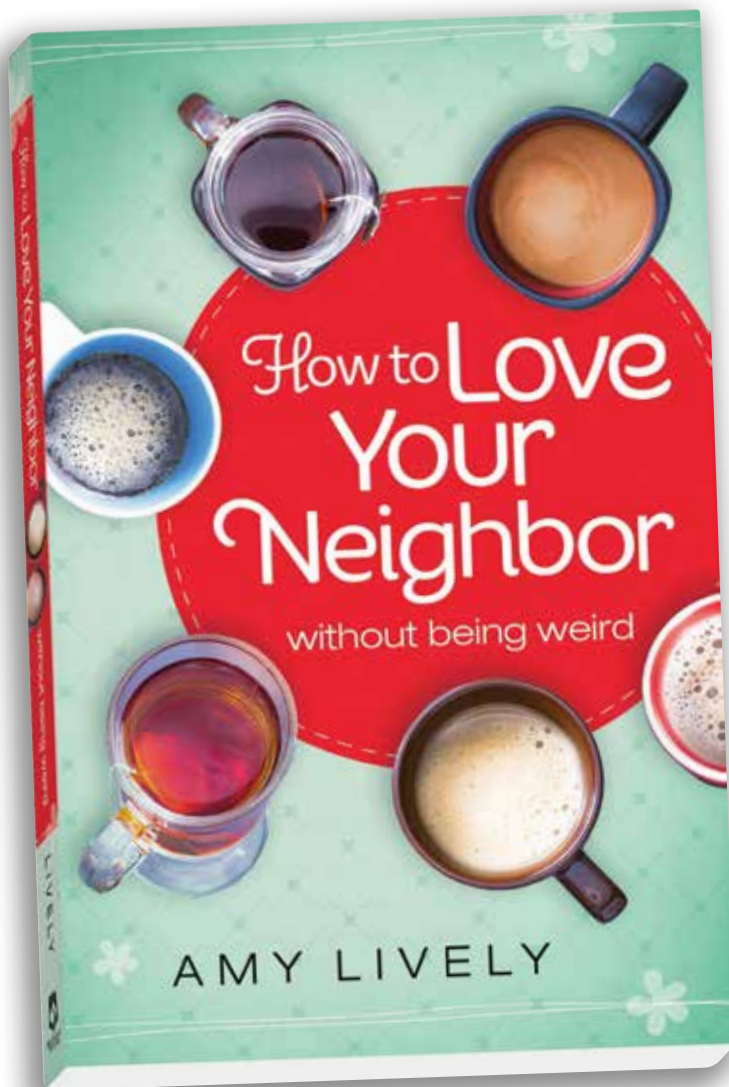
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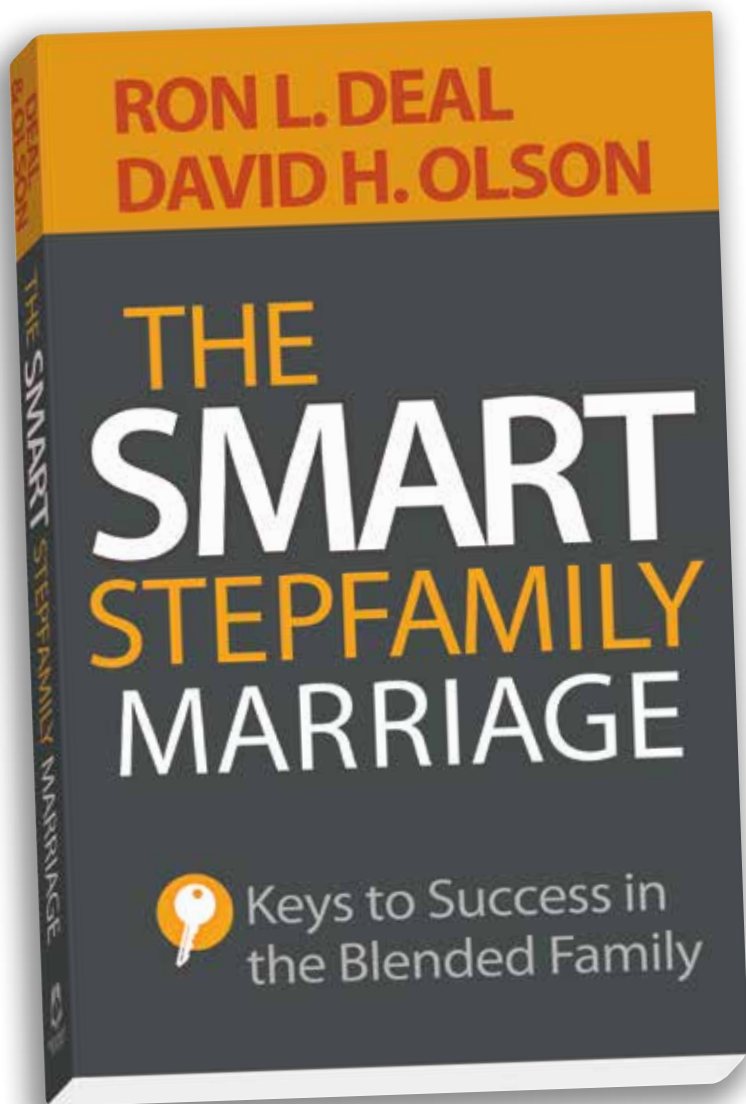
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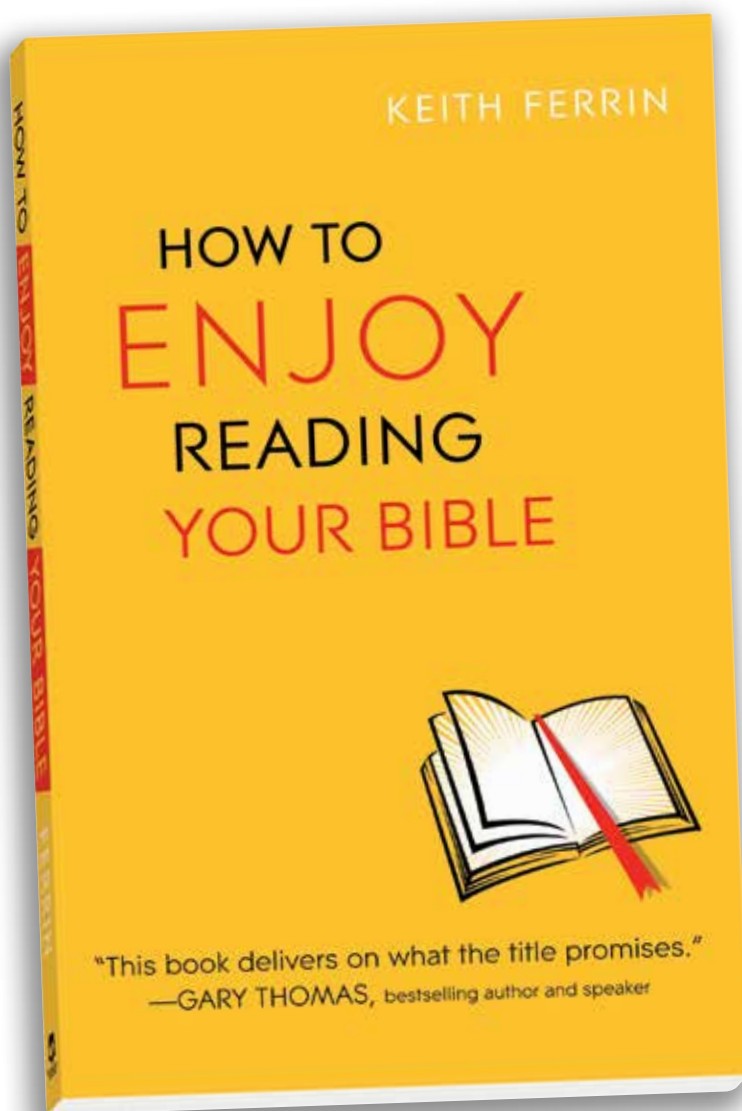
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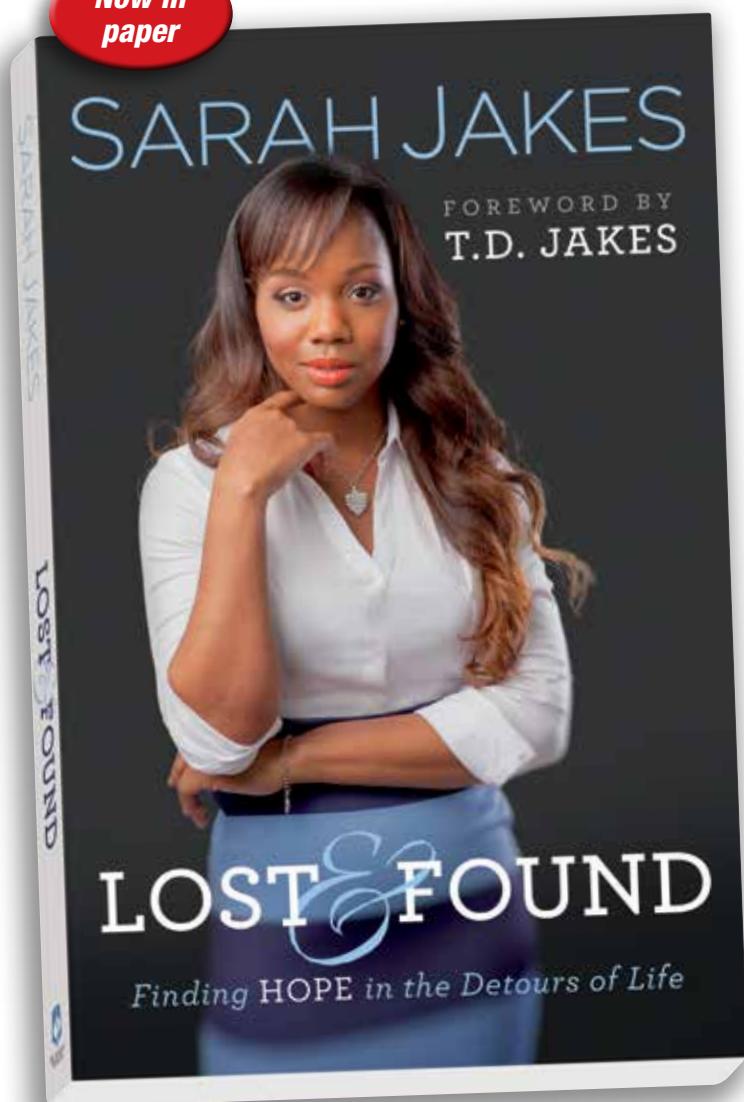
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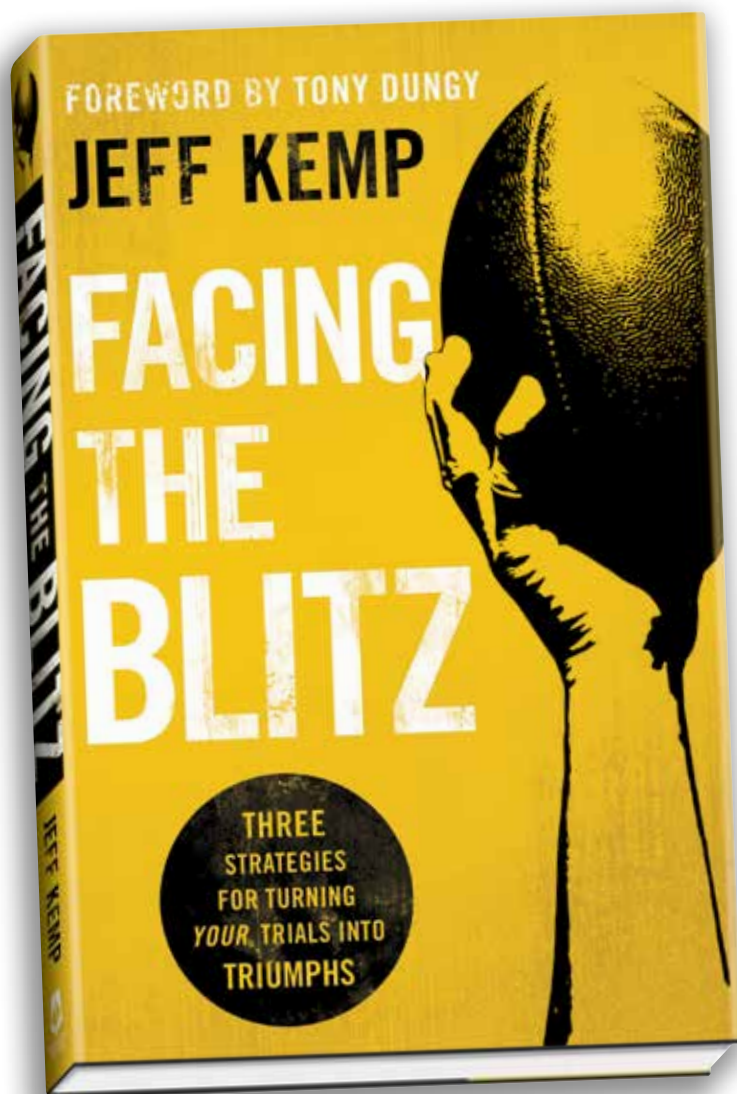
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In football, a blitz is an all-out attack, aiming to force the quarterback into a mistake and create mayhem and destruction. But by its nature, the blitz also creates an opportunity for the quarterback, as it leaves holes in the defense. What looks like the worst play can become the best play.

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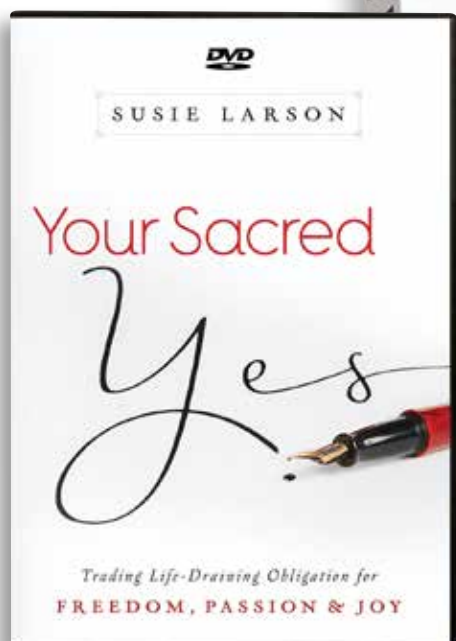
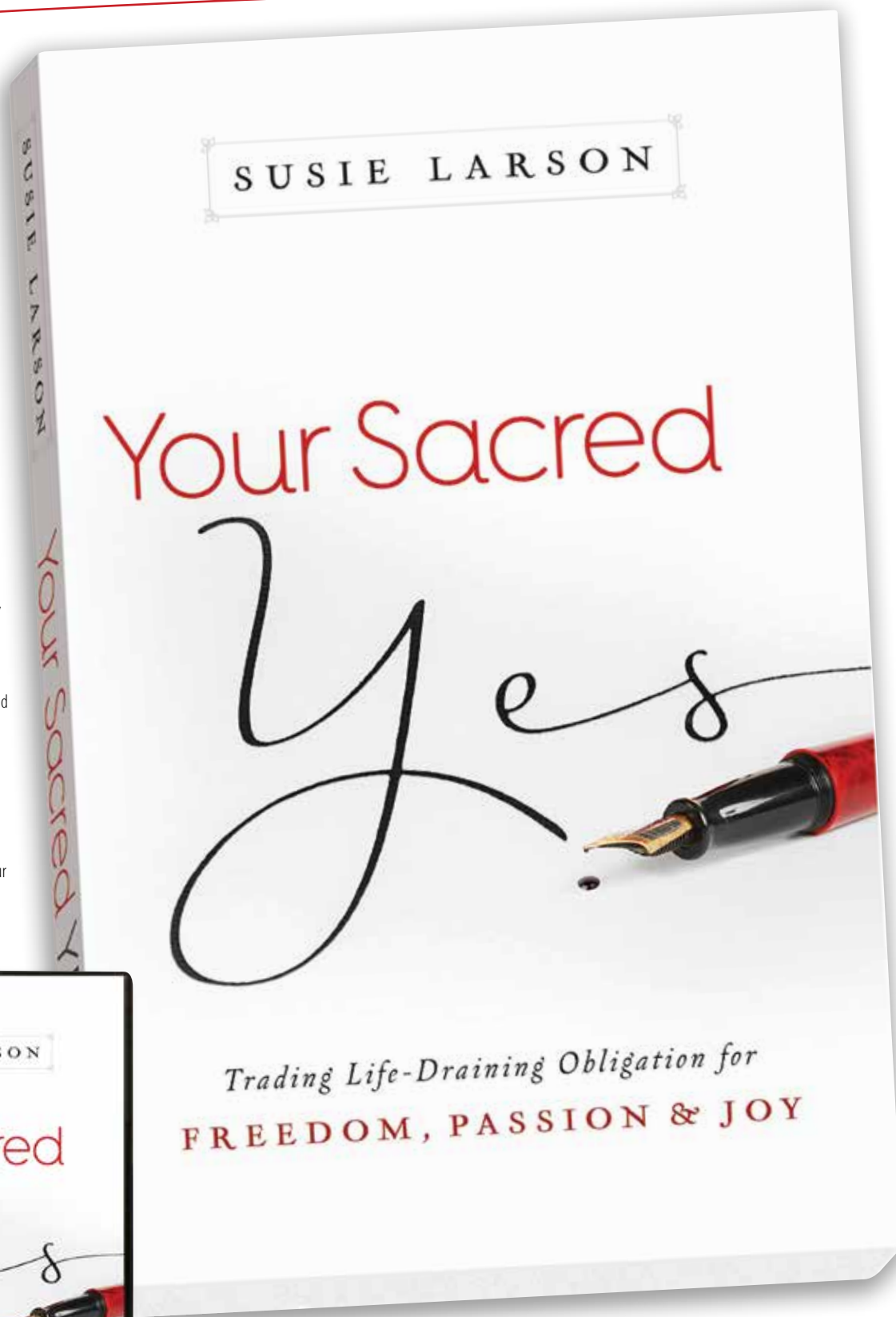
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Though God calls us to live full, abundant lives, he doesn't run us ragged or ask us to grind our gears to the point of breakdown. We can trust him to know what's best for us. If we don't practice a measure of restraint when it comes to all of our time commitments, if we don't say no to continual and perpetual busyness, we'll say yes to it by default. Our human nature and our culture are powerful forces that compel us to commit to more than God asks of us. At some point, we have to humbly embrace this truth about ourselves: We all have our limits.

When we run ourselves ragged doing too many things—most of which God never asked us to do—we leave unattended the sacred areas of our lives (intimacy with God, rich relationships with others, physical and spiritual health, etc.). The result? We miss out on the best of what God has for us.

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- Say *yes* to *life-giving*, not *life-draining*, activities
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When we can't, or won't, say *no*, we become captive to our commitments instead of free to respond to God's invitations. Here is your chance to say no to others' obligations and yes to the One who will rejuvenate your weary soul. Will you say *yes*?

## Your Sacred Yes

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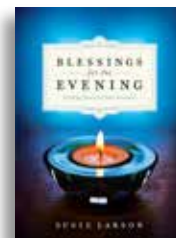
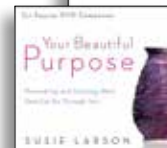
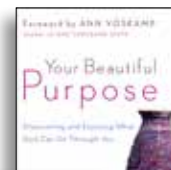
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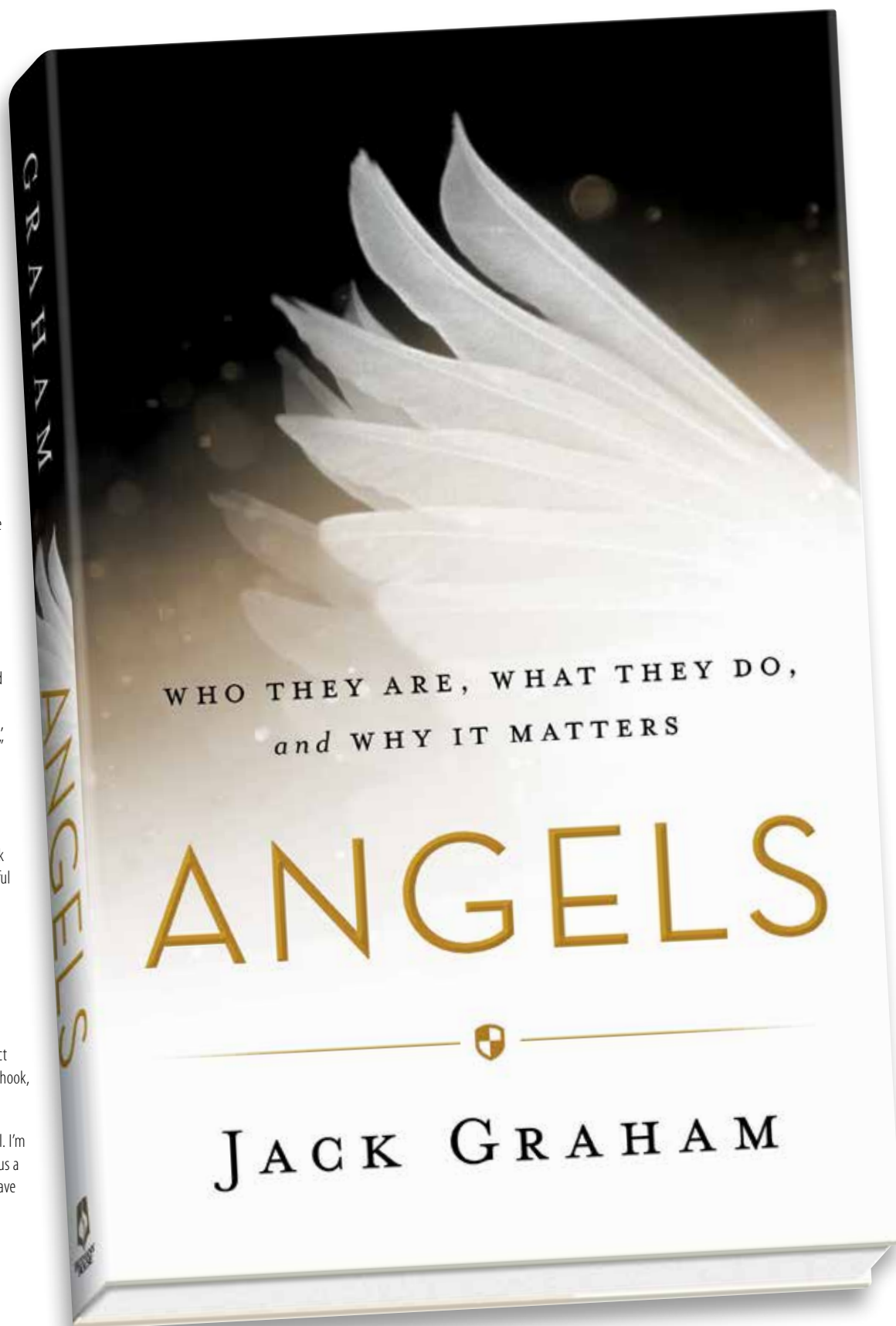
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Popular myths about angels are all around us. Do people become angels when they die? Are they always hovering nearby, on guard to protect us from danger? Can we talk to them? Many of our ideas about angels come from TV and movies, both of which are more interested in ratings and ticket sales than in truth. As Christians it's important to understand what angels really are.

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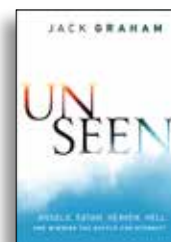
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One night I sat rocking our inconsolable baby girl while searing pain shot through her left ear. Between the prolonged unemployment, a hefty mortgage, and unpaid bills, this mama's heart just couldn't take any more. When it came to my own pain I could tolerate almost anything, but I couldn't watch my writhing daughter; that just broke my heart.

Laying my screaming baby girl in her crib, I shot a frantic prayer into the air on my way to the medicine cabinet for Tylenol. "Jesus, if you're really here, if you're really listening, please help us! Her pain isn't fair and we simply can't afford a doctor's visit. Please help!"

Armed with a dropper of cherry-flavored relief, I stopped outside the nursery door. Rather than screams and tears, I heard coos and gibbering, then laughing and jumping.

"He fixed it, Mommy!" She beamed, jumping up and down in her crib.

"Who fixed what?" I asked.

"My ear. He fixed my ear!" she repeated in her toddler language, pointing to her bookcase lined with stuffed animals and dolls.

Still treating the idea of a miracle coolly, I played along. "Does this man have big wings? Is he an angel? Did an angel fix your ear?"

"No, Mommy. *He* fixed my ear."

One of her board books, *Jesus and the Children*, caught my eye. It was her favorite bedtime story, and we must have read it to her hundreds of times, including that night.

Holding it up, I turned to the picture of Jesus playing leapfrog with the children and dared ask, "Did *he* fix your ear? Did Jesus touch your ear?"

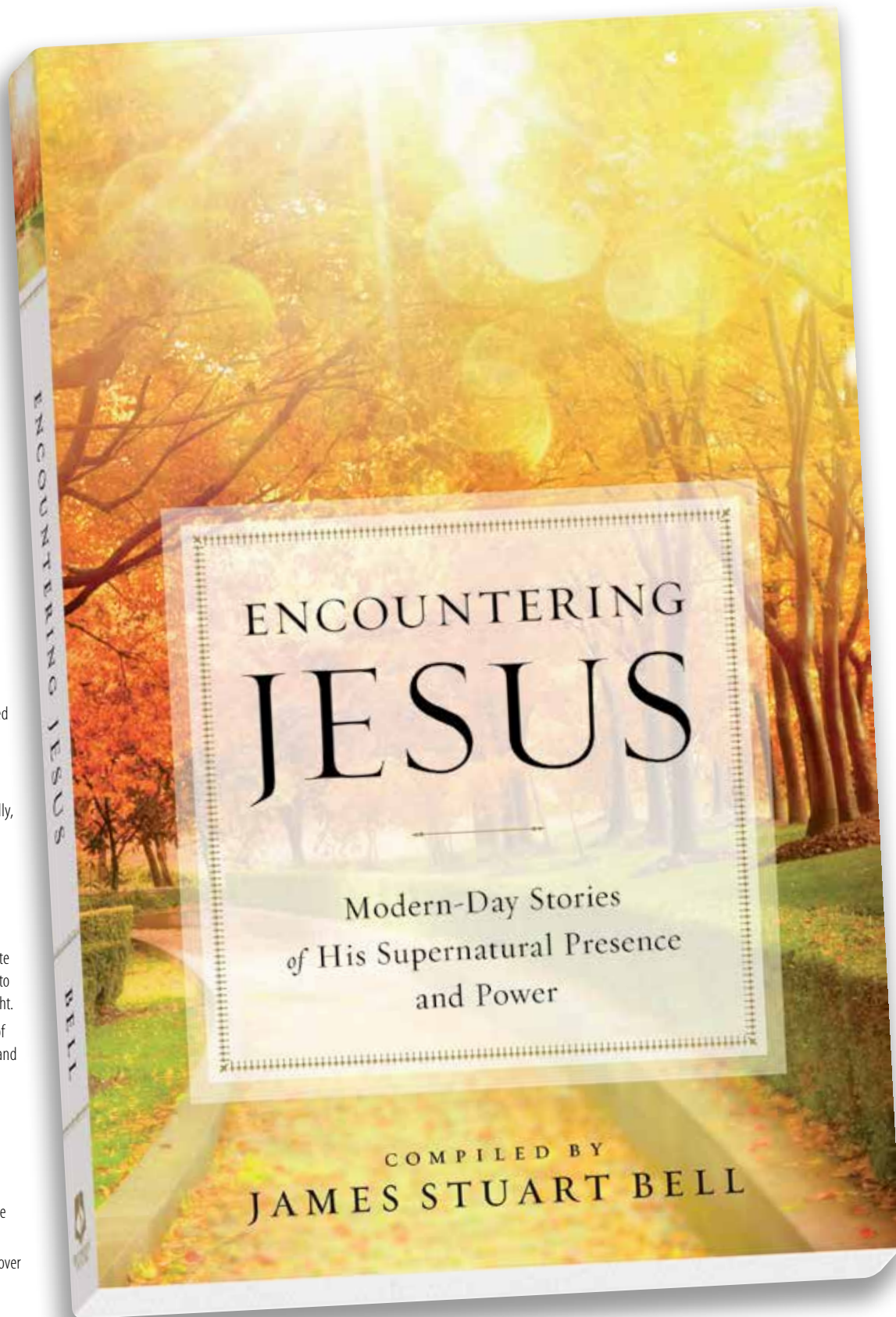
"Yes."

"*Jesus* fixed your ear? He *did*?"

"Yes."

I choked back tears and whispered one more question: "Is Jesus still here?"

"Yes," she replied calmly and pointed over my shoulder.



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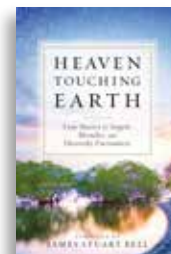
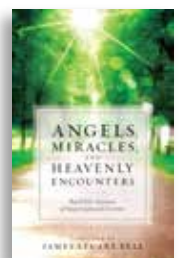
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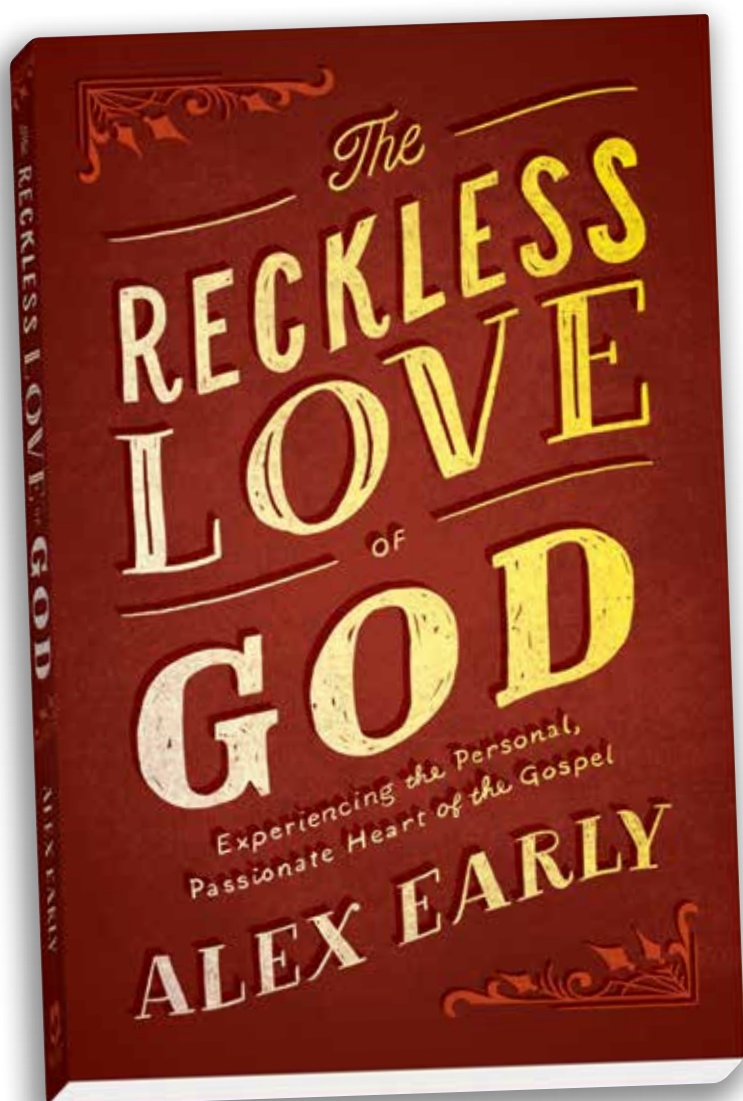
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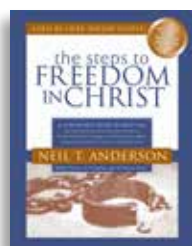
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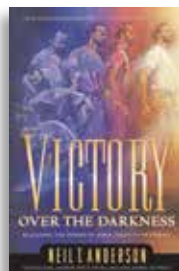




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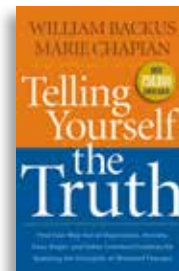
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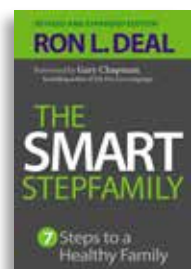
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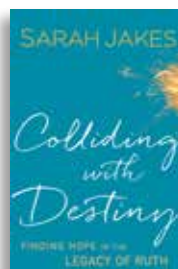
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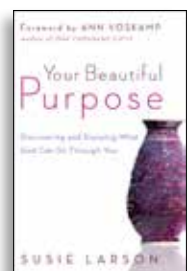
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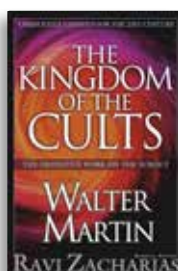
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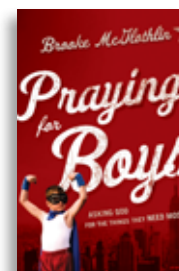
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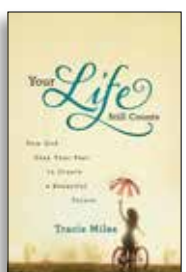
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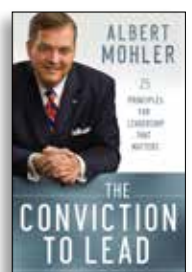
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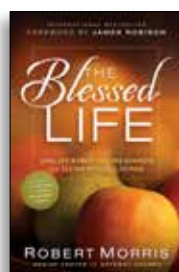
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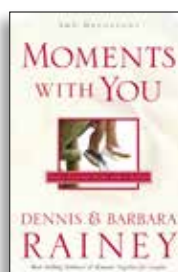
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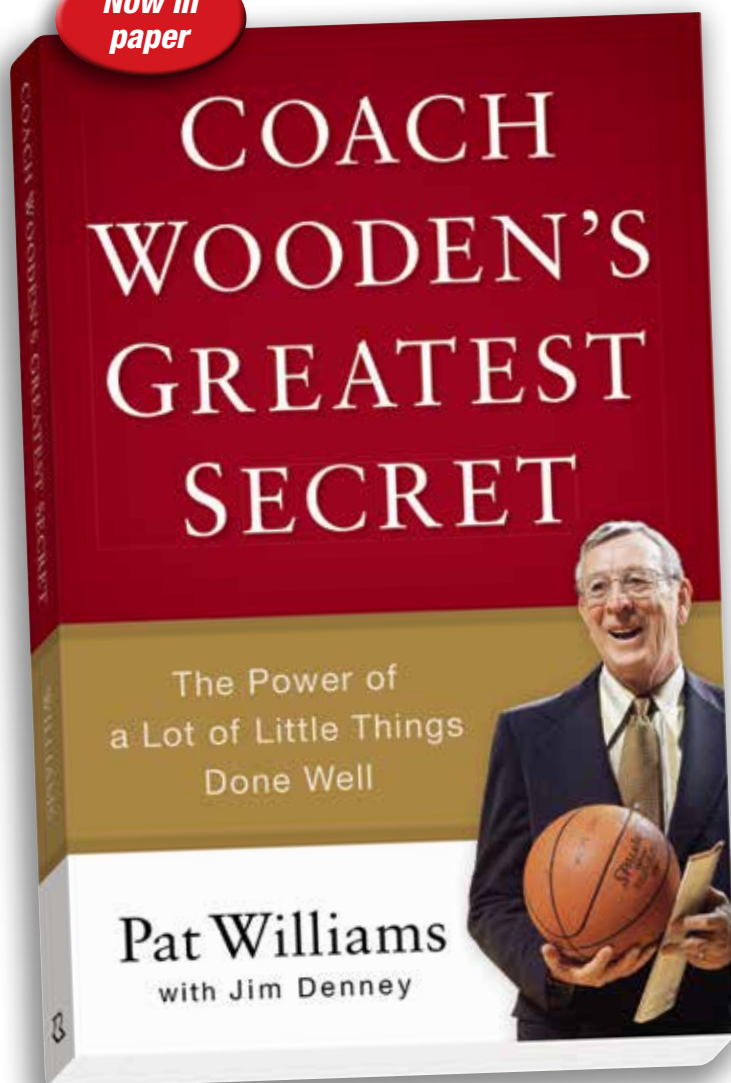


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At the first practice of each season, legendary coach John Wooden taught his players how to put on their socks and shoes a very particular way. When asked about this, he replied, "The little things matter. All I need is one little wrinkle in one sock to put a blister on one foot—and it could ruin my whole season. I started teaching about shoes and socks early in my career, and I saw that it really did cut down on blisters during the season. That little detail gave us an edge." Coach Wooden knew the long-term impact of *little things done well*.

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## Coach Wooden's Greatest Secret

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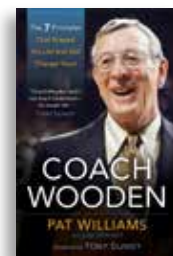
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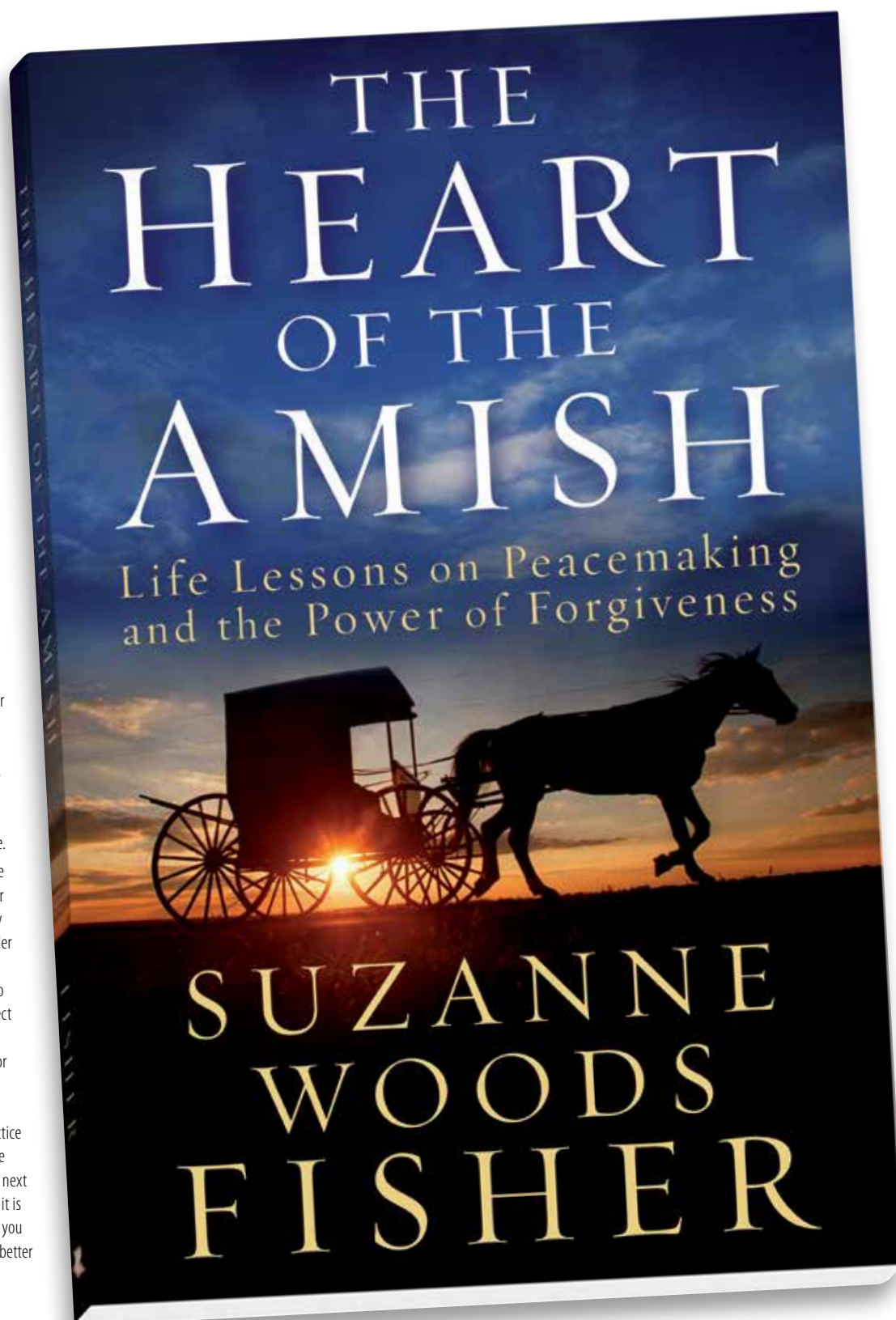
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What does it mean to “live forgiven?” It means we invite God into the friction of our daily situations even when they don’t seem big enough, or dire enough. They’re like a pebble in your shoe. Not irritating enough to take off your shoe and shake it out, but still, it’s always there. Wearing, wearing, wearing.

The Amish practice forgiveness right from the start, modeling it to their children, turning negative thoughts into positive ones, being the first to extend the olive branch to others. Forgiveness is a habitual way of thinking. They believe that life *isn’t* fair—the toast burns, the milk spills, the car breaks down. They believe we are part of an imperfect world, far from the Garden. They *expect* life not to be fair—so when the hard things come into their life—and they do, just like everyone’s life—they’ve had experience with how to manage them.

What will spill out of you when you are under great stress is what spills out of you now in the day-to-day friction of living. Our ability to forgive what seems unforgiveable is deeply connected to how we handle the smaller transgressions: When someone cuts in front of us at the grocery store, when our spouse forgets an anniversary, when our family accidentally locks us out of the house.

The goal of this book is to help you make a habit of forgiving. None of us can know for sure where life will take us, but we do know there will be potholes and detours and fender benders along the way. We just don’t have much control over the things that happen to us in life. To think that your life will be perfect and nothing will ever go wrong is a serious self-deception, writes Dr. Dick Tibbits, author of *Forgive to Live: How Forgiveness Can Save Your Life*. “Since you know you will need to forgive someone in the future, why not practice forgiveness every chance you get? Each time you forgive, it becomes easier to forgive the next time. Forgiveness is like a muscle: the more it is exercised, the more it can do. And the more you practice forgiving the little hurts in life, the better you will be able to handle the big hurts.”





# What We Can Learn from the Amish about Living in Peace

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Everyone has been hurt. Everyone experiences conflict, great and small. Everyone has someone to forgive. But sometimes we just can't bring ourselves to forgive someone who has wronged us or we don't take the need to forgive seriously—not like the Amish do. Forgiving others in order to live at peace is woven into the very fabric of their faith. To the Amish way of thinking, "You can't love the stream without knowing the source." We must forgive others, they believe, because God forgave us.

*The Heart of the Amish* invites readers into the world of a people renowned for their ability to forgive. Through true stories gathered from a variety of Amish communities, bestselling author Suzanne Woods Fisher illustrates how they are able to release their pain and desire for revenge, and live at peace with others. Her in-depth, personal research uncovers the astounding yet fundamental way the Amish can forgive anyone from the angry customer at the grocery store to the shooter at Nickel Mines. Readers will learn how to invite God into *their* stories, apply lessons from the Amish to their own circumstances, and find the freedom that comes with true forgiveness.

## The Heart of the Amish

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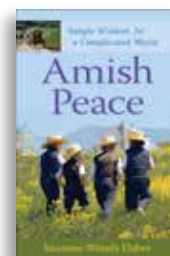
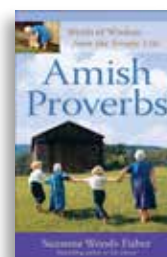
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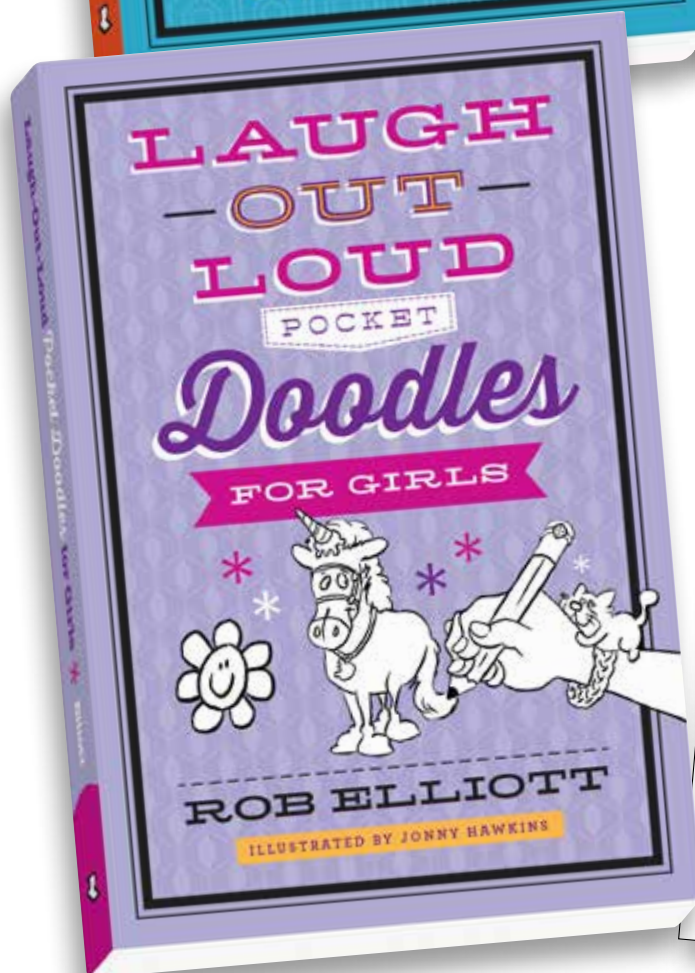
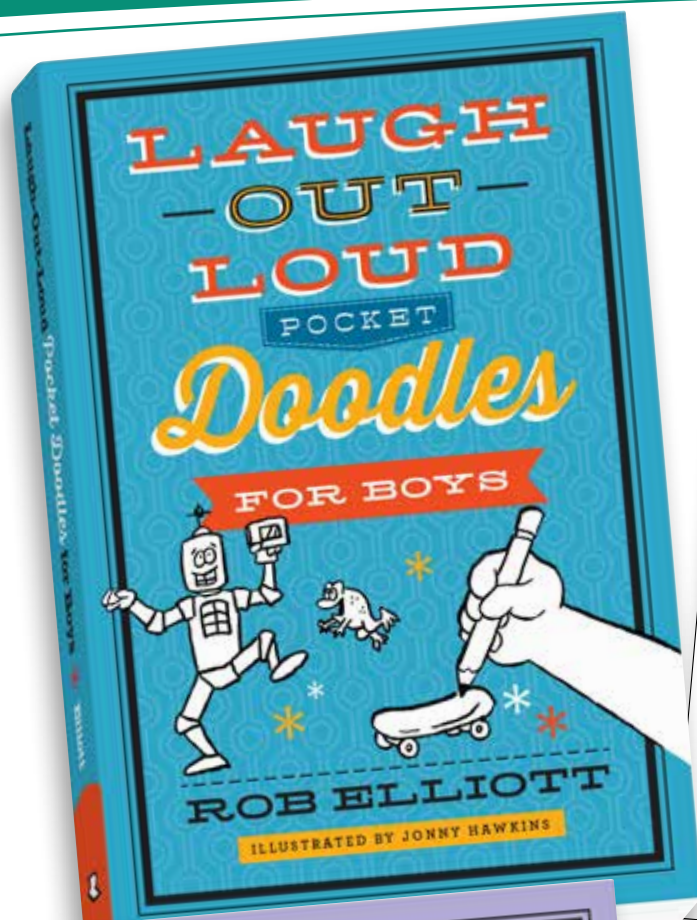
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### ABOUT THE ILLUSTRATOR

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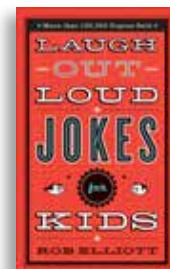
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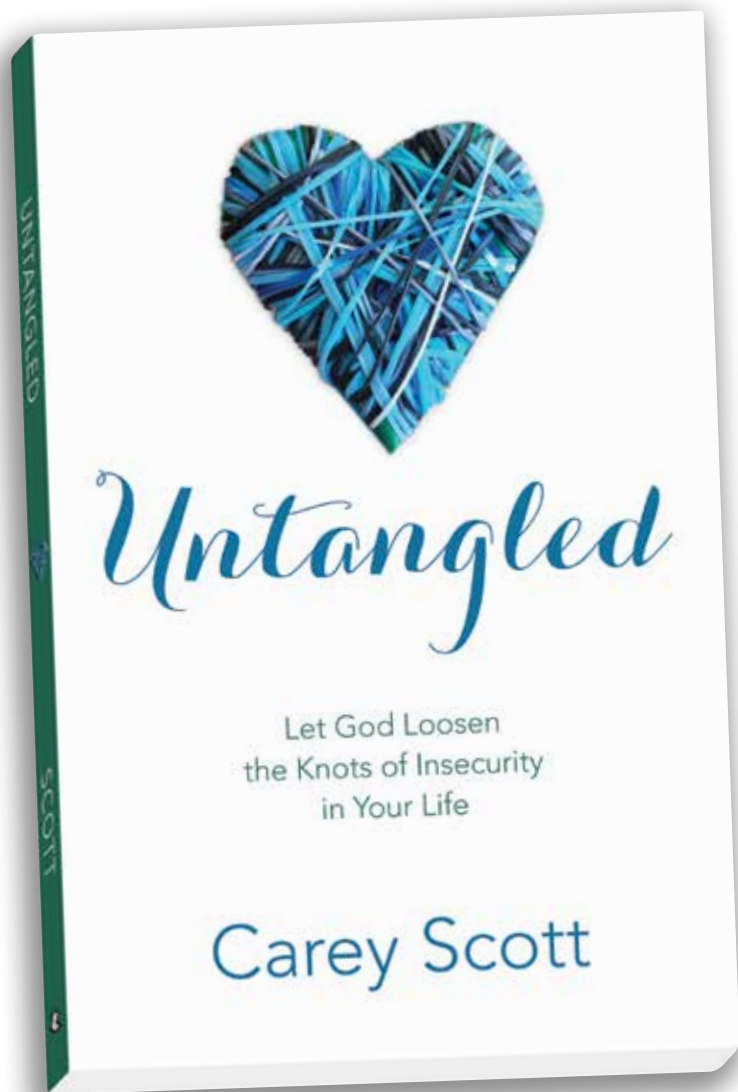
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# For Women Who Think They'll Never Measure Up



- Helps women learn not to take their value from the world but from Jesus
- Empowers readers with comfort that they are not alone in their journey
- Scott is a certified Bible life coach and has a fresh and bold way of connecting with women

All women want to feel is valued. But problems arise when we seek confirmation that we are *enough* using the world's standards. Almost from birth, we are trained to find the approval and acceptance we crave in the eyes of family, friends, and even strangers. The result is that we cannot believe we are who God says we are—accepted, loved, beautiful, and treasured. We get tangled up in the world's assessment and our own self-judgment.

With hope-filled writing and plenty of hard-won personal advice, Carey Scott shows women how to untangle their self-esteem from the world and anchor it in Jesus. She lovingly shows readers that God was intentional in how he made them and that he is well pleased with his work. Women will learn practical strategies to escape unattainable standards and the performance-based measuring stick of the world, and find comfort in the fact that they are not alone on the journey.

## Untangled

Carey Scott



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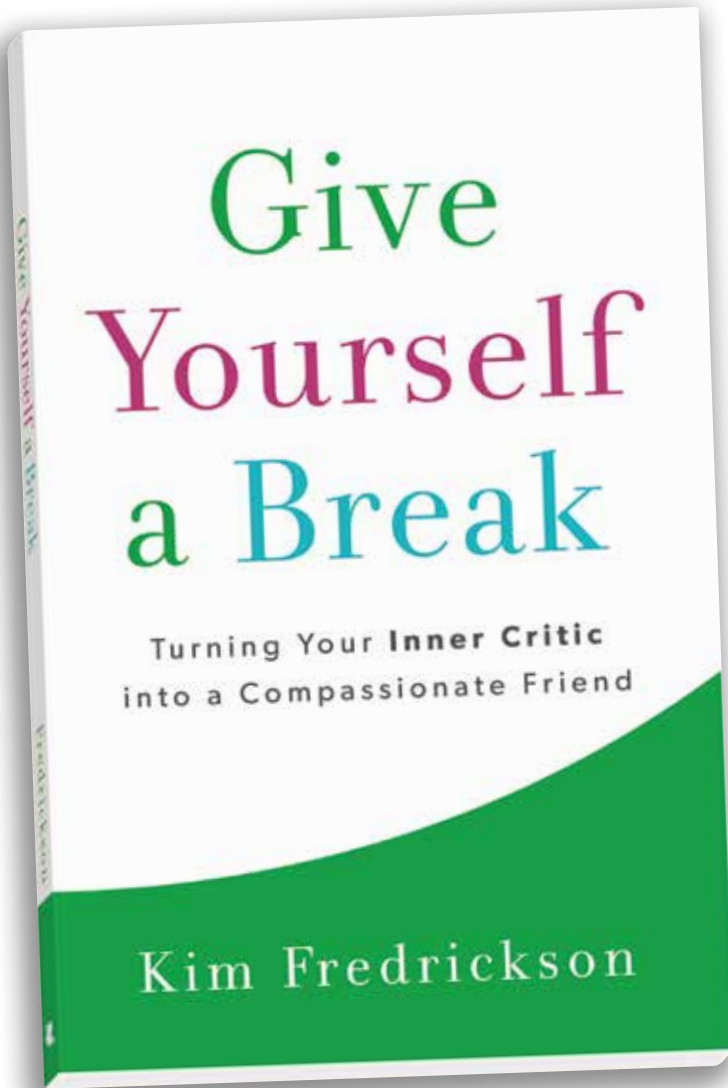
**Carey Scott** is an author, speaker, and certified Bible life coach who challenges women to be real—not perfect—even when real is messy. She speaks to women's groups and writes an online devotional designed to help women be who God created them to be. She lives in **Colorado** with her husband and their two children.



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# Therapist Shows How to Offer Compassion—to Ourselves



- Fredrickson has over thirty years of experience as a licensed marriage and family therapist
- Offers ways for readers to build inner strength and healing from life's hurts
- Includes practical exercises, self-talk scripts to transform thinking, and a study guide

Many people are used to showing compassion to others. What many of us have trouble with is showing that same compassion to ourselves. Too often we say things to ourselves that we would never say to a friend. All this negative self-talk can have a devastating effect on our lives.

Licensed marriage and family therapist Kim Fredrickson wants readers to stop beating themselves up. Grounding her advice in the Bible, she offers practical steps and specific exercises to reprogram our thought lives. She helps us learn to show ourselves the kind of grace and understanding we offer to others—and to change our relationships, our outlook on life, and our view of ourselves in the process.

## Give Yourself a Break

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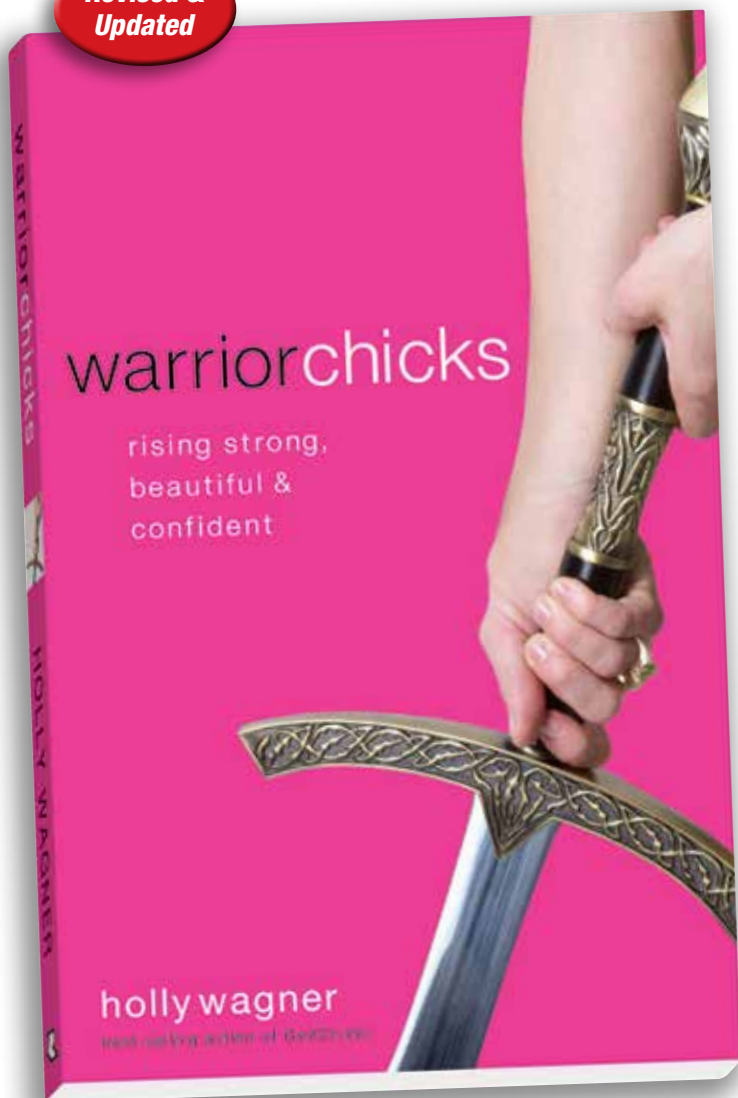
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# Inspiring Women to Take Charge of Their Lives

Revised & Updated



- Rousing call to women to be fearless overcomers as they face challenges in life
- Author is a popular conference speaker and copastor of Oasis Christian Center in Los Angeles
- Revised and updated to include new material and discussion questions

Some battles we choose; others choose us. There is a lot in life we cannot control—a cancer diagnosis, the choices our children make, a spouse who leaves, disappointments in our career, a broken heart. But in those tragedies, big and small, we still have a choice: lie down and give in or stand up and fight.

In this inspiring call to arms against victimhood and complacency, Holly Wagner challenges women to enlist as Warrior Chicks. She shows women that they are beautiful just the way they are, they are destined to be overcomers in this life, and that the battle is already won for us. She shares the secrets of being equipped to fight the good fight and do more than just survive. As Holly knows from her experience as a warrior chick battling breast cancer, we aren't living in peacetime. We can choose to be a casualty or a warrior. So what's it going to be?

## Warrior Chicks

Holly Wagner



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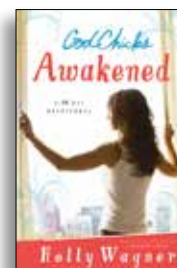
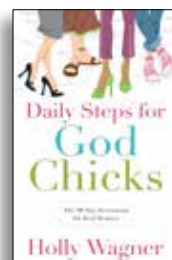
**Holly Wagner** is copastor of Oasis Christian Center in **Los Angeles, California**, and reaches thousands of women each year through conferences, books, and other resources. Holly is a popular conference speaker known for her challenging, humorous style and honest approach to real-life issues. Holly has written four books, including *GodChicks* and *Daily Steps for GodChicks*. She and her husband, Philip, have two children.



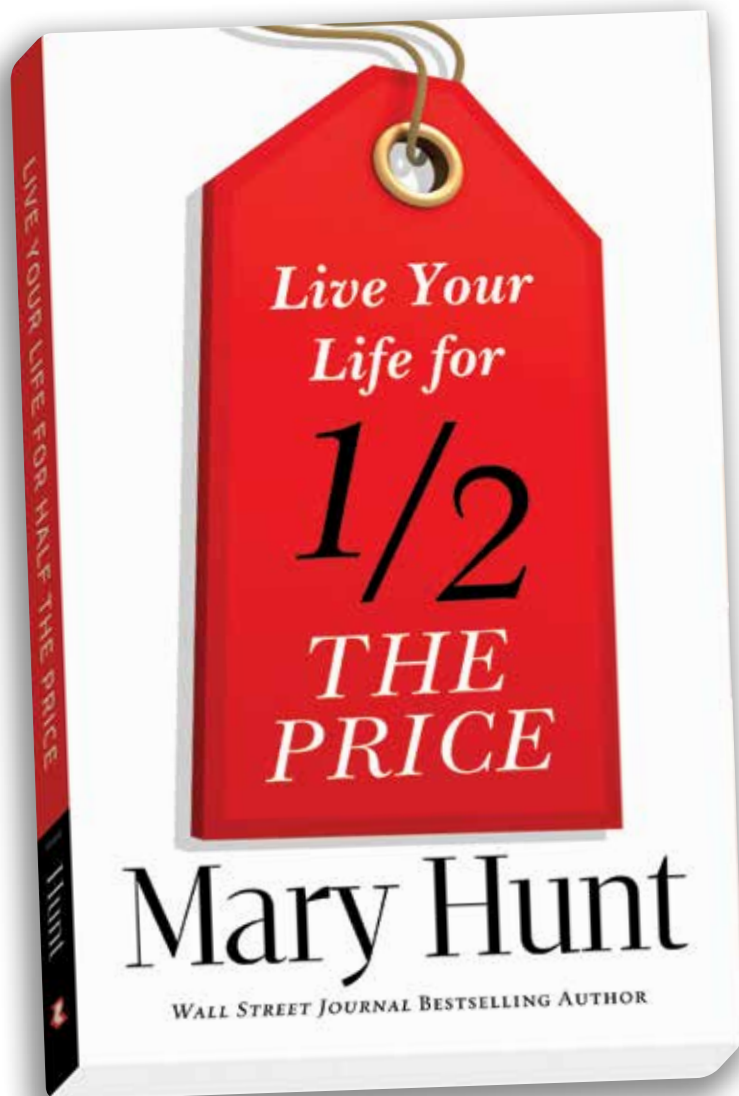
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# Save Money Every Month on Groceries, Clothes, Fees, Phone, and More



- Hunt is the founder of Debt-Proof Living, an organization devoted to helping individuals gain and maintain financial freedom
- Author's expert personal finance advice has been featured in *Woman's Day*, *Redbook*, *Parenting*, *First for Women*, and *All You*
- Hunt has appeared on *TODAY*, *FOX News*, *FOX Business*, and *Dr. Phil*
- Instills confidence and provides readers with easy-to-understand and useful information

It's the money you don't spend that ultimately gives you the freedom to live the life you love!" says personal finance expert Mary Hunt. For people who are tired of working hard just to get by, this user-friendly guide shows how anyone can slash the cost of nearly everything they need without sacrificing joy and quality of life.

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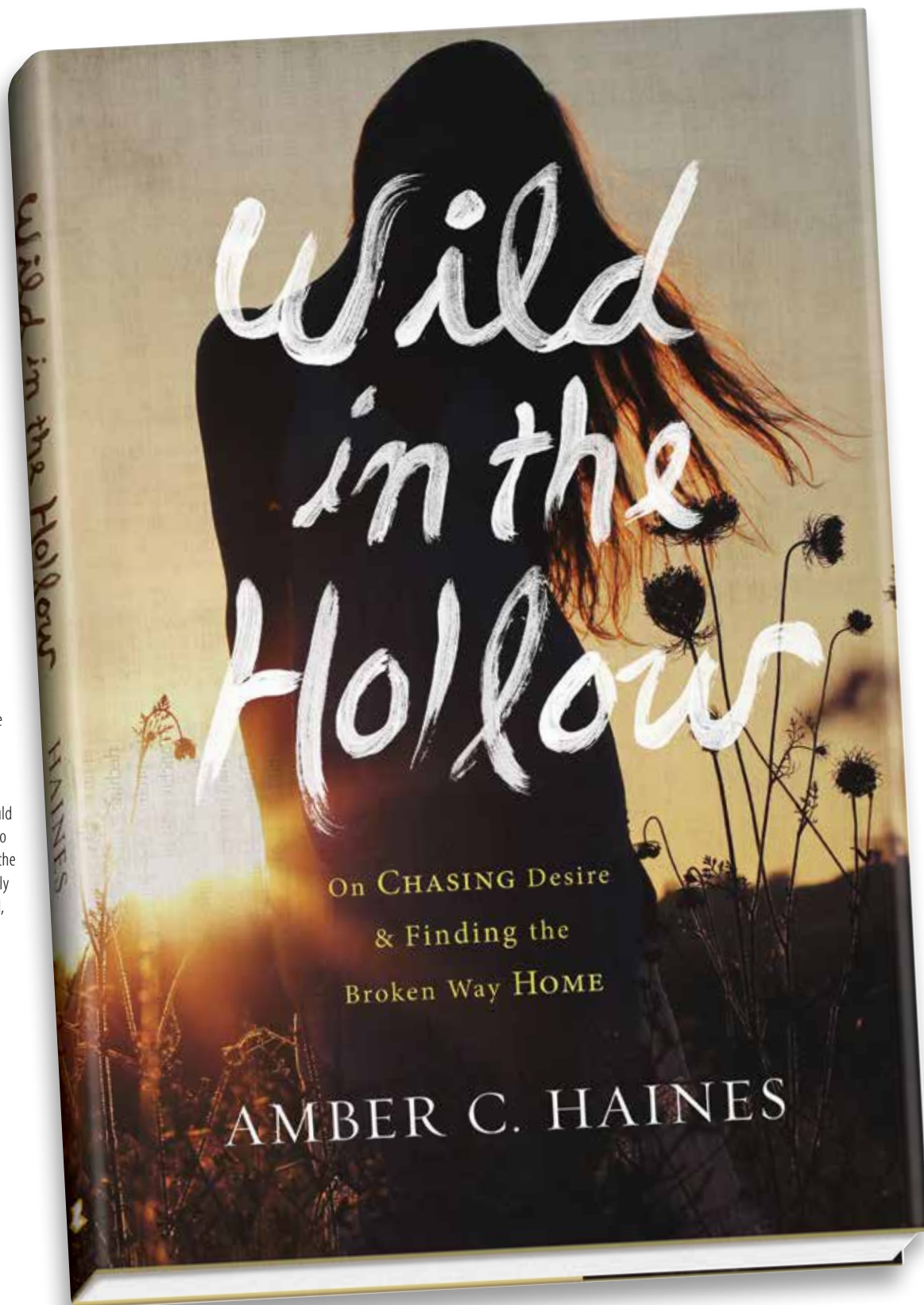
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EXCERPT

Once I dangled from our Appalachian Mountain in a tire swing, my hands choking the rope, body spinning fast round. The pines climbed to heaven and shivered, letting go the needles. I was in safe invisible arms, my father's world. Then the terrible scream of a wildcat echoed into the hollow from right nearby, and I fell and hit the ground as the wind picked up in a furious howl, chasing me into the house then blowing down the hill through a field of bitter weed. The wind took up the small places, the black knots in dead wood and the frilly powdered undersides of mushrooms. The maypops and pecan hulls, every one encased by the wind, their scents rode on it and pushed at Mama Lois's rippling pond while cattails danced. There's something out there. I knew it then, and I know it now. Something bigger and other. The terrible and the beautiful is watching me.

The invisible has always been as real to me as the smell from behind the barn, the hogs and then the sweet mix from the pile of chestnuts that Peggy Israel's mama gave us. I always knew there was more than what my eyes could see. Maybe that's why it's easy for me to imagine Eden. I have my own version, the place where I clearly remember my early childhood experience as beautiful, wild, and protected.





# Soul-Stirring Memoir of a Woman's Broken Journey toward God

- Through lyrical prose, Amber's story connects to a place of longing in each of us
- Introduces readers to a God who pursues them and "haunts like wind in an Alabama hollow"
- Author writes for her own blog at [TheRunaMuck.com](http://TheRunaMuck.com) and is a contributor at [ADeeperStory.com](http://ADeeperStory.com) and [DaySpring's](http://DaySpring's) (in)courage
- Endorsements from Ann Voskamp, Emily Freeman, Jennie Allen, and many more

**A**mber Haines is a woman haunted by God. Like Eve in the Garden, she craved the fruit that she thought would lead her to freedom. But the whispers of temptation led her instead down a devastating path toward isolation, dissatisfaction, and life-altering choices. In her most broken moment, Amber met God waiting for her in the fallout, freely offering her grace and life.

This is a story of the God who makes himself known in broken places. In prose that is at once lyrical and utterly honest, a brave new voice takes readers on a windswept journey down the path of brokenness to healing, satisfaction, and true intimacy with God. Amber calls readers to dispense with the pretty bows we use to dress up our stories and instead trust God to take our untidy, unfinished lives and make them free, authentic, and whole. Anyone who struggles with doubt or holds secrets, anyone who feels marginalized or like she is missing something, will find in Amber a sister and an inviting voice back home, into the heart of God.

## Wild in the Hollow

Amber C. Haines



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### PRAISE FOR AMBER C. HAINES

"No one, no one, has God given the gift of words like he has to [Amber]." —**Ann Voskamp**, *New York Times* bestselling author of *One Thousand Gifts*

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"She cuts herself wide open and lets the world in and, in doing so, ensures that no one sees themselves the same." —**Jennie Allen**, author of *Anything* and founder of IF:GATHERING

EXCERPT

As I was preparing dinner one afternoon, I glanced out my kitchen window and noticed three of our neighbors leave their homes at nearly the same time, making their way at various shuffling speeds to meet at the benches in the middle of the cul-de-sac.

I've seen them outside in the past, chatting over newly fetched mail or exchanging comments about the weather. But they never stayed out for more than a few minutes as their aging bodies wouldn't cooperate with the demands of standing for so long.

But now that we had benches, everything was different. Unable to resist the community, I went outside to check the mail and crossed the street to talk with them for a few moments. We spoke of children and grandchildren, aging siblings and friends, the weather. We enjoyed the breeze and waved at the occasional passing car. We lingered.

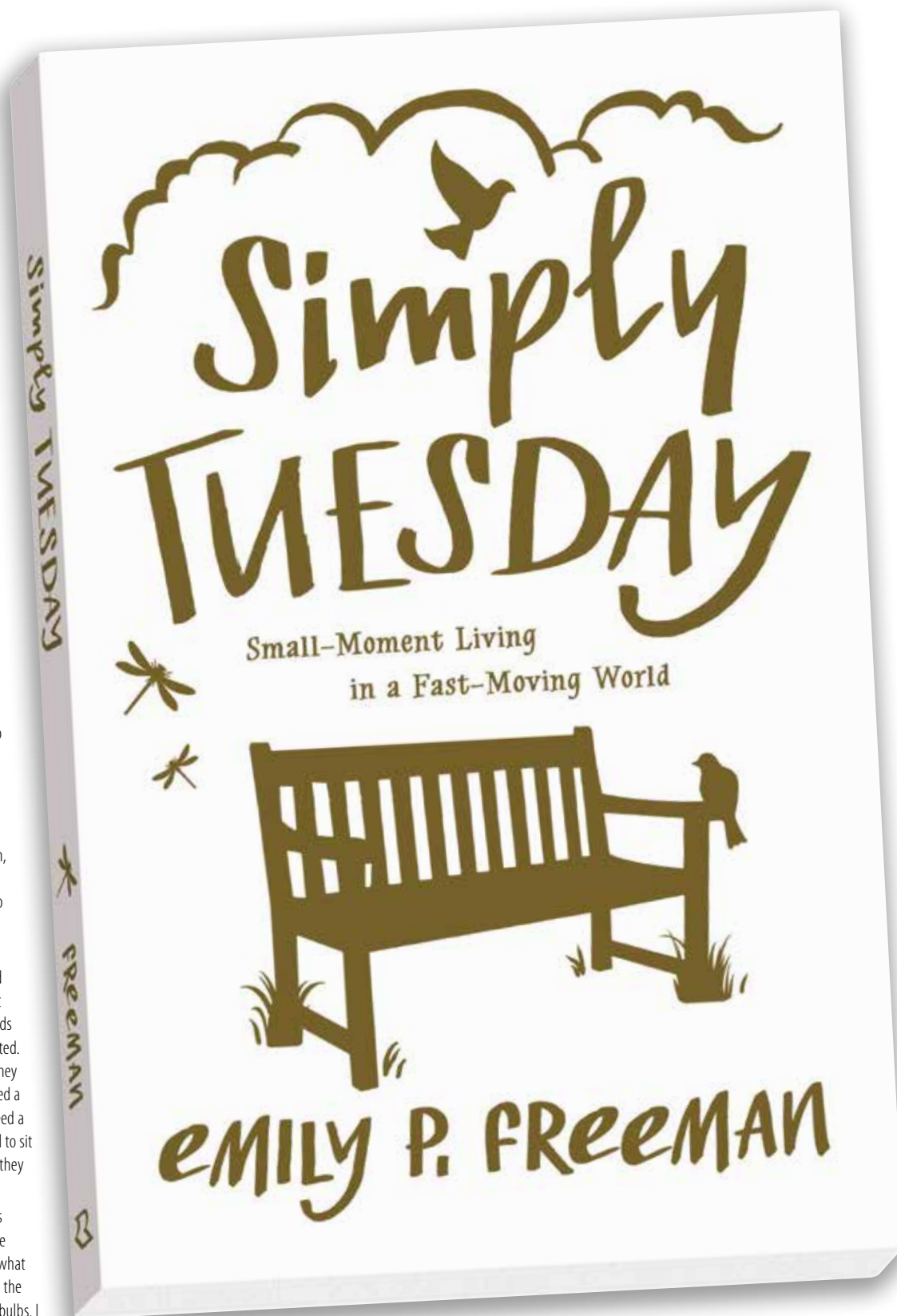
The bench made all the difference.

I've thought of this often in many areas of life when I try to make things too complicated. When I feel myself getting carried away, I ask this simple question: *where is the bench in this moment?*

In my own soul, when I feel the need rise up in me for recognition, appreciation, validation; when I feel my soul grasp and grope for worth, significance . . . I want to look for the bench instead. *How can I sit down on the inside?*

In my relationships, when I see a need I think needs fixing, a conversation I don't know how to tackle, a grief I have no words for, I'm tempted to make things complicated. But people don't need fancy and flashy, they probably just want regular. They don't need a fixer, they need a journeyer. They don't need a lecture, they need a home. They just need to sit on a simple bench with someone else so they know they're not alone.

In my work, when I see all the reasons why what they're doing over there is more important, impactful, and effective than what I'm doing over here, I'm tempted to make the platform wider, put brighter lights in the bulbs. I have to dazzle, you know. When I want to climb the ladder, what if instead I tore the ladder apart and used the wood to build a bench?



# A Compelling Call to Fully Live Each Moment

- Shows readers how to find the meaning they long for and the freedom they crave—in the most unlikely places
- Offers readers the motivation they need to keep doing their work, loving their families, and moving towards hope even when they don't see results
- Freeman writes at her own blogs, [chattingatthesky.com](http://chattingatthesky.com) and [hopeologie.com](http://hopeologie.com), and is a regular contributor to DaySpring's (in)courage blog community

Our obsession with bigger and faster is spinning us out of control. We move through the week breathless and bustling, just trying to keep up while longing to slow down. But real life happens in the small moments, the kind we find on Tuesday, the most ordinary day of the week. Tuesday carries moments we want to hold onto—as well as ones we'd rather leave behind. It holds secrets we can't see in a hurry—secrets not just for our schedules but for our souls. It offers us a simple bench on which to sit, observe, and share our stories.

For those being pulled under by the strong current of expectation, comparison, and hurry, relief is found more in our small moments than in our fast movements. In *Simply Tuesday*, Emily P. Freeman helps readers

- stop dreading small beginnings and embrace today's work
- find contentment in the now—even when the now is frustrating or discouraging
- replace competition with compassion
- learn to breathe in a breathless world

Jesus lived small moments well, slow moments fully, and all moments free. He lives with us still, on all our ordinary days, creating and redeeming the world both in us and through us, one small moment at a time. It's time to take back Tuesday, to release our obsession with building a life, and believe in the life Christ is building in us—every day.

## Simply Tuesday

Emily P. Freeman



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### PRaise FOR EMILY FREEMAN

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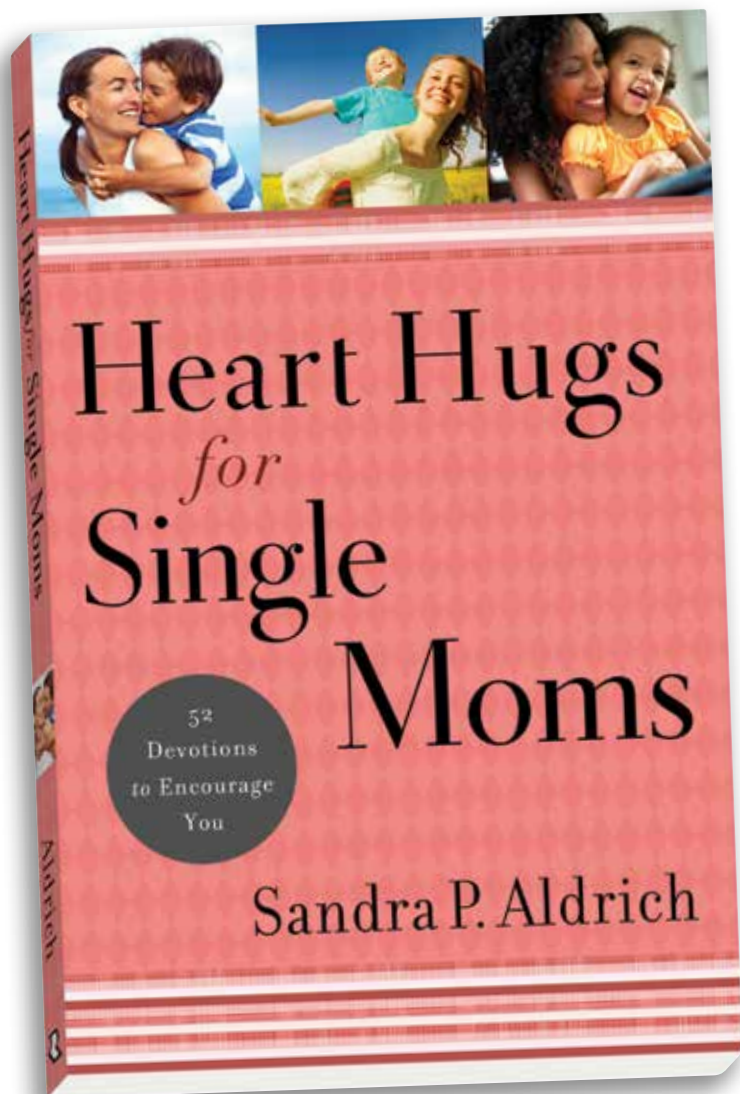
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# 52 Devotions of Strength and Encouragement for Single Moms



- Veteran single mother offers moms encouragement in a conversational style
- Author is a former senior editor of *Focus on the Family* magazine and author of five books
- Includes questions for personal reflection

Being a mom is tough. Being a single mom is tougher still. Single moms have to be everything to their children, an exhausting and often impossible task. Women who are raising children on their own are in desperate need of the encouragement and hope that veteran single parents such as author Sandra Aldrich can offer. In a winsome, conversational style, Sandra offers moms practical advice, personal experiences, encouraging anecdotes, and the occasional chuckle. Each chapter begins with appropriate Scripture and ends with a question for personal reflection or group discussion.

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Sandra P. Aldrich



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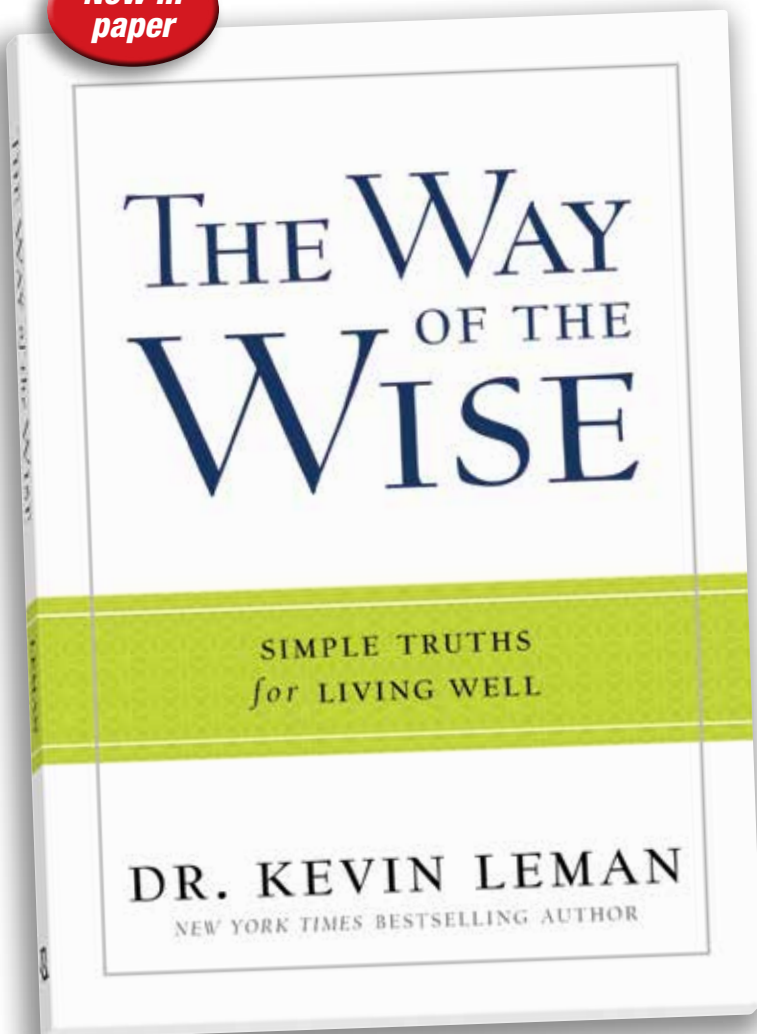
**Sandra P. Aldrich** is a former senior editor of *Focus on the Family* magazine and was formerly associate editor of *Christian Herald*. She is the author of five books, including *Living Through the Loss of Someone You Love*. Since she lost her husband to cancer in 1982, she has been helping others through the grief process with her writing, counseling, and seminars. Sandra lives in **Colorado**.





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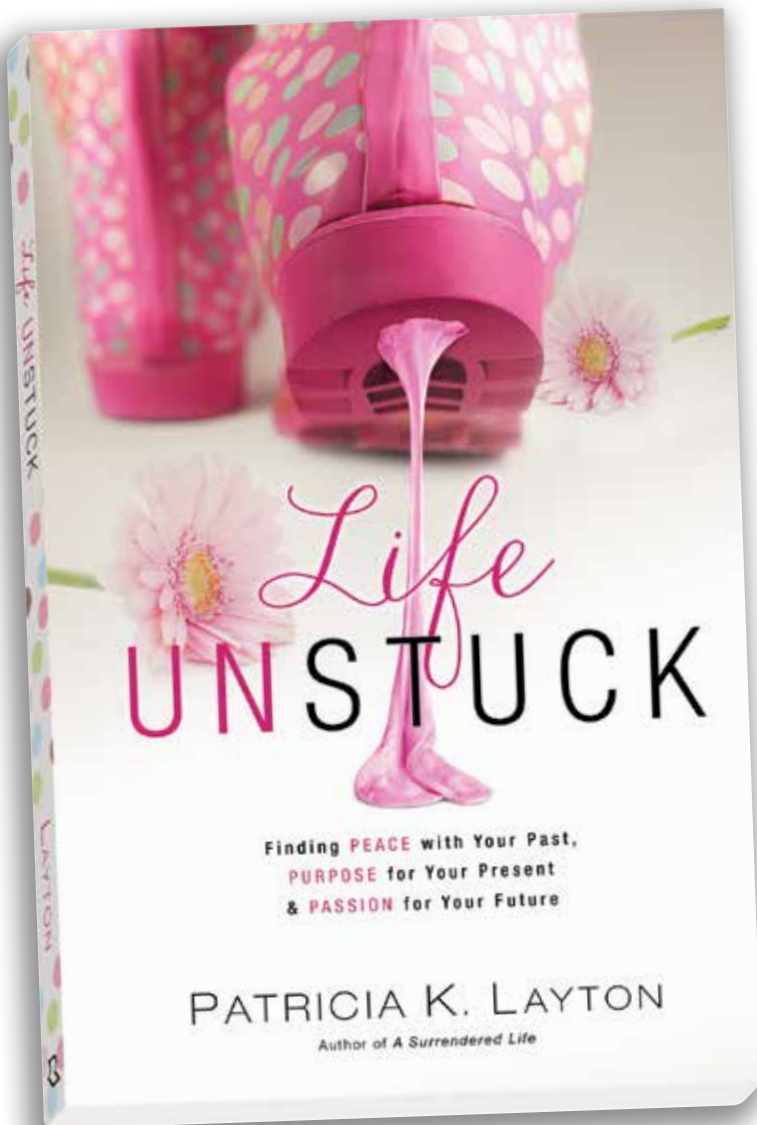
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# Biblical Momentum for When We Feel Stuck



- For the woman who secretly suspects there is nothing more—but desperately dreams there is
- Helps the reader find peace with her past, purpose for her present, and passion for her future
- Author is a popular national speaker and trainer for organizations such as Proverbs 31 Ministries, Heartbeat, the National Council for Adoption, and Care Net

Everyone has felt *stuck* at some point in life. Our inertia is gone, momentum is wiped out, and life trudges on devoid of passion. But God has so much more than this planned for his daughters. With passion and enthusiasm, Pat Layton invites women to imagine their world *unstuck*—a place where they feel at peace with the past, find purpose in the present, and revel in the possibilities that the future holds. With her rousing *Unstuck Manifesto*, she delves deep into the areas readers get stuck in the most—relationships, finances, ministry, career, and more—and, with the Scriptures as her guide, unveils the path to positive forward movement.

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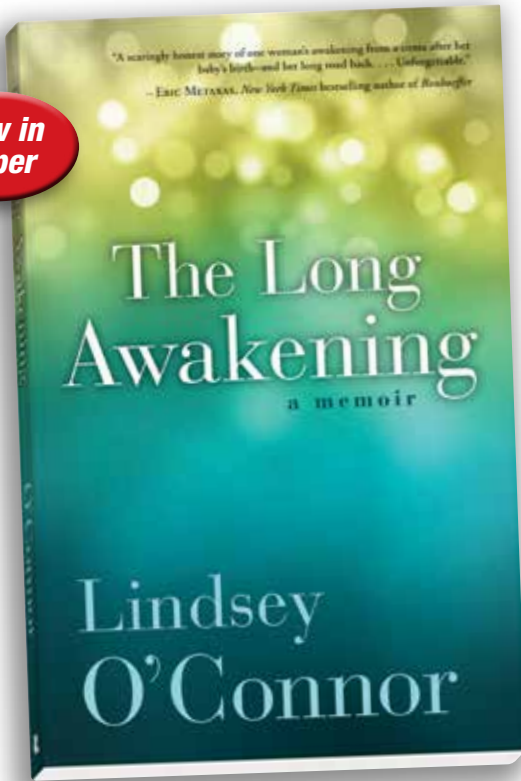
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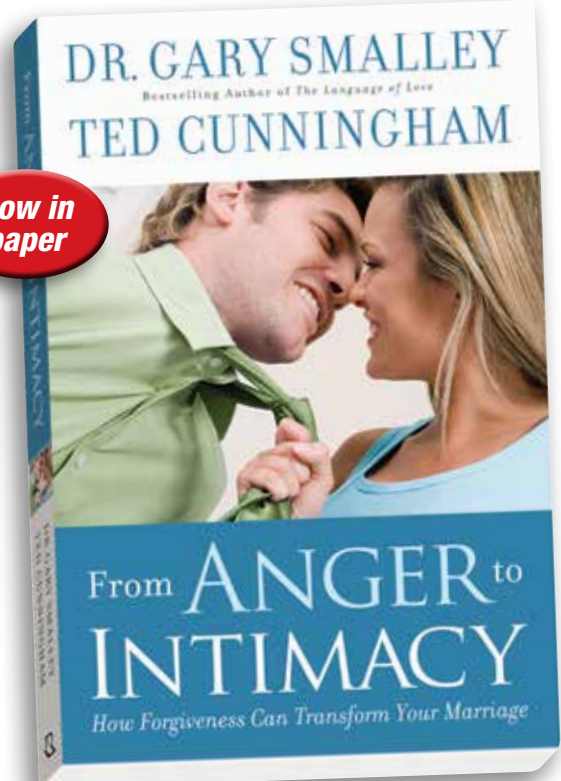
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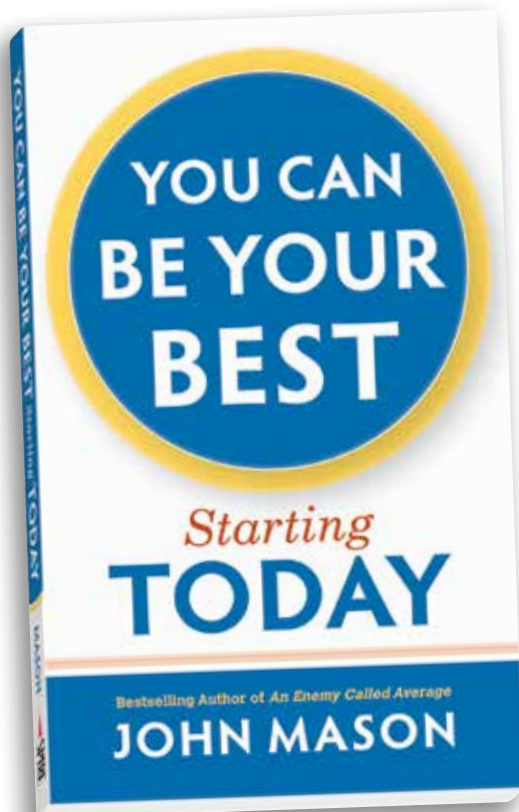
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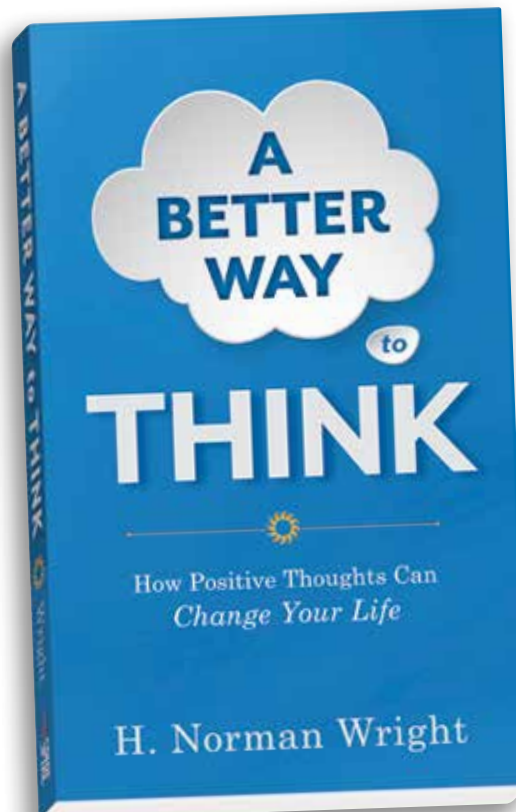
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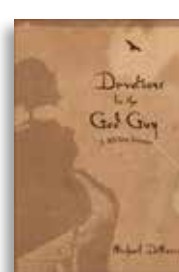
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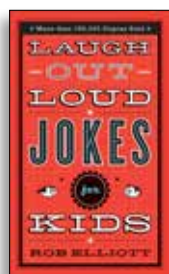
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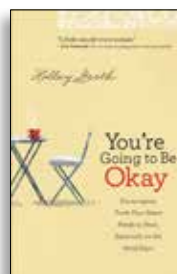
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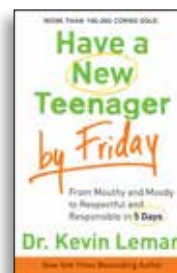
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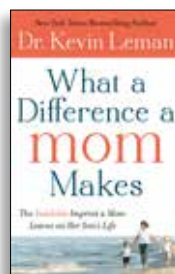
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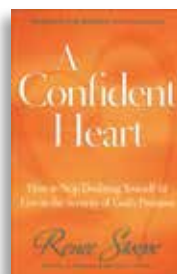
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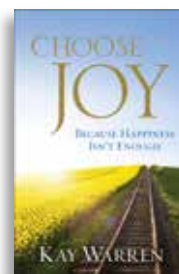
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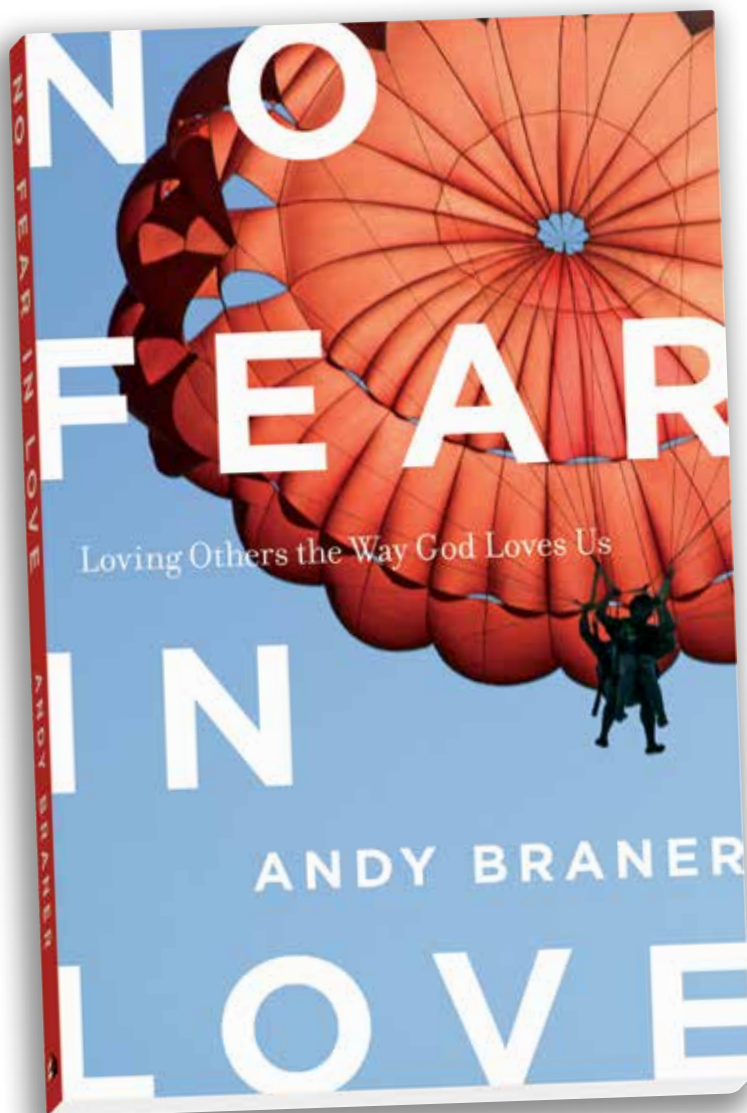


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Andy Braner



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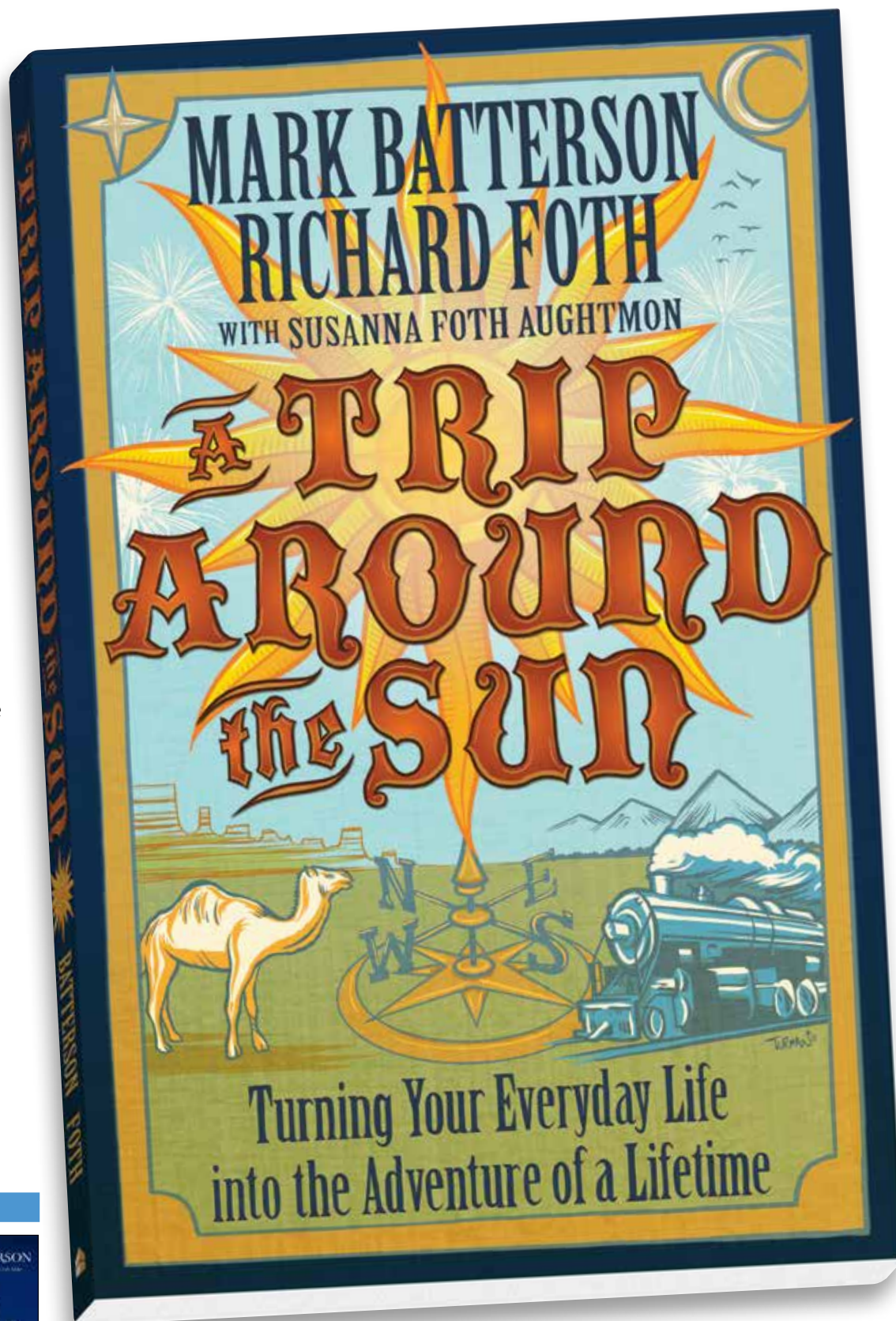
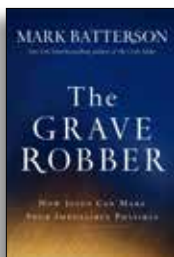
## EXCERPT

When you rise to the challenge of adventurous living, your days will be richer and your soul will be fuller. There will be more risks, more dares, and more obstacles. And in return, there will be more memories that started out as dreams. Adventure doesn't happen by accident. It has to be intentional. I once wrote a magazine article titled "Get a Life." It was an exhortation to pastors. If your sermons are boring, it's probably because your life is boring! You need to get a life outside the four walls of the church so that you actually have something to say that people can identify with. An interesting life equals interesting sermons. So if you want to preach more exciting sermons, live a more exciting life! And that exhortation isn't only for preachers. Your life is your sermon. Or to take it a step further, your life is a unique translation of Scripture! The only question is this: Are you a good translation?

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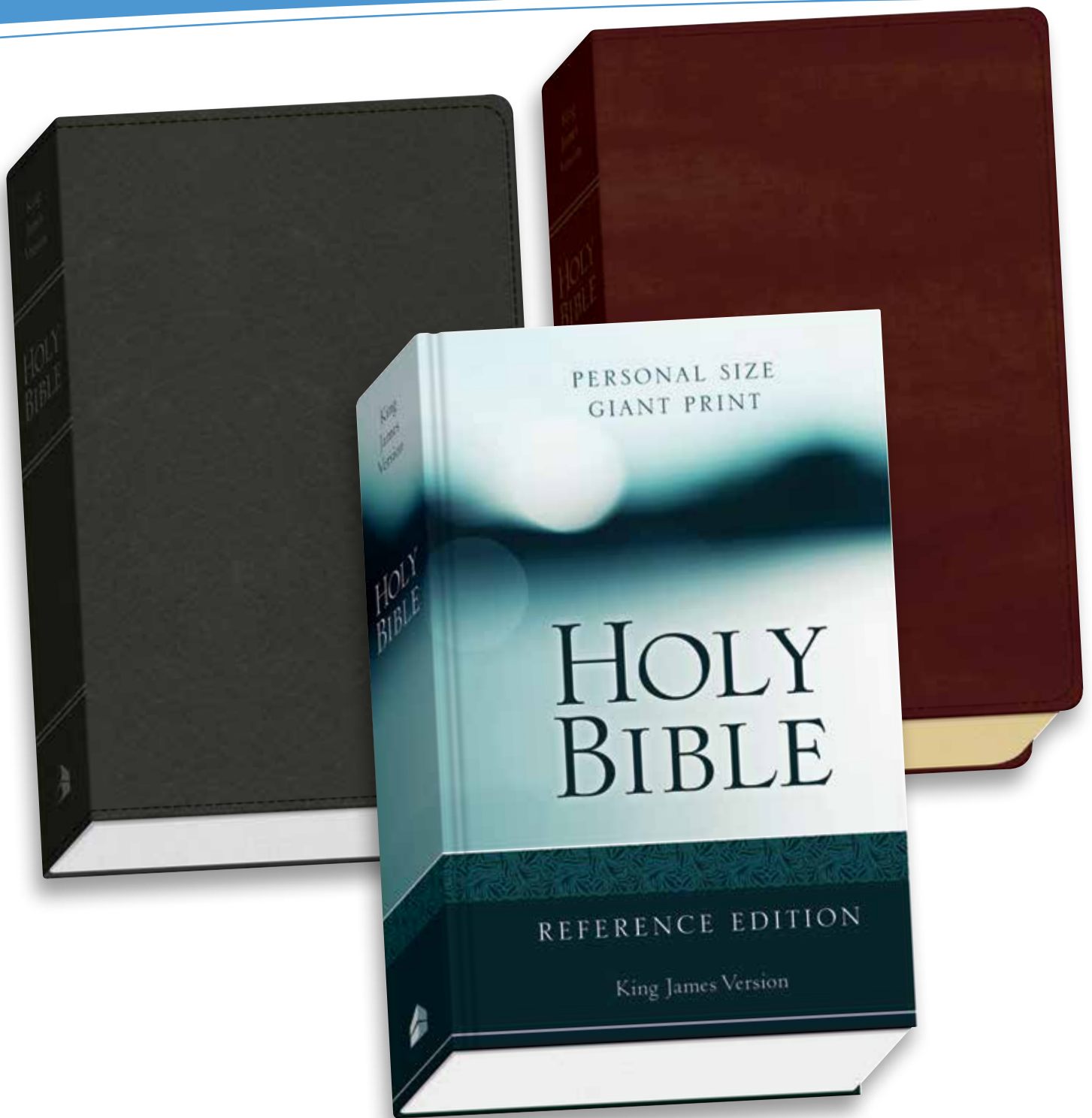
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16 ¶ For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

17 For God sent not his Son into

24 For John was not yet cast into prison.

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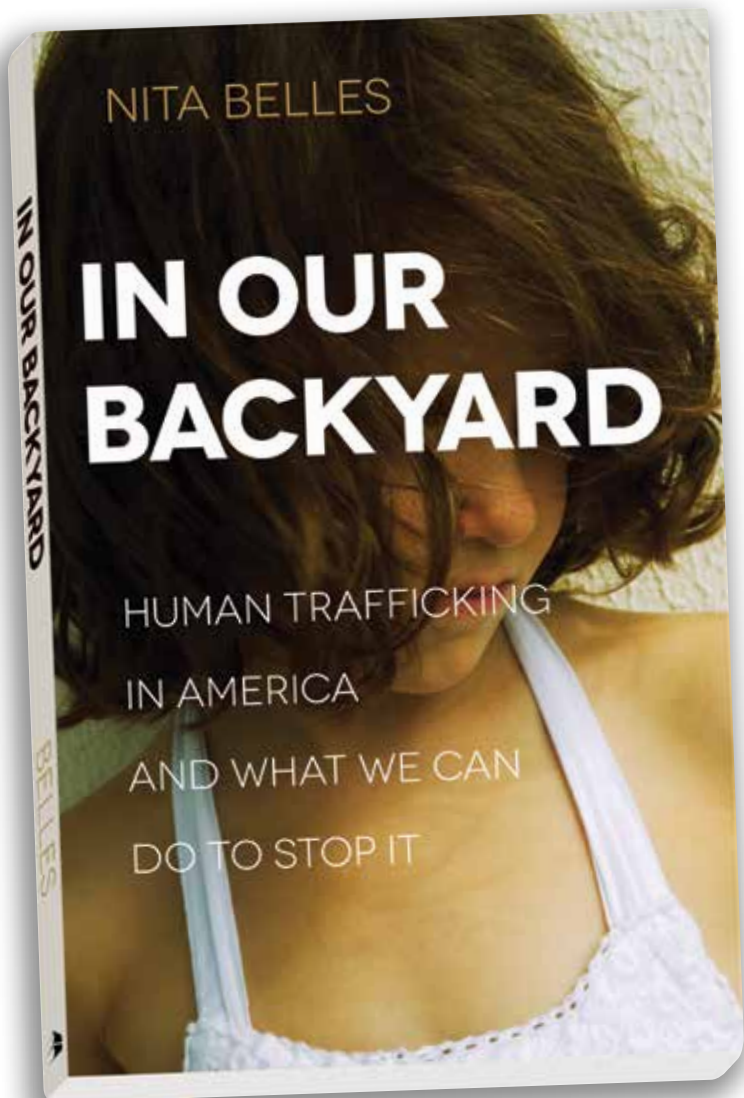


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## In Our Backyard

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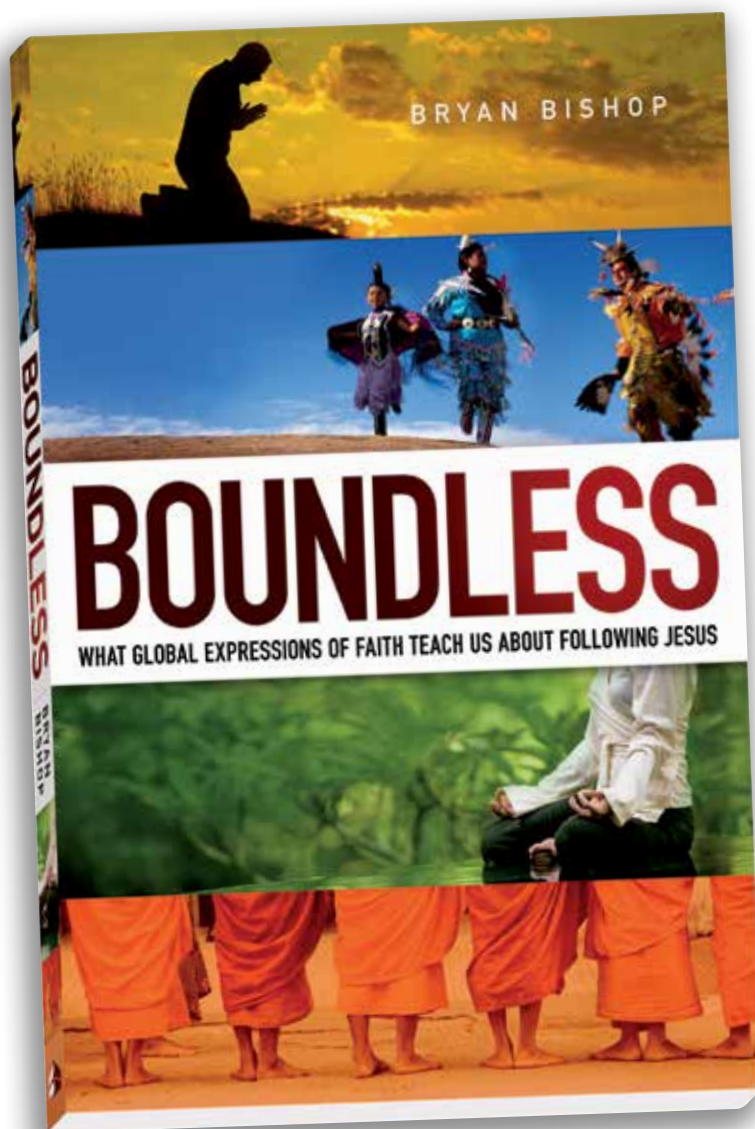
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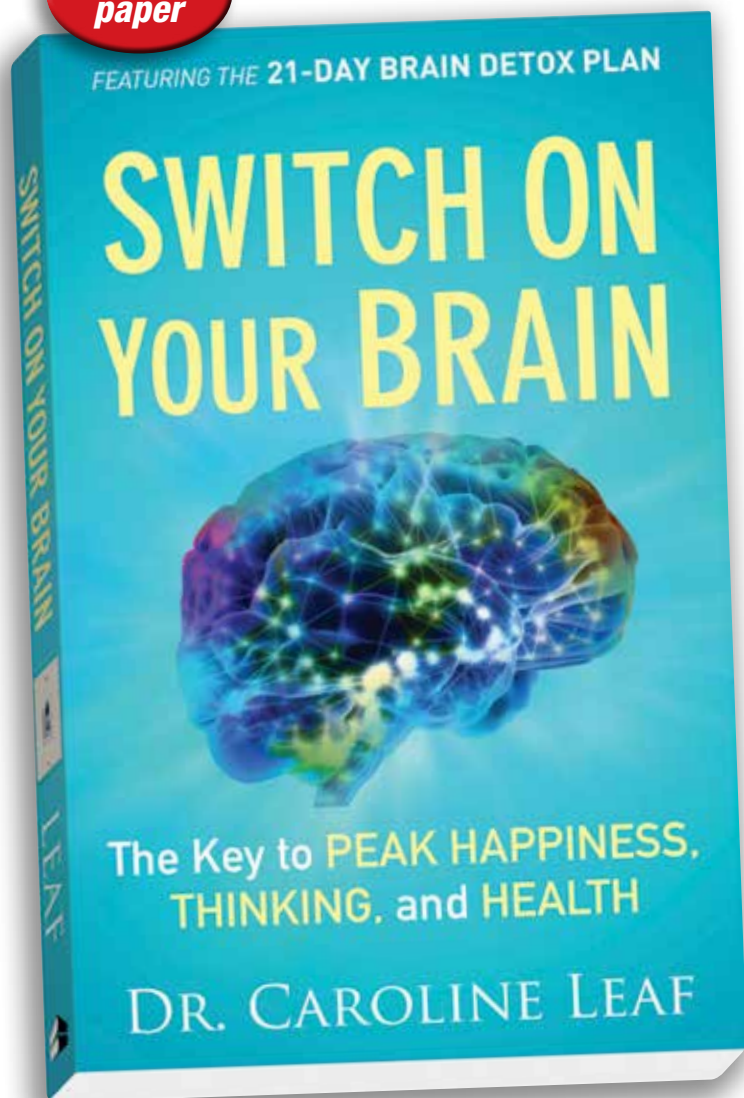
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# Break Unhealthy Thought Patterns and Overcome Obstacles

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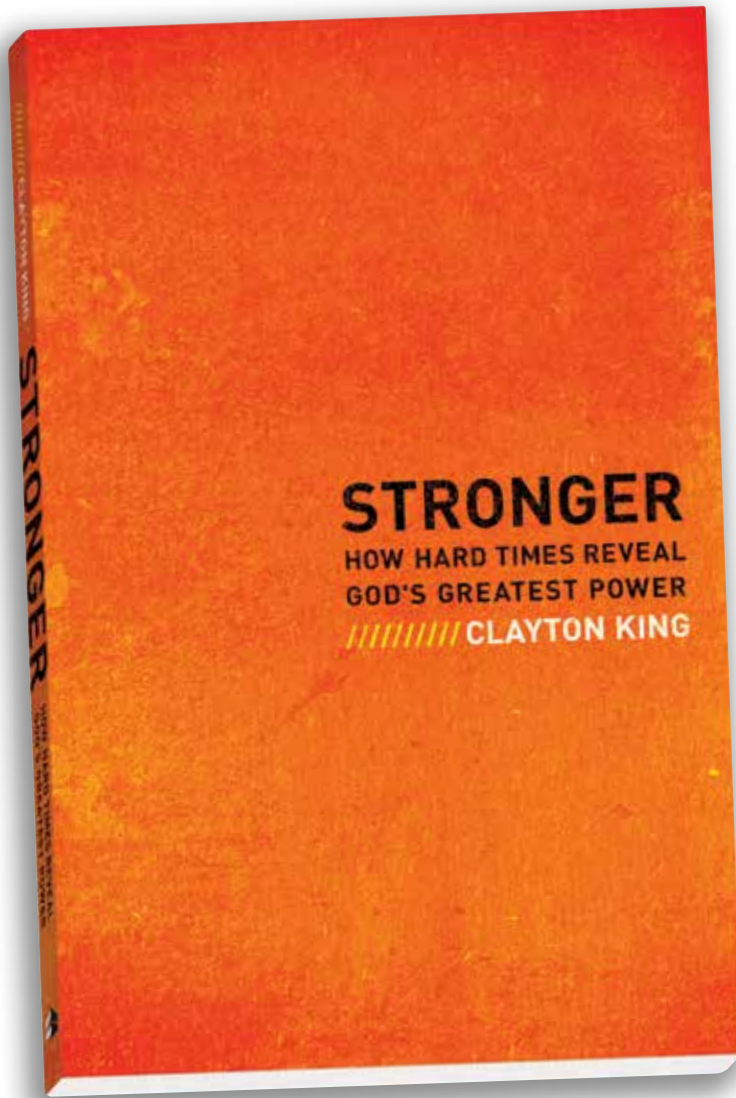
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# God's Surprising Plan to Make Us Stronger



- Reveals that God is more interested in forming our souls than fixing our problems
- Shows that you are defined not by what happens to you but by what God is doing through you
- Author is a frequent speaker at many large churches, youth conferences, and colleges

When we think of success, we think of words like *bigger*, *more*, and *better*. Bigger paycheck, more security, better reputation. But what if God's perspective on success was radically different than our own? What if the things we seek to avoid—pain, suffering, weakness, insecurity—were the very things he used to mold us into his image?

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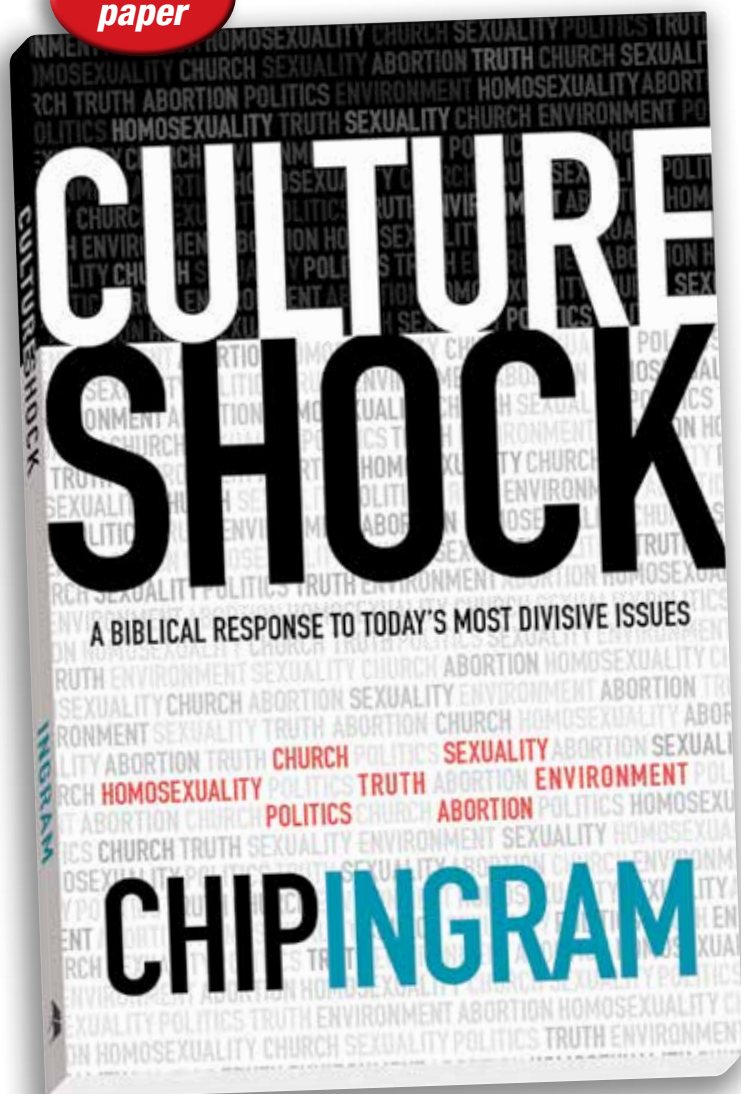
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# How to Bring Light, Not Heat, to Divisive Issues

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- Helps readers to live graciously without forfeiting their convictions
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We live in a reactionary culture where divisive issues arise, people on either side throw stones, and everyone ends up more entrenched in their opinions than in reaching common ground—or even exhibiting common courtesy! If there ever was a time for Christians to understand and communicate God's truth about controversial and polarizing issues, it is now. Believers must develop convictions based on research, reason, and biblical truth—and be able (and willing) to communicate these convictions with a love and respect that reflects God's own heart.

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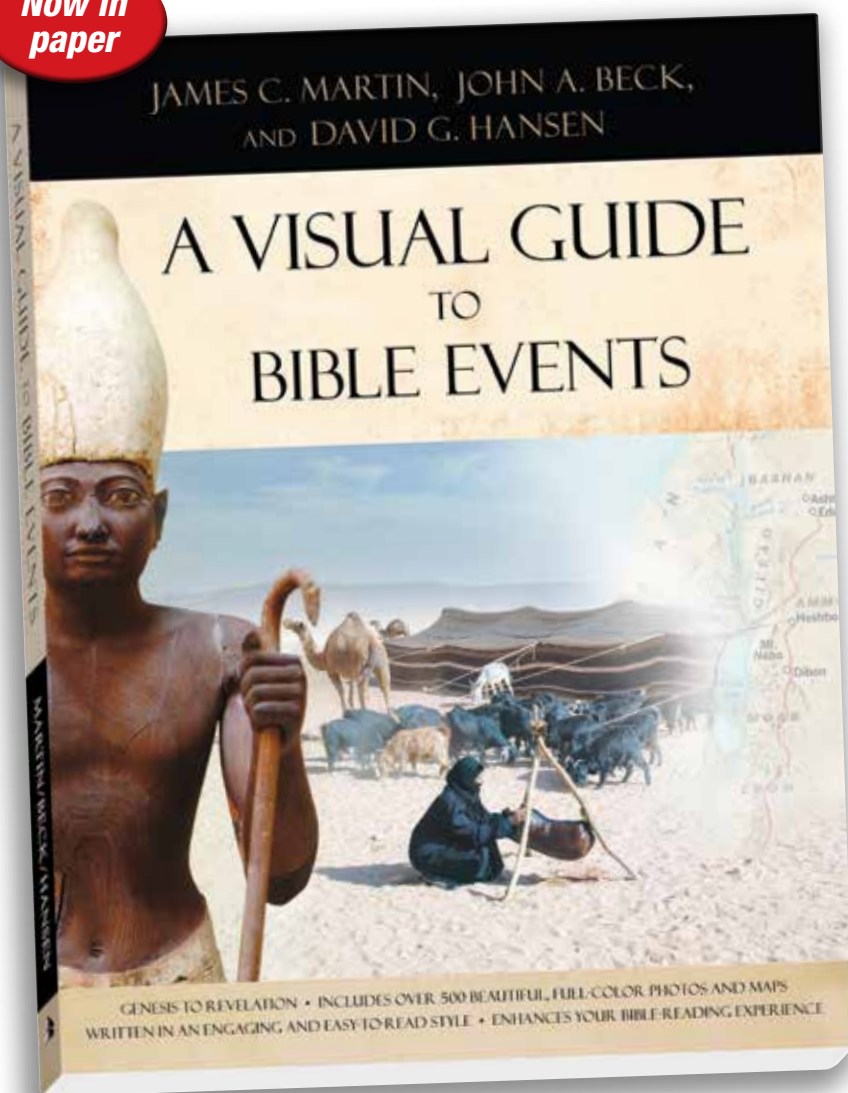
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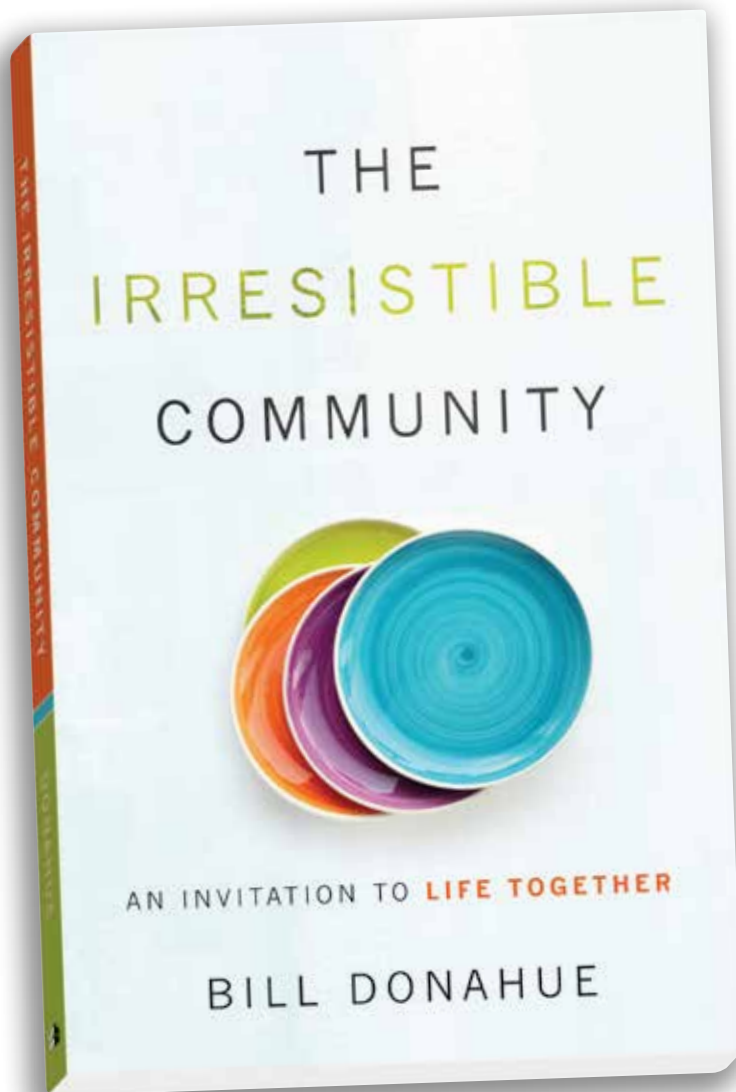
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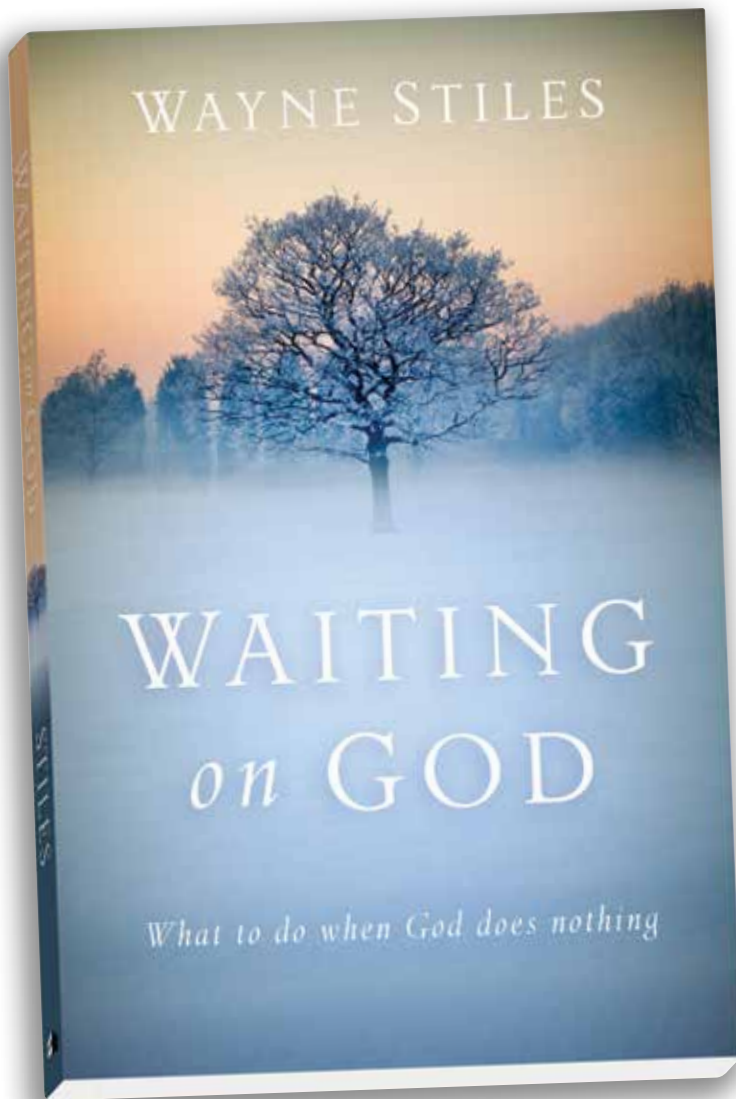
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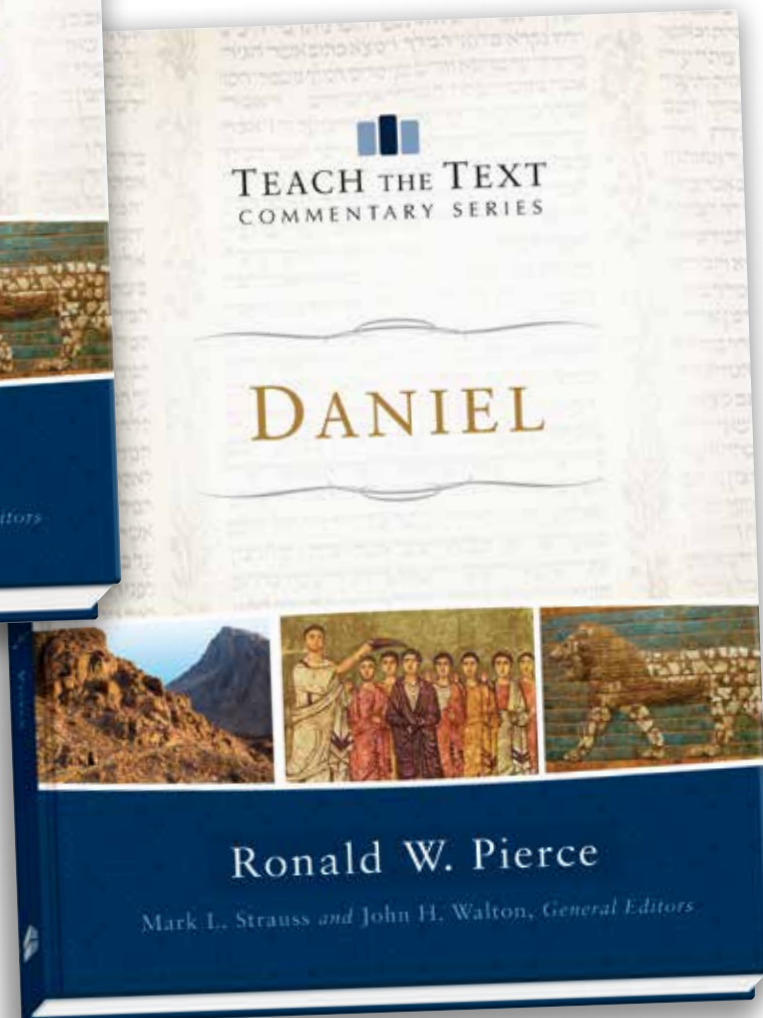
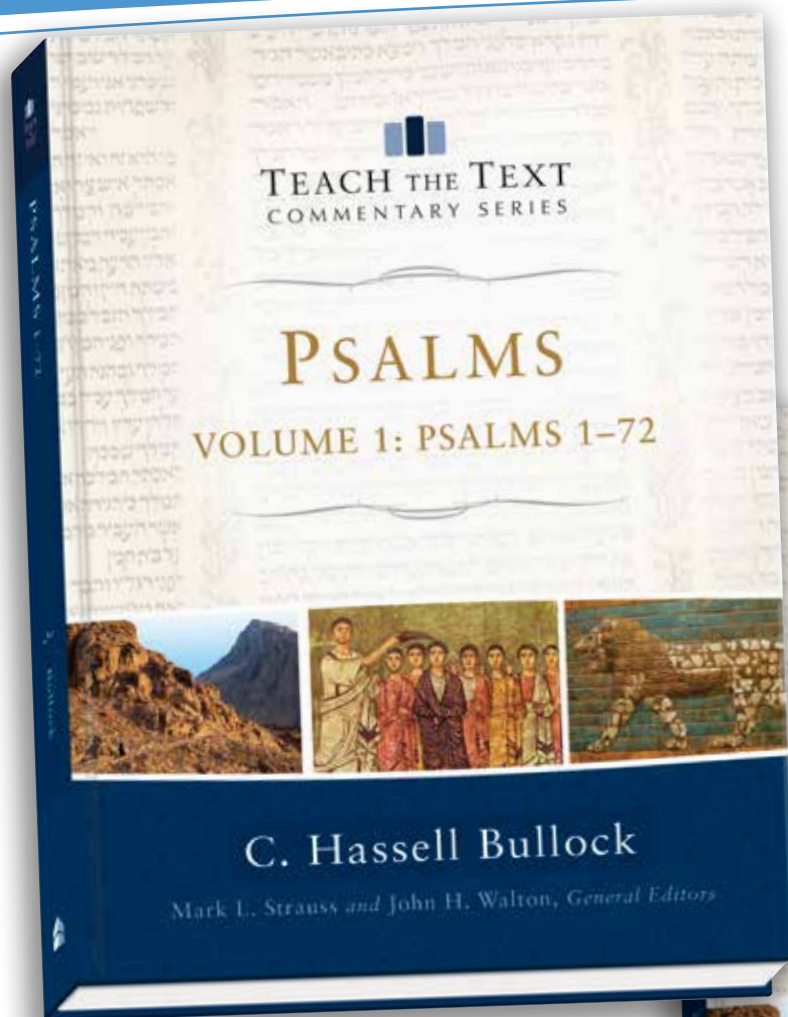
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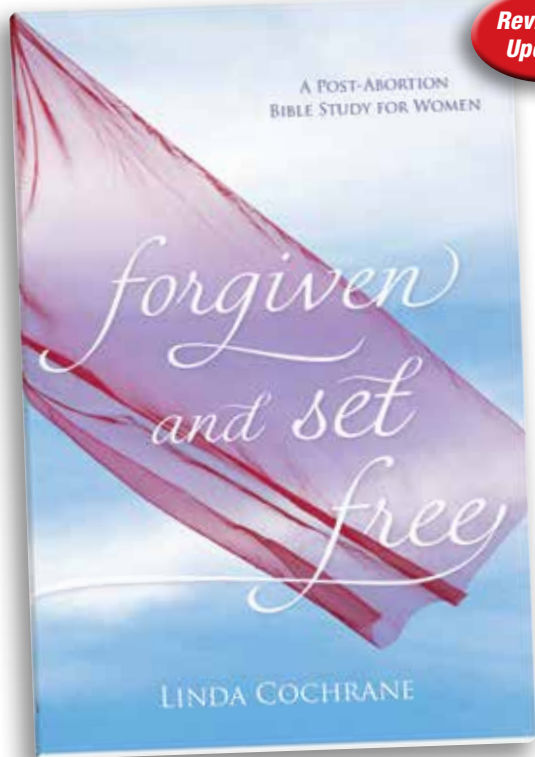
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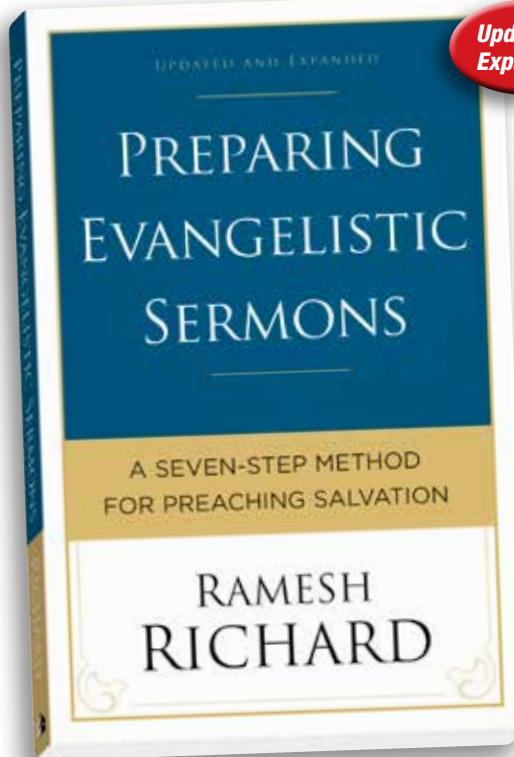
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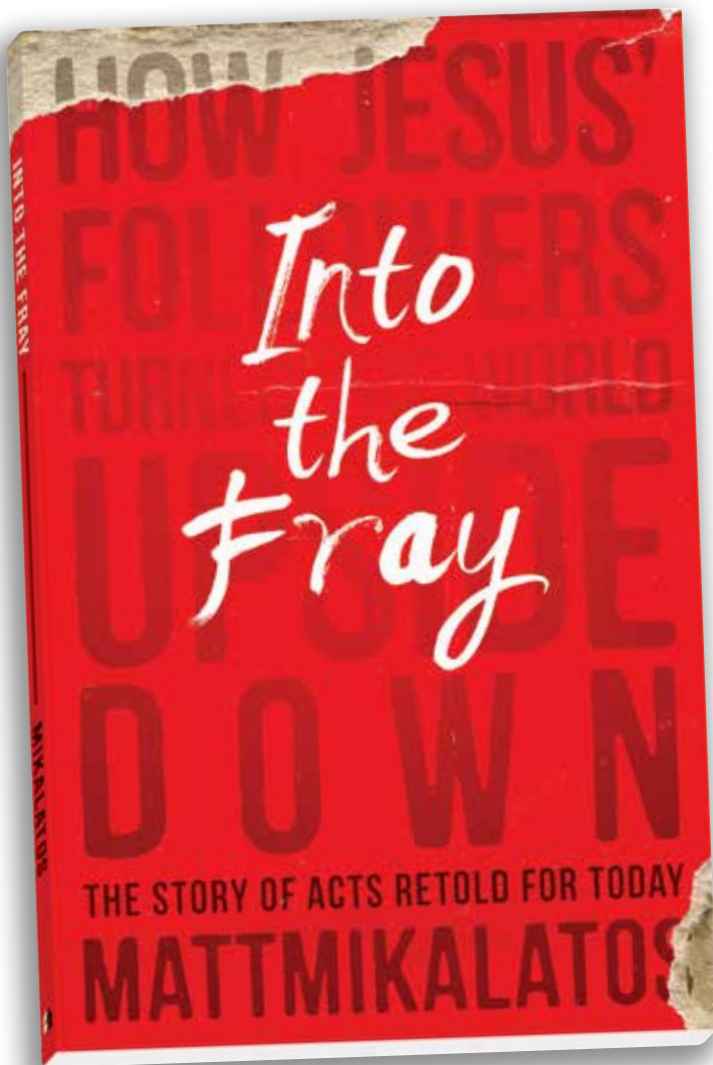
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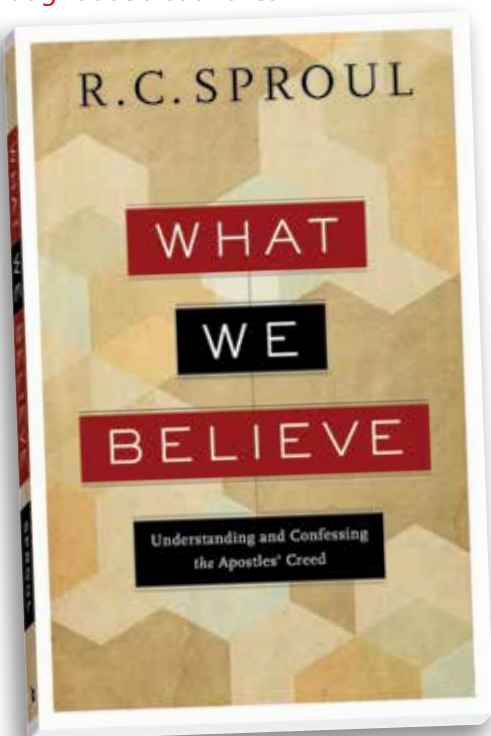
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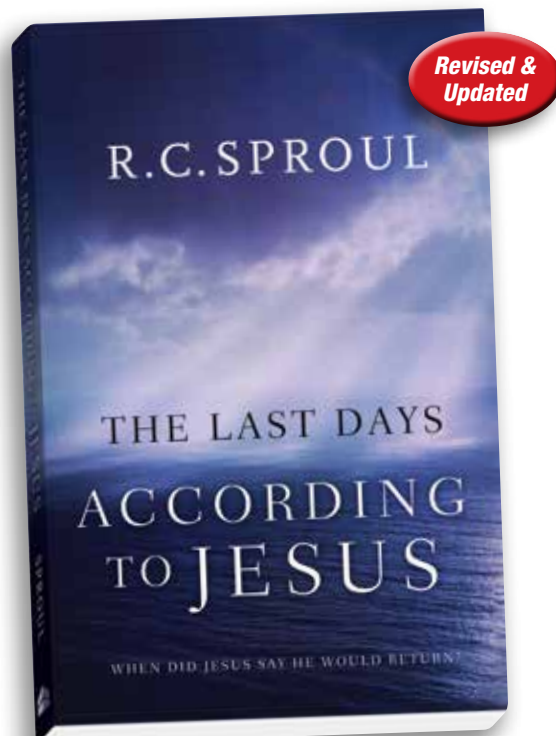
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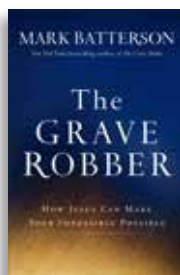
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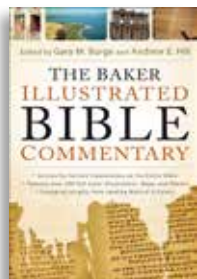
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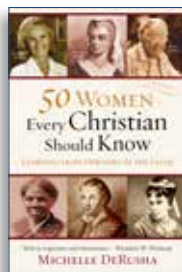




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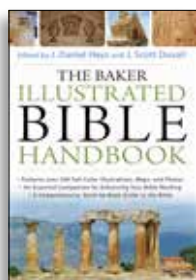
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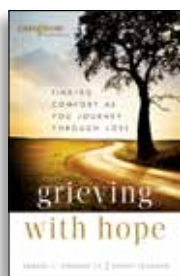
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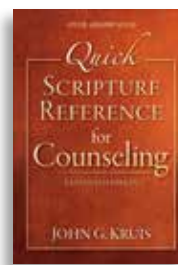
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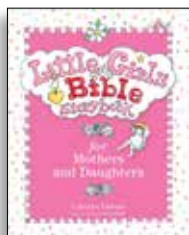
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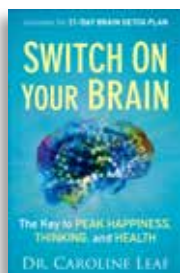
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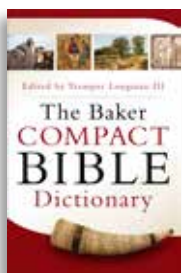
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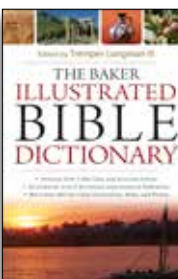
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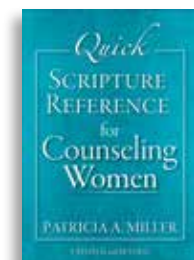
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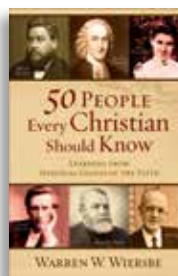
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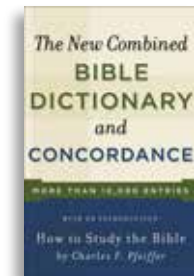
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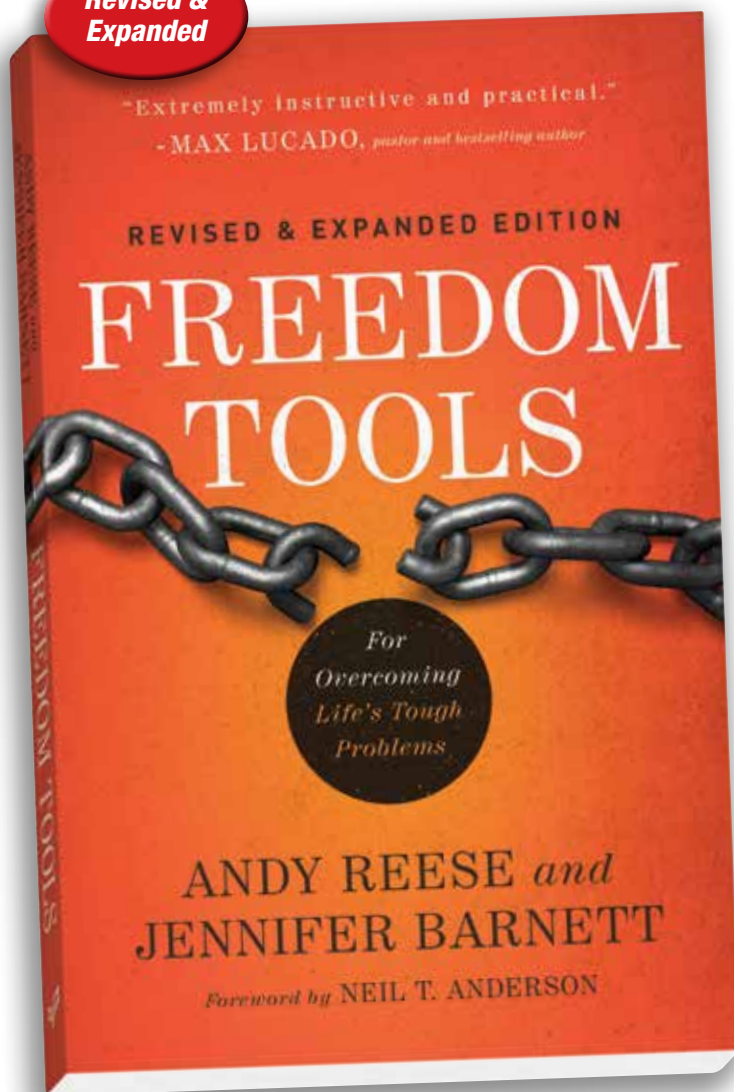
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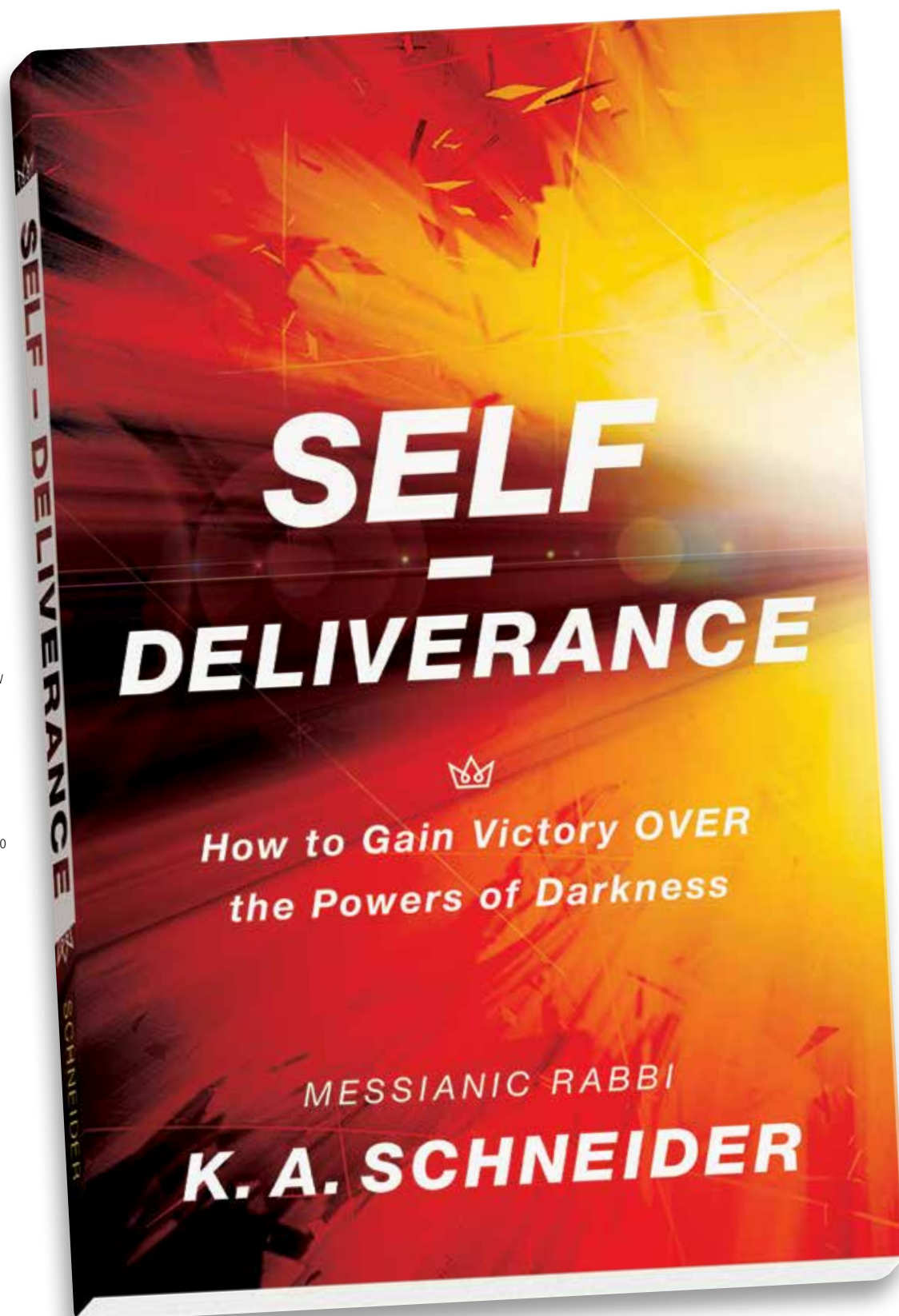
**EXCERPT**

As followers of Jesus, you and I are engaged in warfare. But this war is not against flesh and blood; it is against spiritual wickedness. Peter was speaking to the Church when he wrote, "Your enemy, the devil, is roaming about like a roaring lion, looking for someone to devour."

Demons are a reality, and they are at work today. These evil spirits gain access primarily by putting thoughts and images into our minds. The devil wants us to take ownership of these words and pictures—and if we do, if we own what he is putting into our heads, we will be defeated.

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We are in a battle. If we never learn how to fight, we will live as defeated Christians our whole lives. This is why I want to train you to recognize any demons that have attached themselves to you, to show you how they got access, and to give you the words to command them in Jesus' name to disconnect—to "dis-attach"—from you, so that they will be absolutely powerless over your life!



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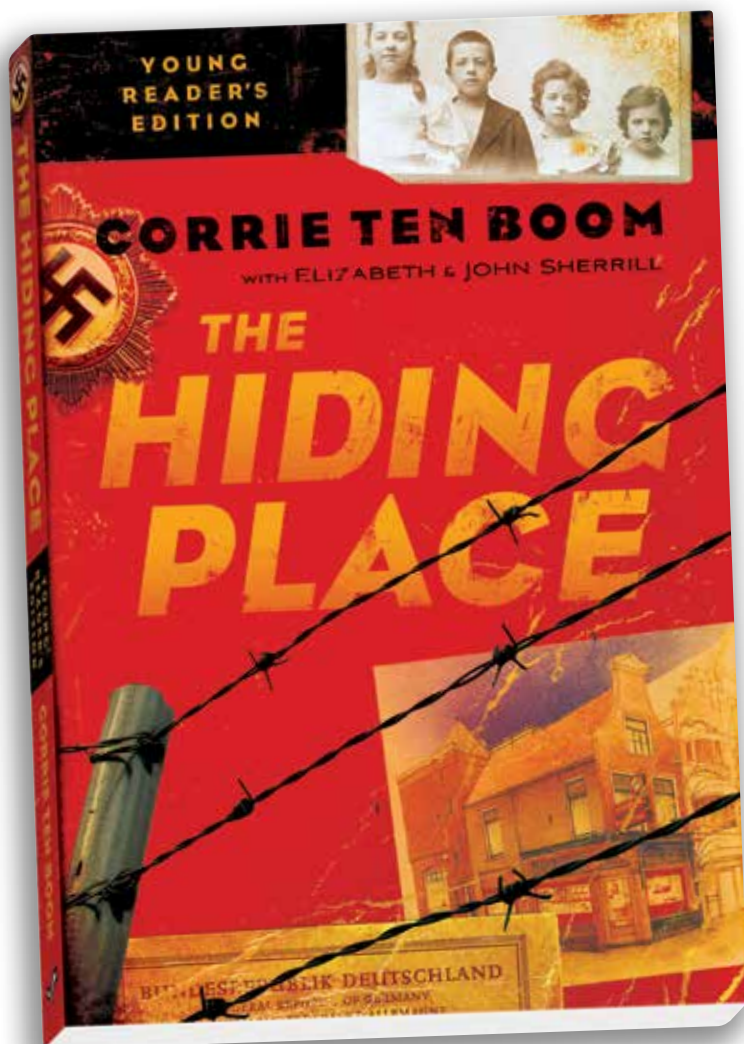
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**Rabbi K. A. Schneider** is a Jewish believer in Jesus and host of the television show *Discovering the Jewish Jesus*, which broadcasts into millions of homes in the United States and over two hundred countries around the world. Rabbi Schneider leads the congregation Lion of Judah World Outreach Center. He and his wife, Cynthia, live in Ohio.



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**Corrie ten Boom** (1892–1983) was born in Haarlem, The Netherlands. Her family owned a watch repair shop, which housed the “hiding place” where many Jewish people and Resistance workers hid for their lives. After her arrest and release from the Ravensbrück concentration camp due to a clerical error, Corrie was invited to share her experiences in more than sixty countries. *The Hiding Place* was first released in 1971.

**Elizabeth and John Sherrill** have co-authored numerous bestsellers—classics such as *The Hiding Place*, *The Cross and the Switchblade*, and *God's Smuggler*—and have traveled the world researching and writing articles and books. Formerly senior editors and now roving editors for *Guideposts* magazine, John and Elizabeth co-founded Chosen Books, along with Leonard and Catherine Marshall LeSourd. John and Elizabeth have three grown children and live in **Massachusetts**.

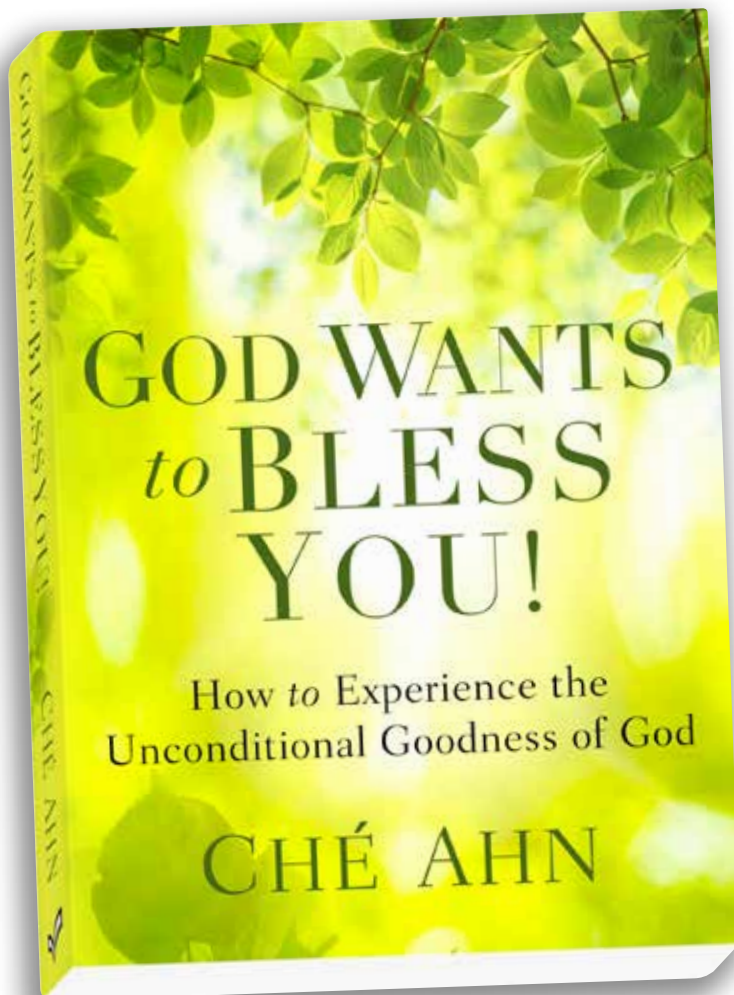
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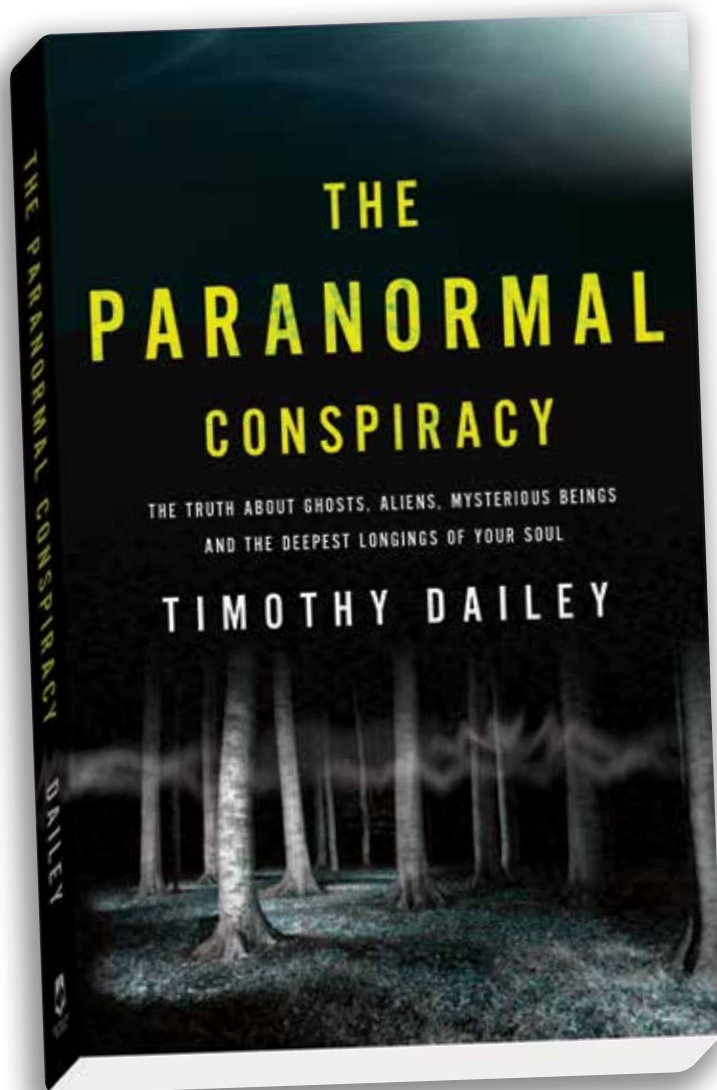
**Ché Ahn** earned his ministry degrees from Fuller Theological Seminary and has played a key role in strategic local and international outreaches. He founded Harvest International Ministry (HIM), a global apostolic network committed to helping fulfill the Great Commission. He travels extensively worldwide, bringing apostolic insight with a focus on renewal, healing, and evangelism. He and his wife, Sue, are senior pastors of HRock Church in **Pasadena, California**.



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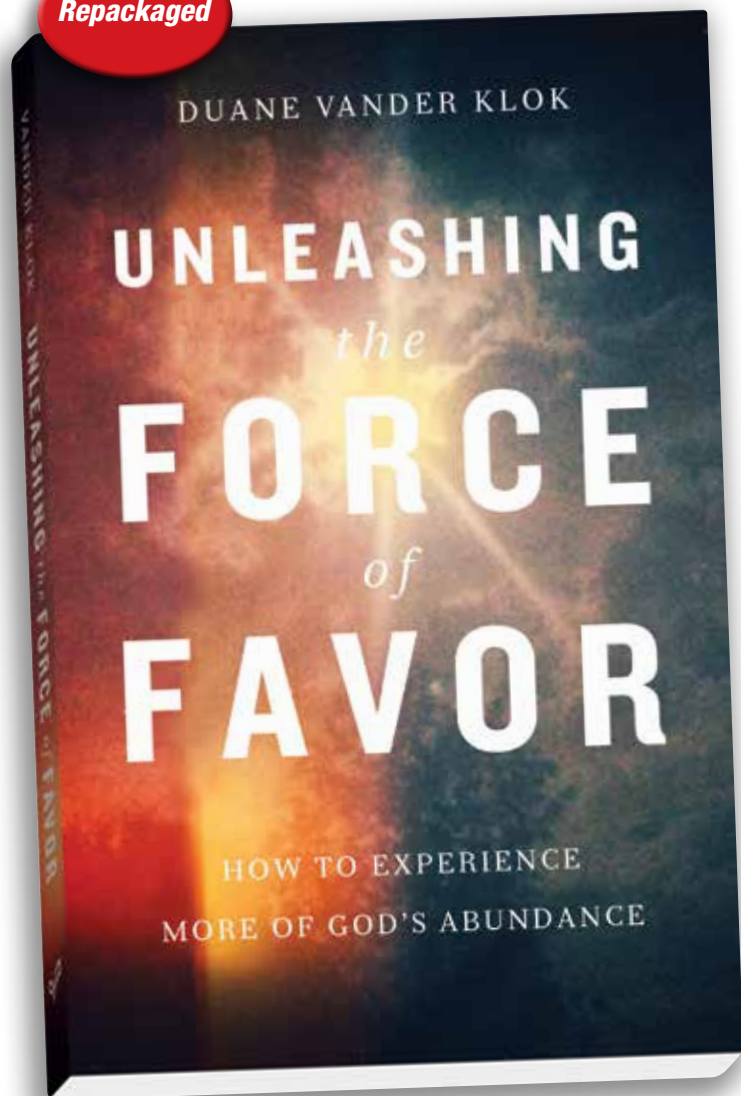
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### ABOUT THE AUTHOR

**Dr. Timothy J. Dailey**, who holds an MA from Wheaton College and a PhD from Marquette University, gained exceptional research and writing skills through cross-cultural ministry in the United States, Europe, and the Middle East. Dr. Dailey's books have sold more than 300,000 copies. He and his wife, Rebekka, have three children and live in **Reston, Virginia**.



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**Duane Vander Klok** is lead pastor of Resurrection Life Church and founding president of Resurrection Life Churches International. He hosts the *Walking by Faith* television program and travels extensively, sharing the Gospel and encouraging the Body of Christ. He is the author of *21 Things the Devil Cannot Do*. He and his wife, Jeanie, live in **Grandville, Michigan**.



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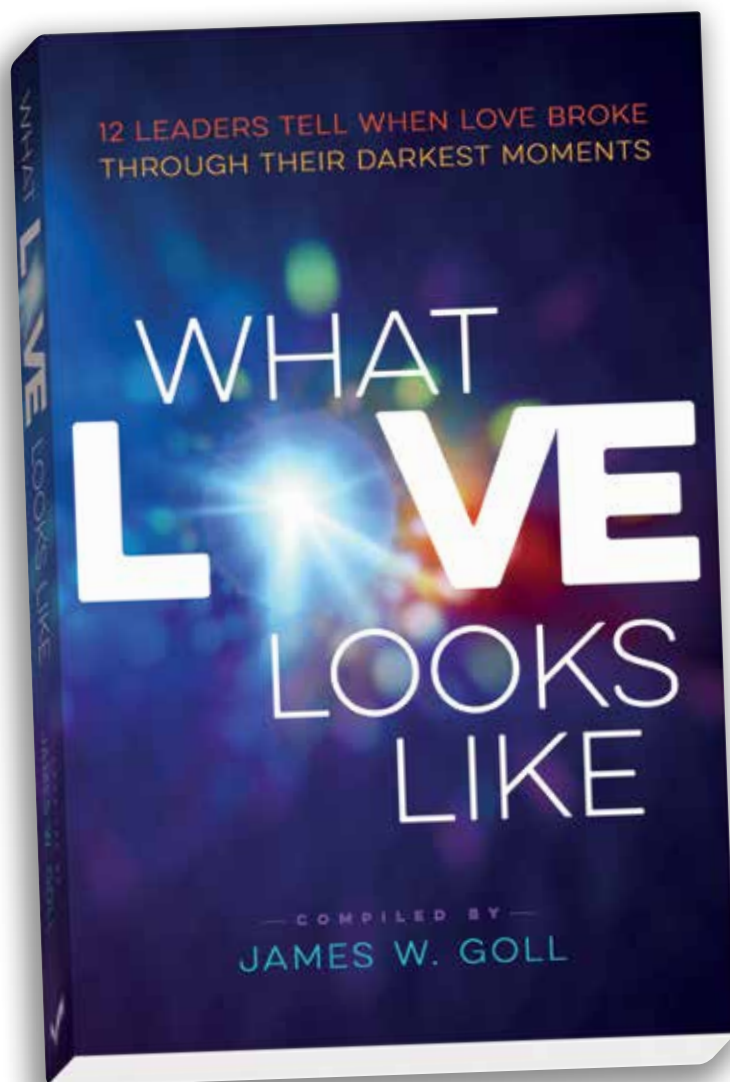
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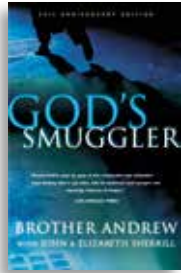
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**Dr. James W. Goll** is president of Encounters Network, international director of Prayer Storm, and founder of God Encounters Training. He is the author of more than 30 books and 20 study guides. James has shared the love of Jesus in more than fifty nations, teaching and imparting the power of intercession, prophetic ministry, and life in the Spirit. James is a father and grandfather and lives in **Franklin, Tennessee.**



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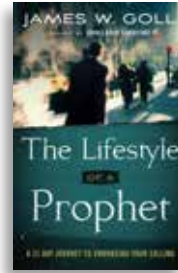
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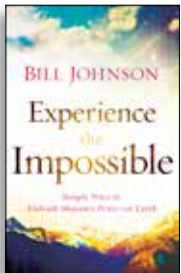
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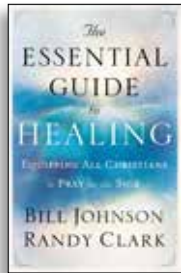
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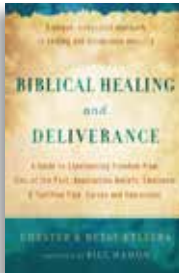
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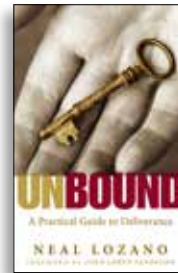
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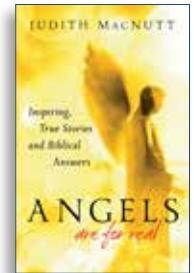
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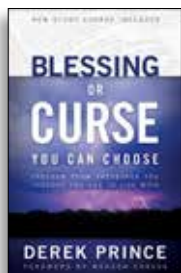
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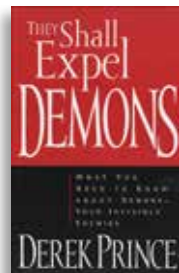
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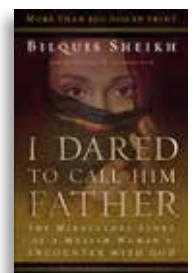
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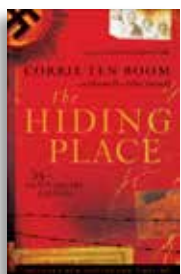
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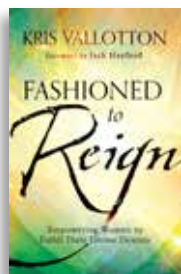
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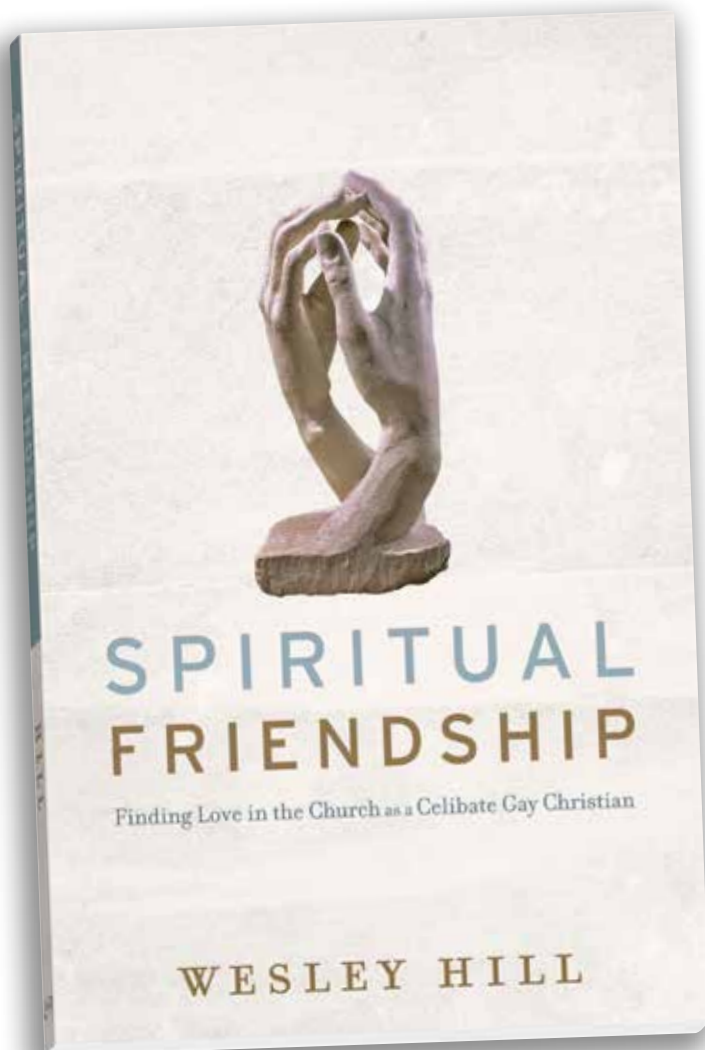
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# Finding Love in the Church as a Celibate Gay Christian



- Hill is author of the much-talked-about book *Washed and Waiting*
- Author is a columnist for *Christianity Today* and contributes to *Books & Culture* and *First Things*
- Retrieves a deep and rich understanding of friendship as a spiritual vocation

Friendship is a relationship like no other. Unlike the relationships we are born into, we choose our friends. It is also tenuous—we can end a friendship at any time. But should friendship be so free and unconstrained? Although our culture tends to pay more attention to romantic love, marriage, family, and other forms of community, friendship is a genuine love in its own right. This eloquent book reminds us that Scripture and tradition have a high view of friendship. Single Christians, particularly those who are gay and celibate, may find it is a form of love to which they are especially called.

Writing with deep empathy and with fidelity to historic Christian teaching, Wesley Hill retrieves a rich understanding of friendship as a spiritual vocation and explains how the church can foster friendship as a basic component of Christian discipleship. He helps us reimagine friendship as a robust form of love that is worthy of honor and attention in communities of faith. This book sets forth a positive calling for celibate gay Christians and suggests practical ways for all Christians to cultivate stronger friendships.

## Spiritual Friendship

Wesley Hill



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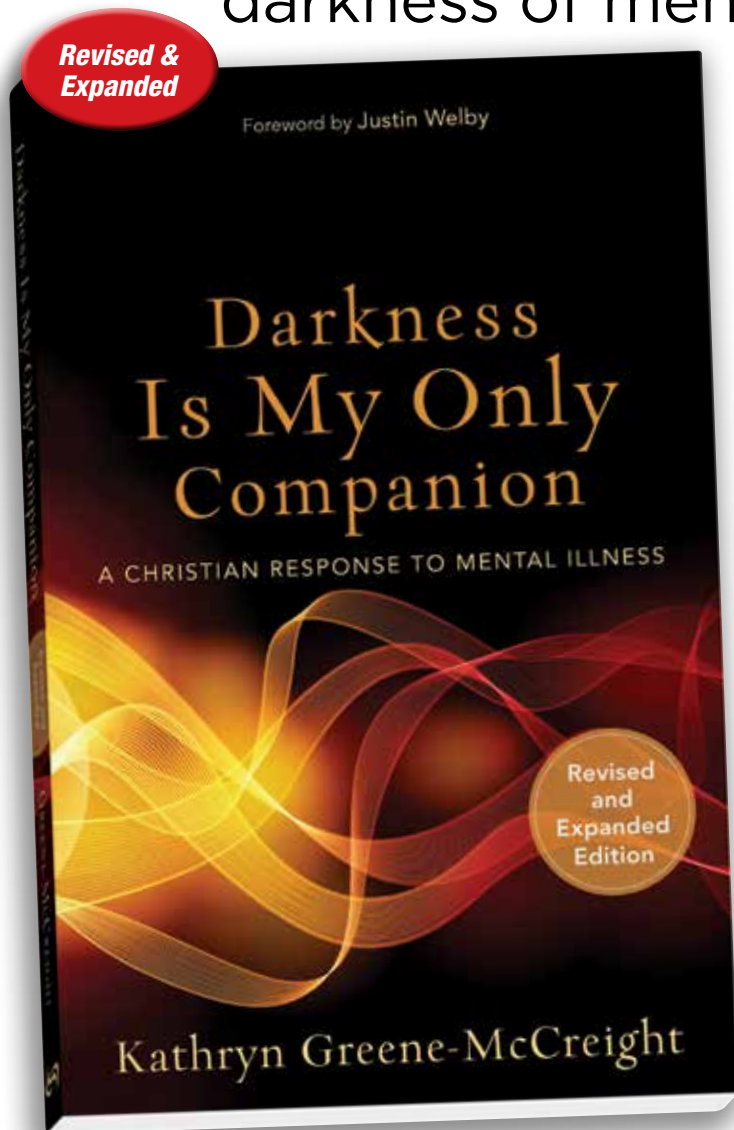
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### ABOUT THE AUTHOR

**Wesley Hill** (PhD, University of Durham) is assistant professor of biblical studies at Trinity School for Ministry in **Ambridge, Pennsylvania**, and author of the much-discussed book *Washed and Waiting: Reflections on Christian Faithfulness and Homosexuality*. He is on the editorial board and is a columnist for *Christianity Today*. He also contributes to *Books & Culture* and *First Things*.



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Where is God in the suffering of a mentally ill person? What happens to the soul when the mind is ill? How are Christians to respond to mental illness? In this brave and compassionate book, theologian and priest Kathryn Greene-McCreight confronts these difficult questions raised by her own mental illness—bipolar disorder. With brutal honesty, she tackles often avoided topics such as suicide, mental hospitals, and shock therapy. Greene-McCreight offers the reader everything from poignant and raw glimpses into the mind of a mentally ill person to practical and forthright advice for their friends, family, and clergy.

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### ABOUT THE AUTHOR

**Kathryn Greene-McCreight** (PhD, Yale University) has become a champion of responsible Christian attitudes toward mental illness. She is priest associate at The Episcopal Church at Yale in **New Haven, Connecticut**, and the author of several books. She also serves on the board of the Elm City Chapter of NAMI (National Alliance for Mental Illness) and on the Patient and Advisory Council of Yale Psychiatric Hospital.

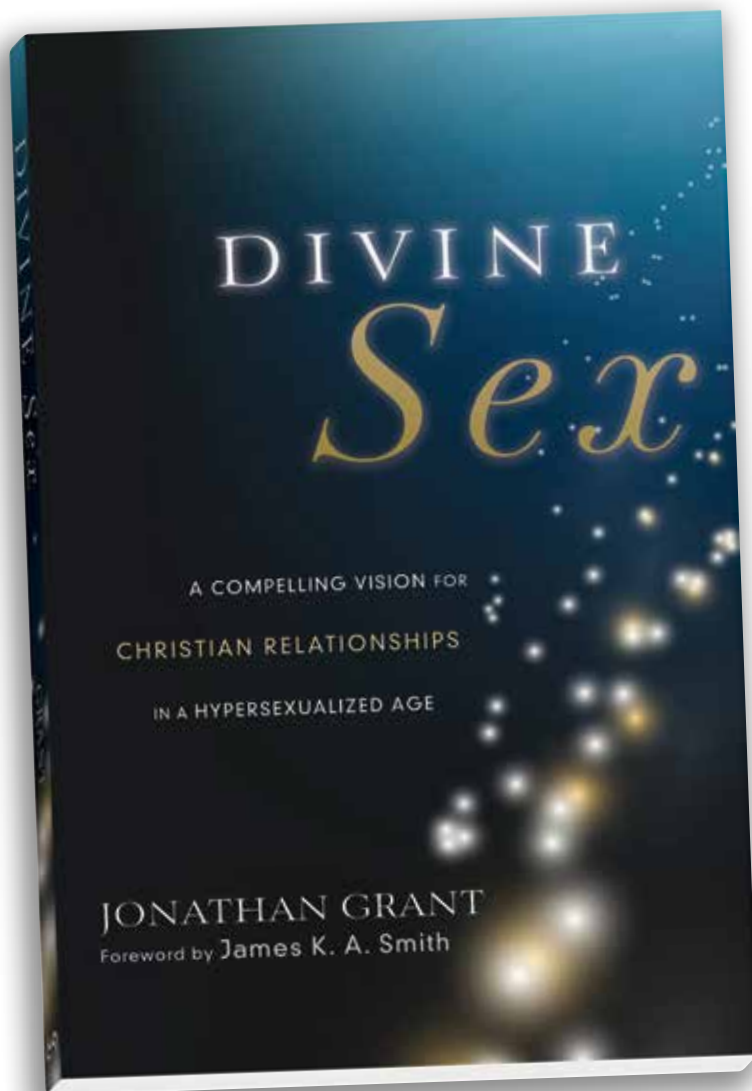


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“By means of personal story, theological reflection, and practical suggestions for caregivers, Greene-McCreight takes readers into her mind as she plunges from frantic ecstasy . . . to profound despair. . . . With firm but never facile faith, she offers hope to Christians with mental illness and understanding to those who live and work with them.”—*Publishers Weekly* (starred review)

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# Faithful Discipleship in a Hypersexualized World



- Author leads one of the largest Anglican congregations in Australasia
- Book draws from author's pastoral experience with young adults
- Includes a foreword by James K. A. Smith

The digital revolution has ushered in a series of sexual revolutions, all contributing to a perfect storm for modern relationships. Online dating, social media, internet pornography, and the phenomenon of the smartphone generation have created an avalanche of change with far-reaching consequences for sexuality today. The church has struggled to address this new moral ecology because it has focused on clarity of belief rather than quality of formation. The real challenge for spiritual formation lies in addressing the underlying moral intuitions we carry subconsciously, which are shaped by the convictions of our age.

In this book, a fresh new voice offers a persuasive Christian vision of sex and relationships, calling young adults to faithful discipleship in a hypersexualized world. Drawing from his pastoral experience with young people and from cutting-edge research across multiple disciplines, Jonathan Grant helps Christian leaders understand the cultural forces that make the church's teaching on sex and relationships ineffective in the lives of today's young adults. He also sets forth pastoral strategies for addressing the underlying fault lines in modern sexuality.

## Divine Sex

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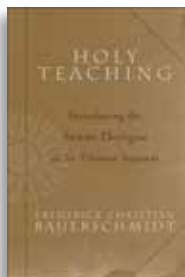
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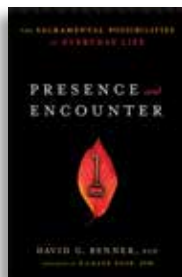




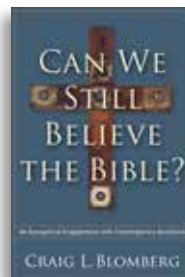
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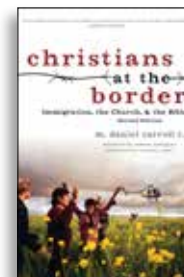
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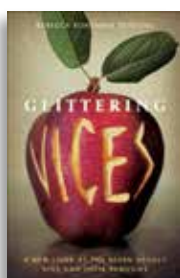
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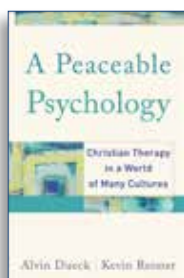
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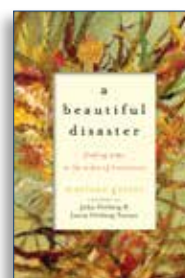
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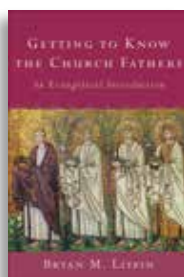
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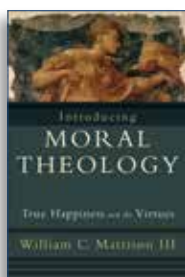
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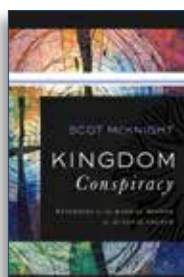
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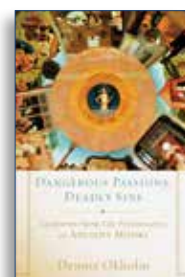
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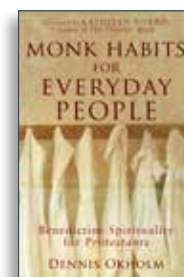
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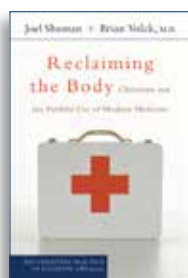
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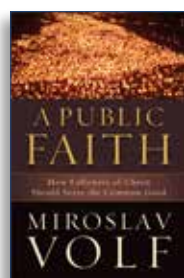
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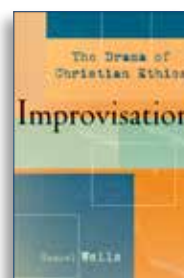
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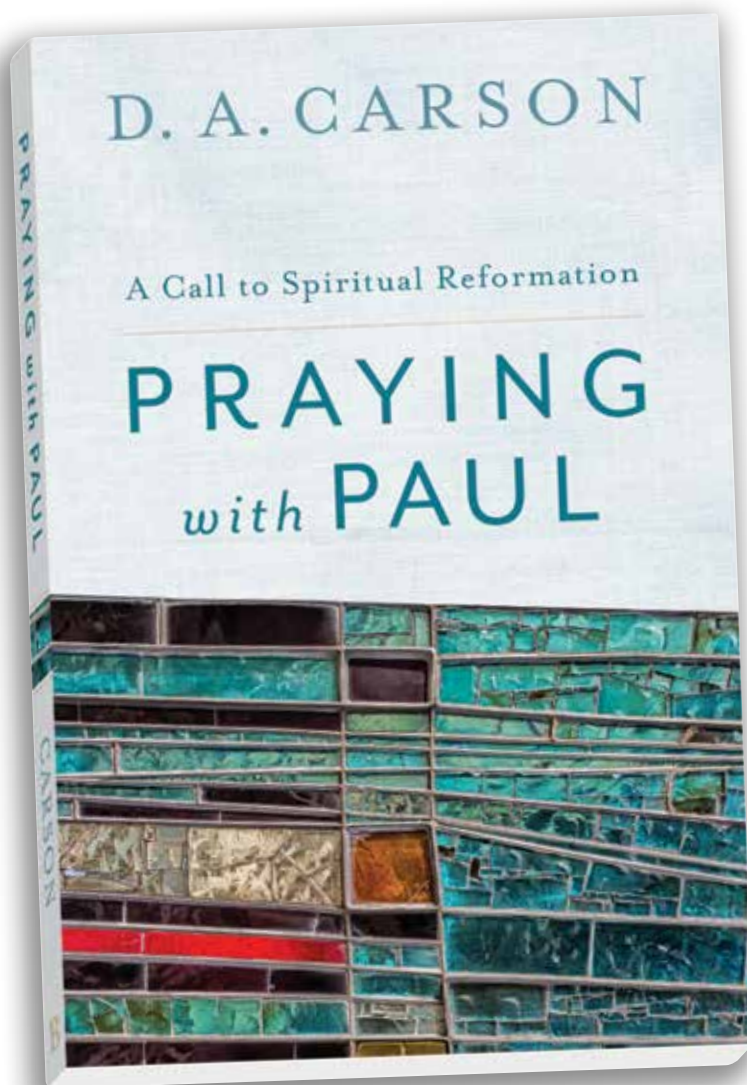
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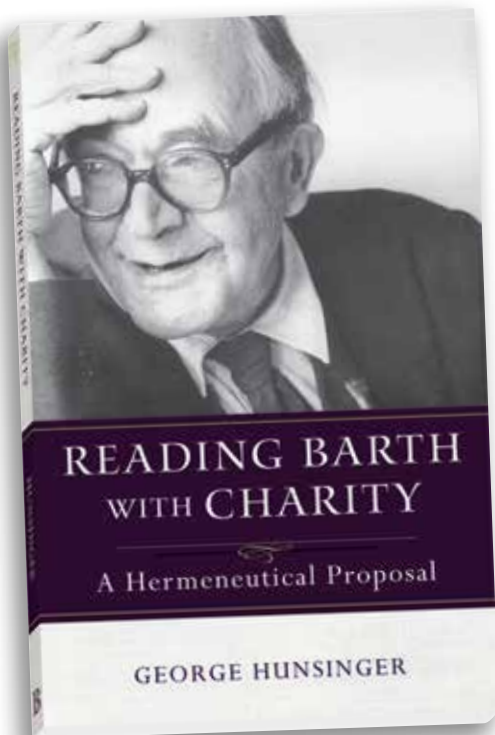
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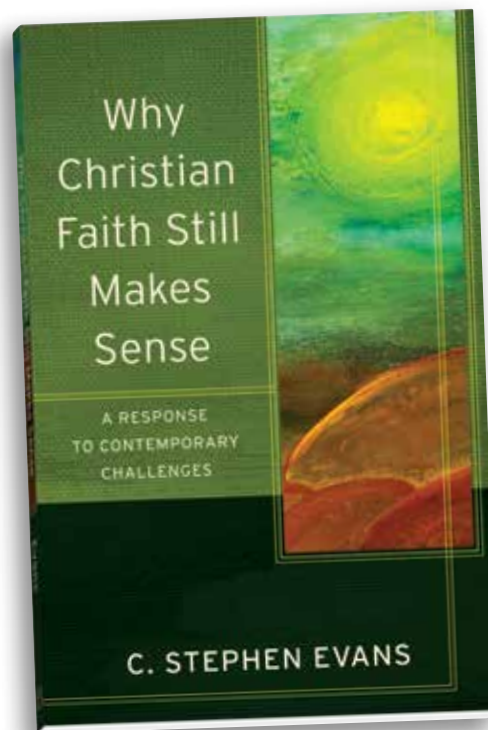
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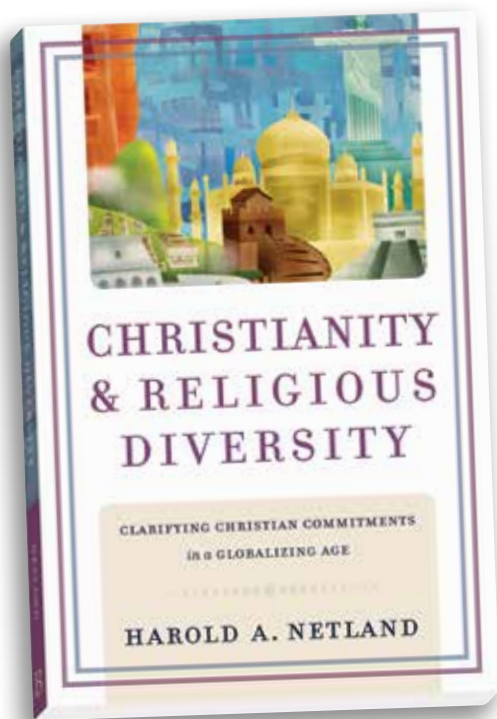
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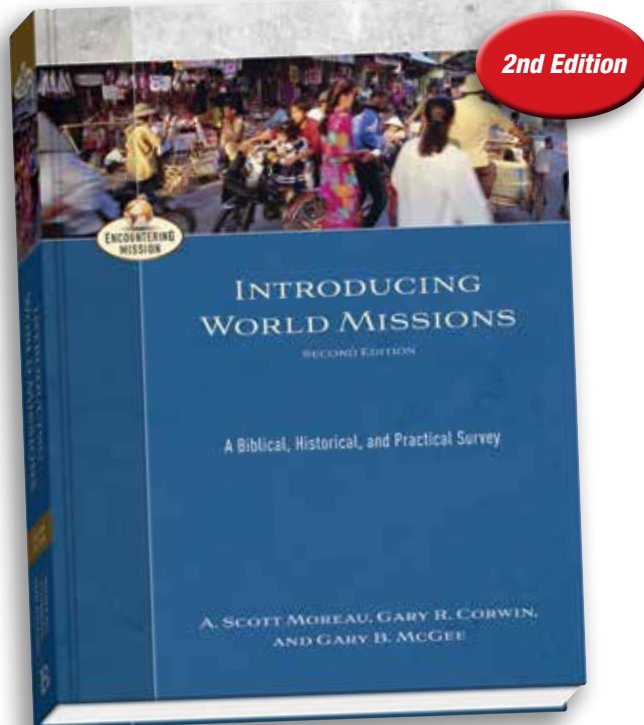
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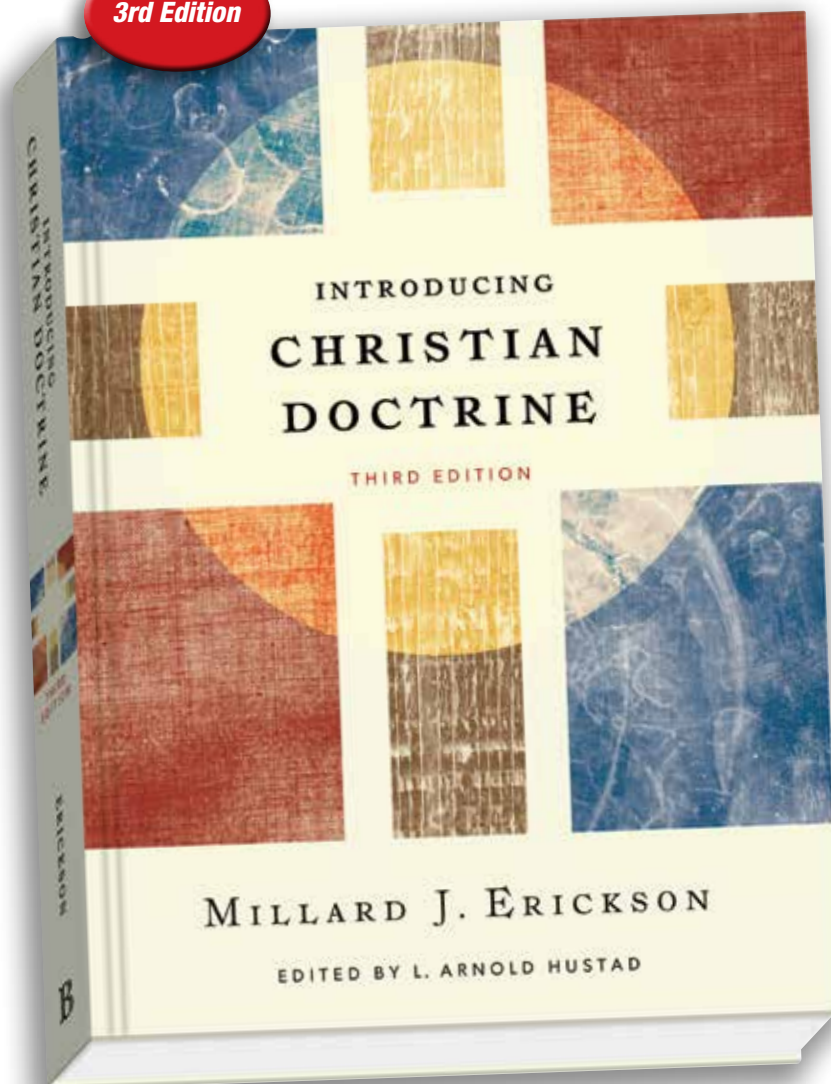
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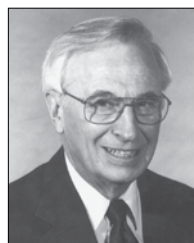
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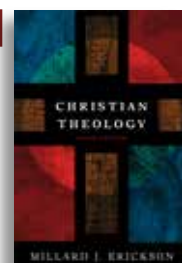
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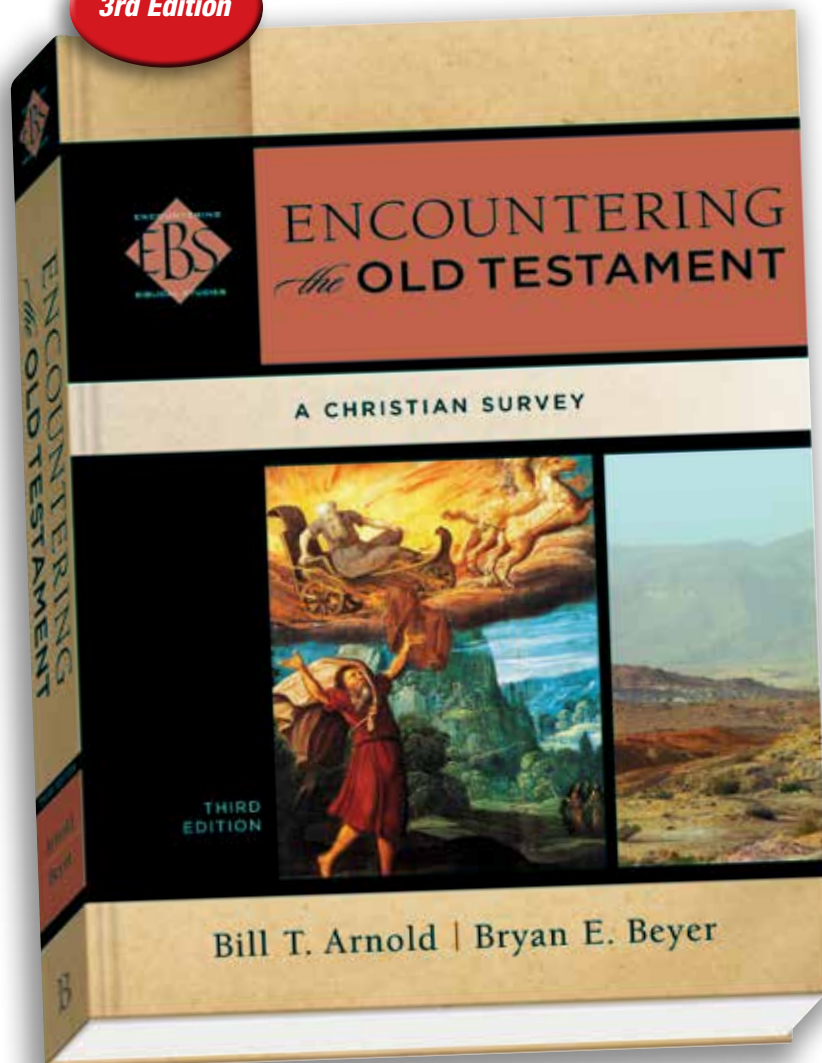
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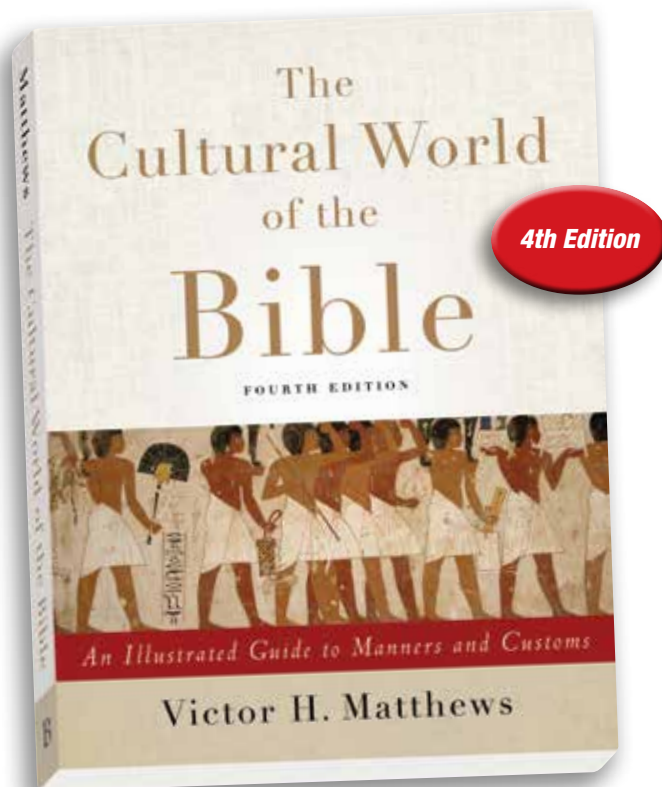
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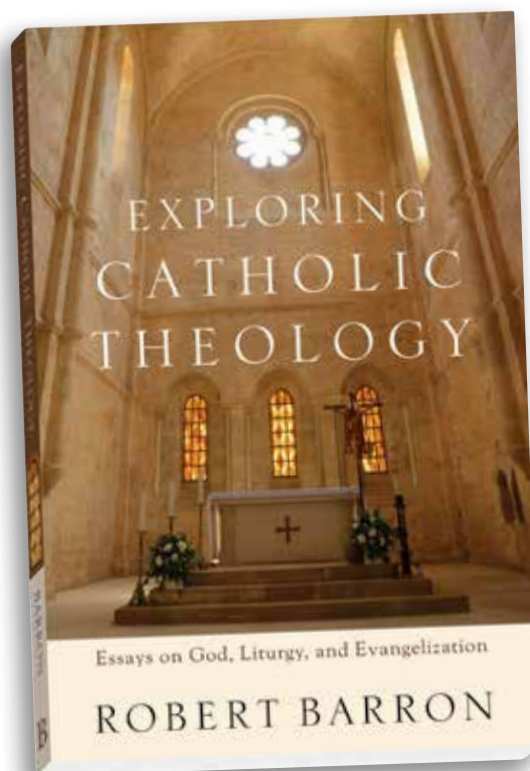
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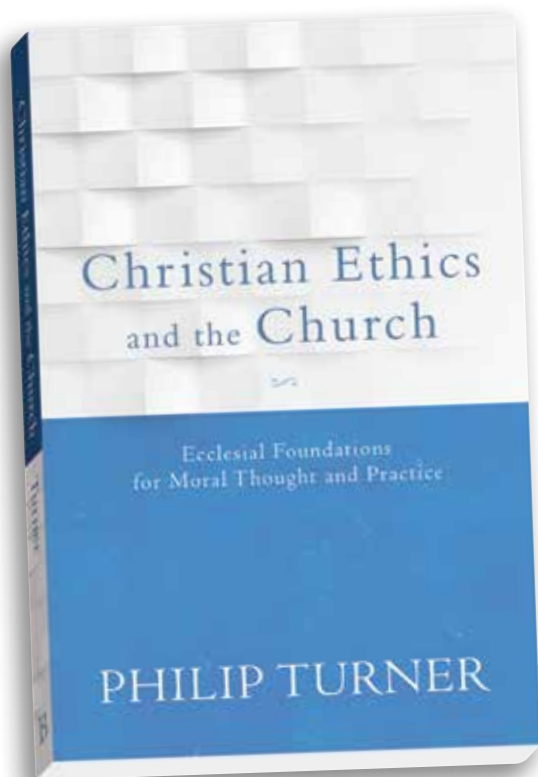
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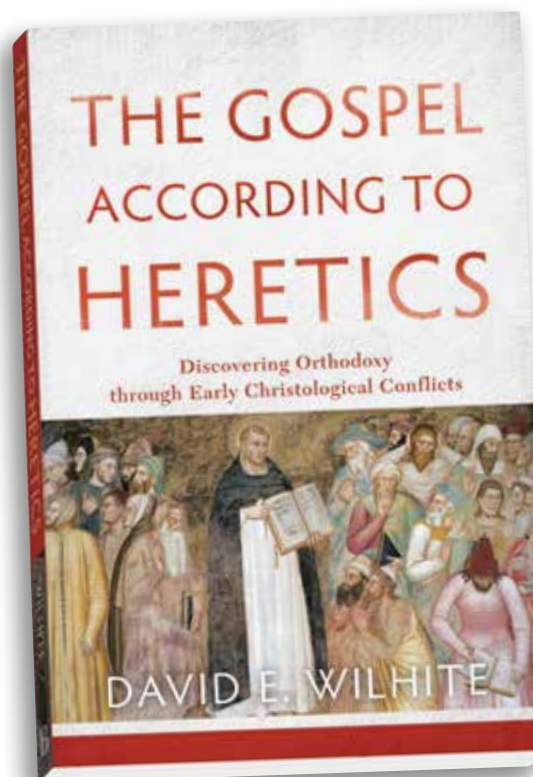
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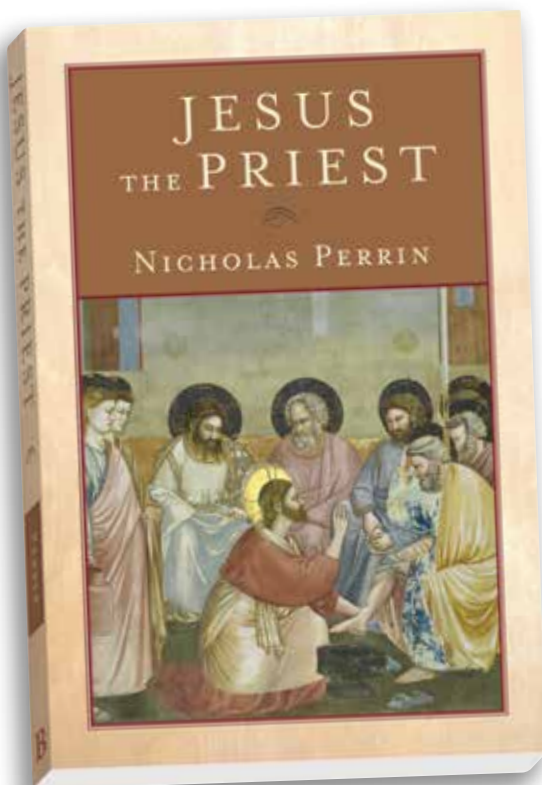
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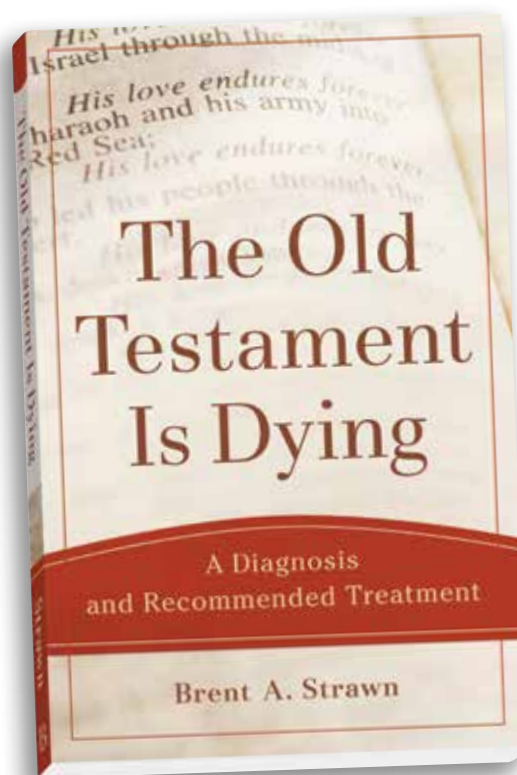
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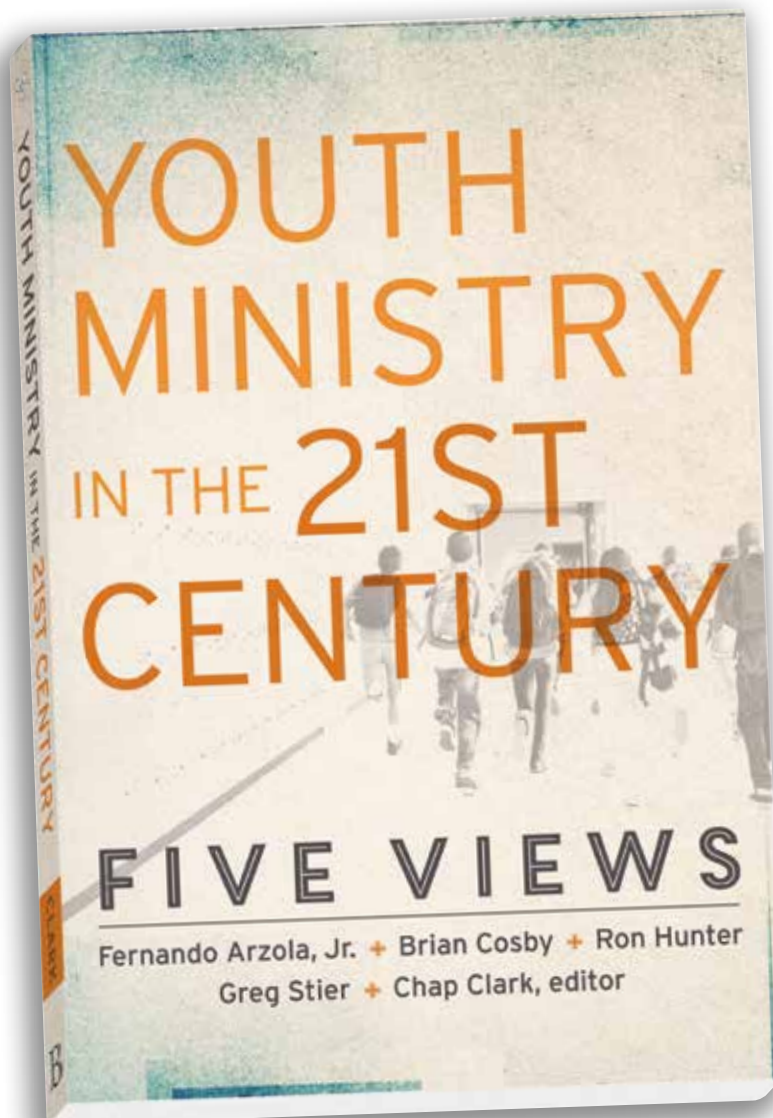
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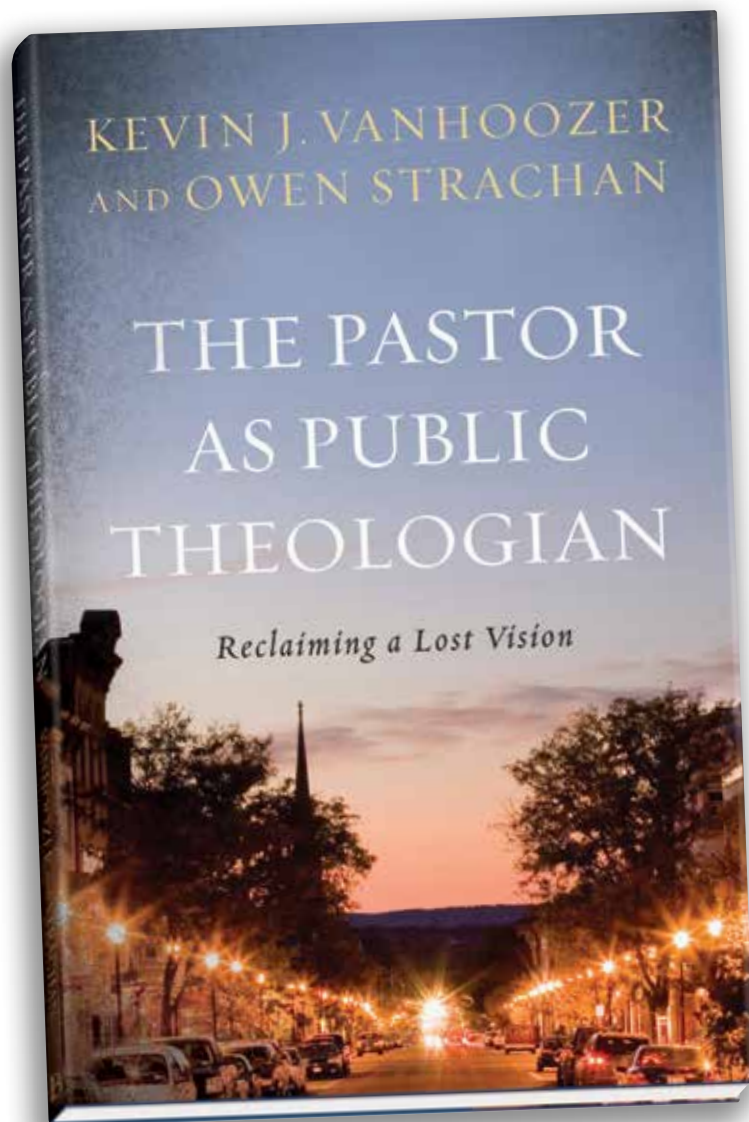


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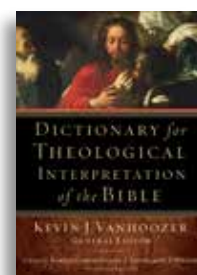
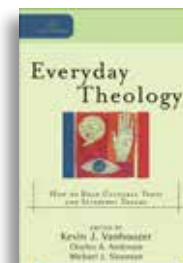
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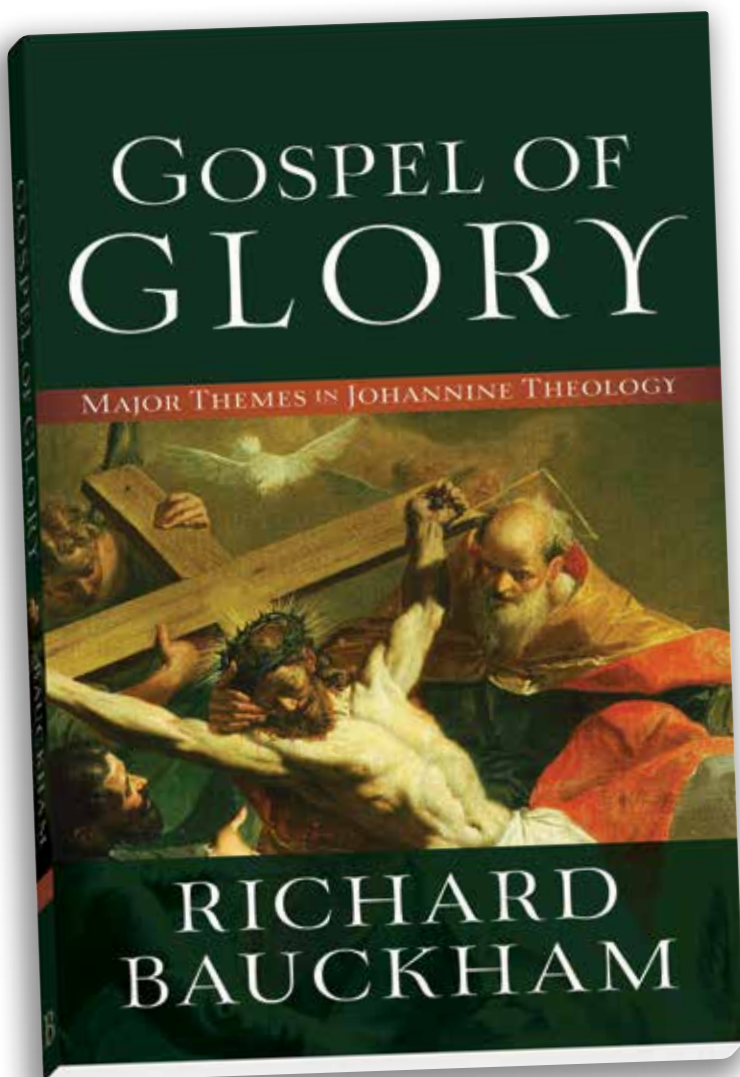
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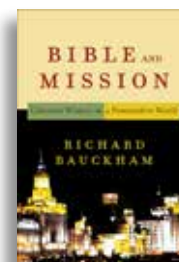
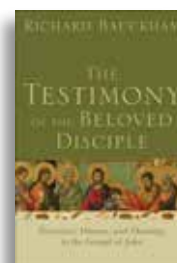
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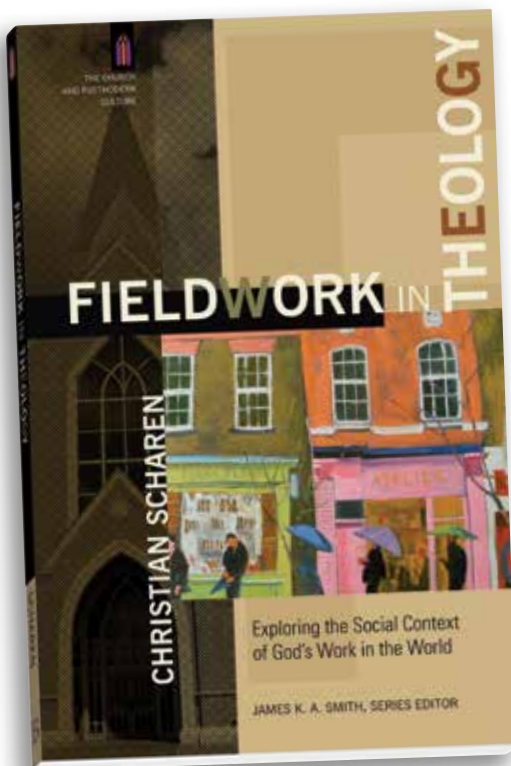
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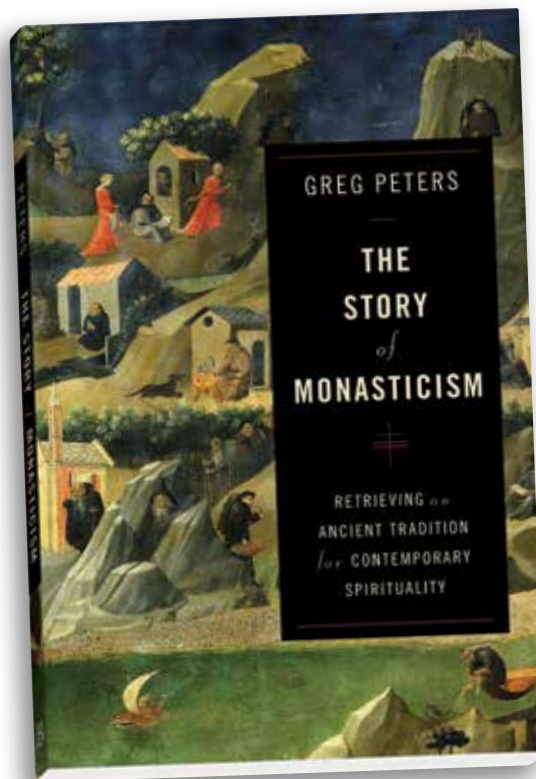
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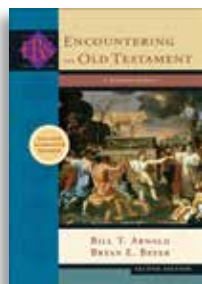
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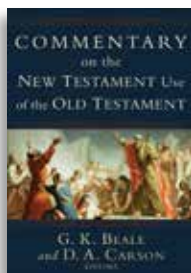
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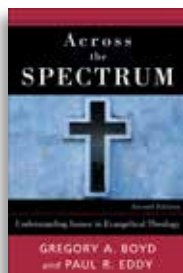




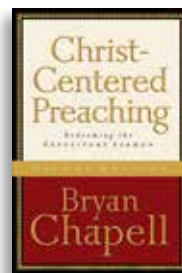
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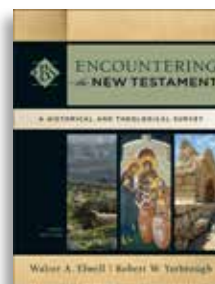
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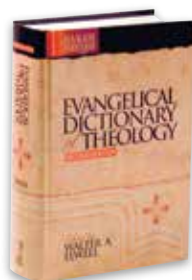
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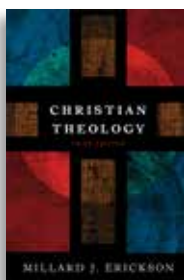
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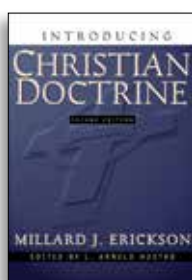
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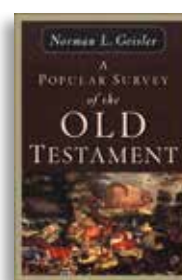
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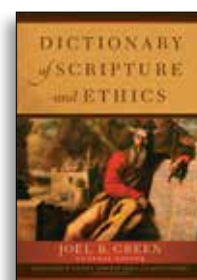
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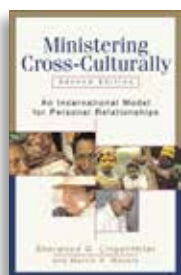
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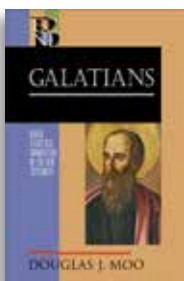
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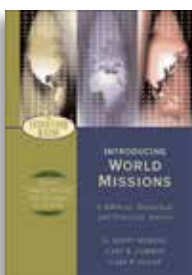
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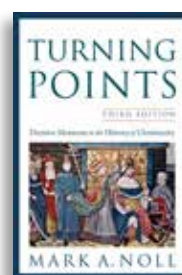
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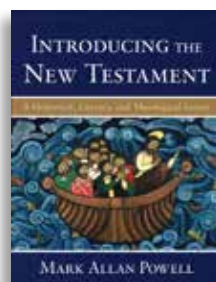
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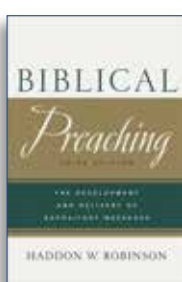
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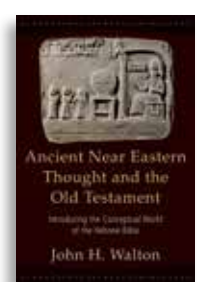
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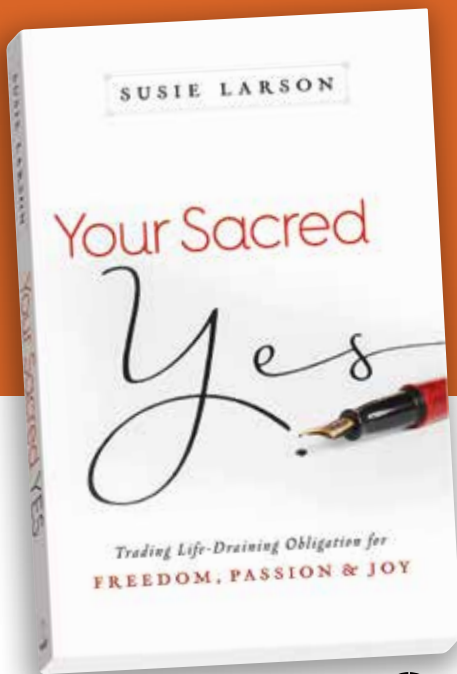
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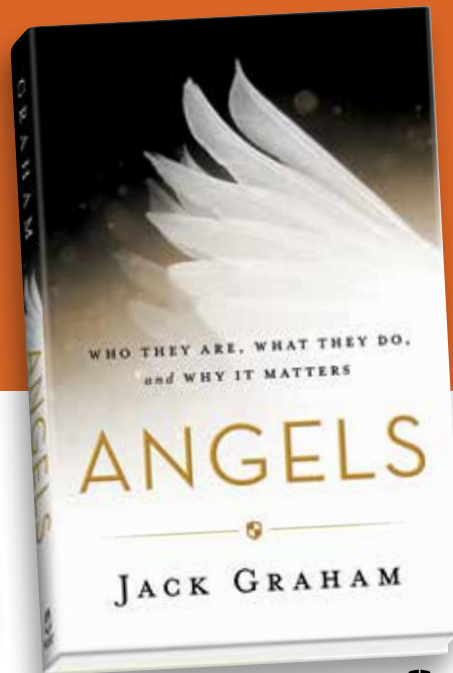
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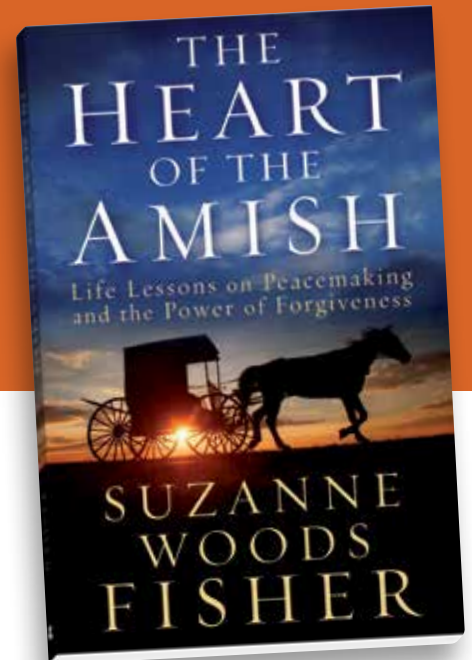
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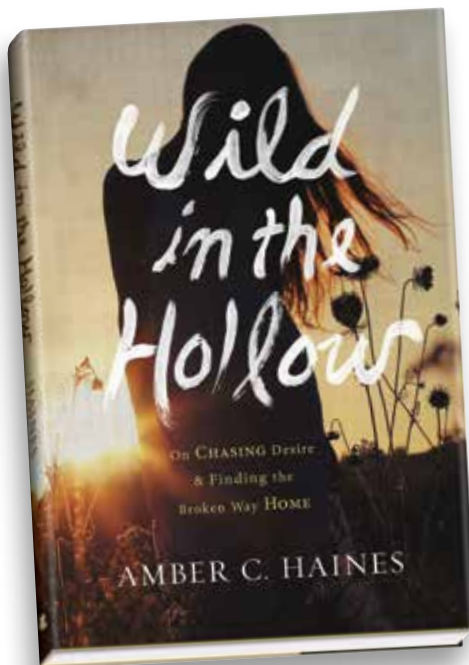
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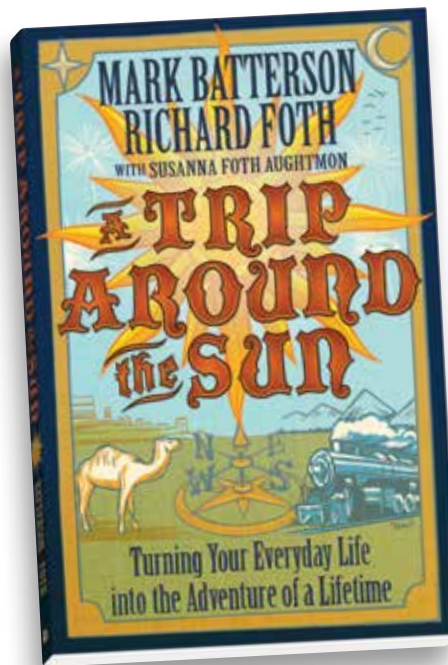
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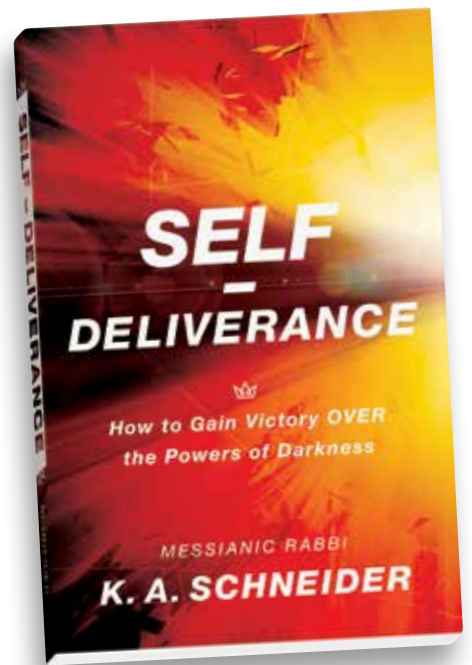
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