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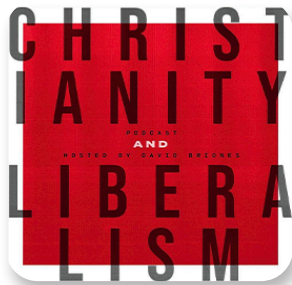
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Celebrating 12 Years of Publishing

Buried deep in the Westminster Seminary Press archives there is a file labeled “J. Gresham Machen, Last Will and Testament.” Why would a copy of Machen’s will be mixed in alongside Press documents? Because Machen loved books—rarely do last wills and testaments have so much to do with them! Stewarding the written word was a significant part of Machen’s legacy, ensuring that publication efforts he cared about continued long after his passing.

I hope that the spirit of that document animates each book Westminster Seminary Press publishes. Although there have been some huge technological leaps since Machen’s death, books remain one of the greatest tools at our disposal for teaching and treasuring the Gospel: true, saving knowledge of Jesus Christ. Our conviction is that a beautiful and timelessly produced book is more likely to be read and cherished, and its impact can be multiplied when passed down from generation to generation. After all, the making of books has historically been a uniquely Christian art form. And so we strive to reflect the beauty and steadfastness of our God even as we choose durable binding materials, print that is easy on the eyes, or attractive cover designs.

In the pages of this catalog, you’ll find the full listing of Westminster Seminary Press’s publications; from our start twelve years ago in 2011, to our most recent book: Richard Gaffin’s *Word & Spirit*. May each of these books remind you of the theme that began Machen’s famous series of talks published in *Things Unseen*:

So we do not lose heart. Though our outer self is wasting away, our inner self is being renewed day by day. For this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal. (2 Cor 4:16–18, ESV)

Josiah Pettit
Director of Publishing

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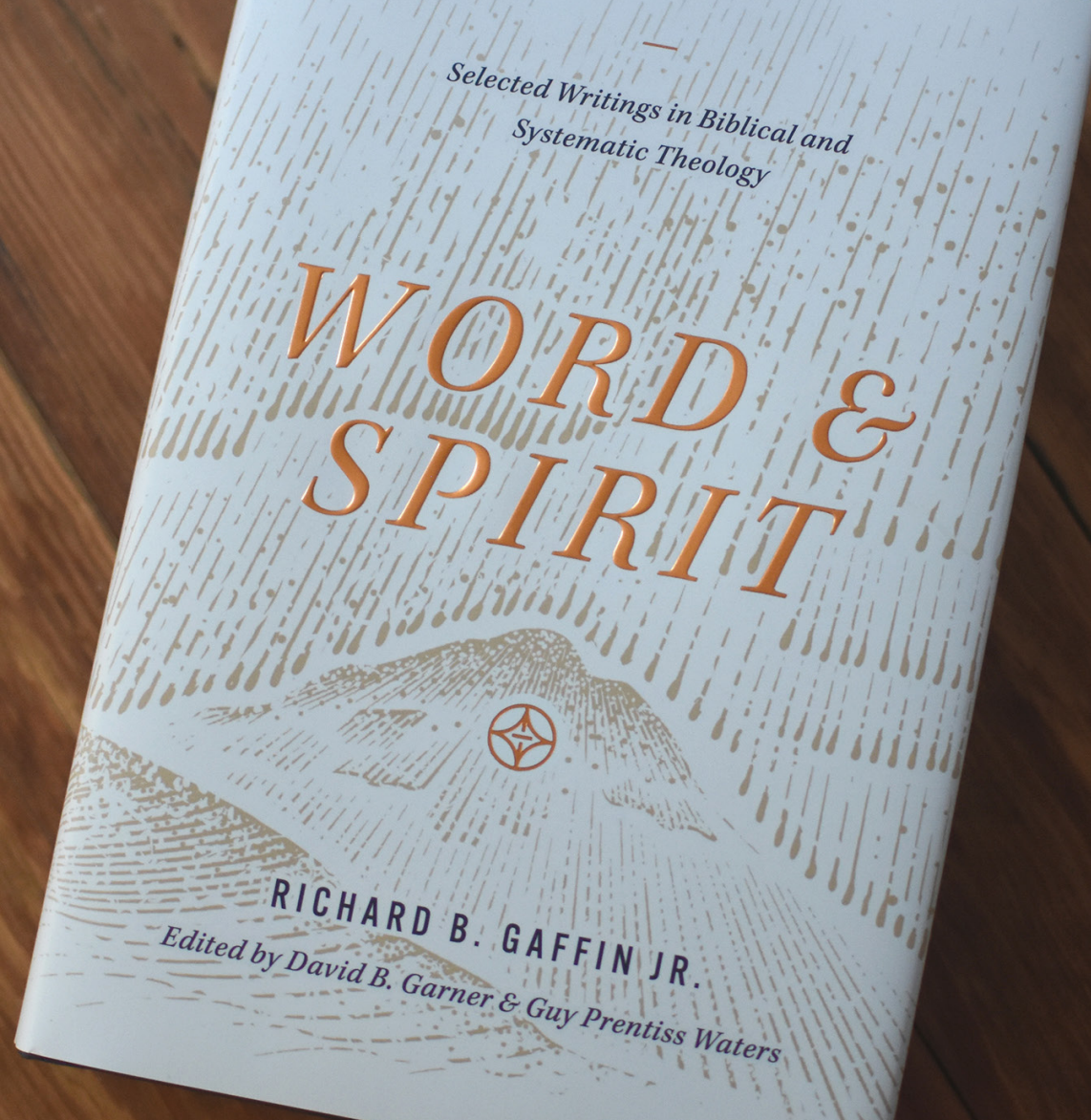
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Word & Spirit

Richard B. Gaffin Jr.

- Edited by David B. Garner & Guy Prentiss Waters
- 800 pages
- Hardcover with Dustjacket
- ISBN 9781955859011
- MSRP \$59.99
- December 2023



Product Description

Few Reformed theologians have exerted the influence in both the church and the academy that Richard B. Gaffin, Jr. has, shaping the theology and spiritual formation of generations of pastors and teachers. A decade in the making, *Word & Spirit* gathers Gaffin's finest works of biblical and systematic theology and arranges them in a singular, organic whole that presents Gaffin's thought and work as comprehensively and clearly as it ever has been. More than 40 essays, articles, and tracts have been compiled, making this collection a must-have for any serious student of theology.

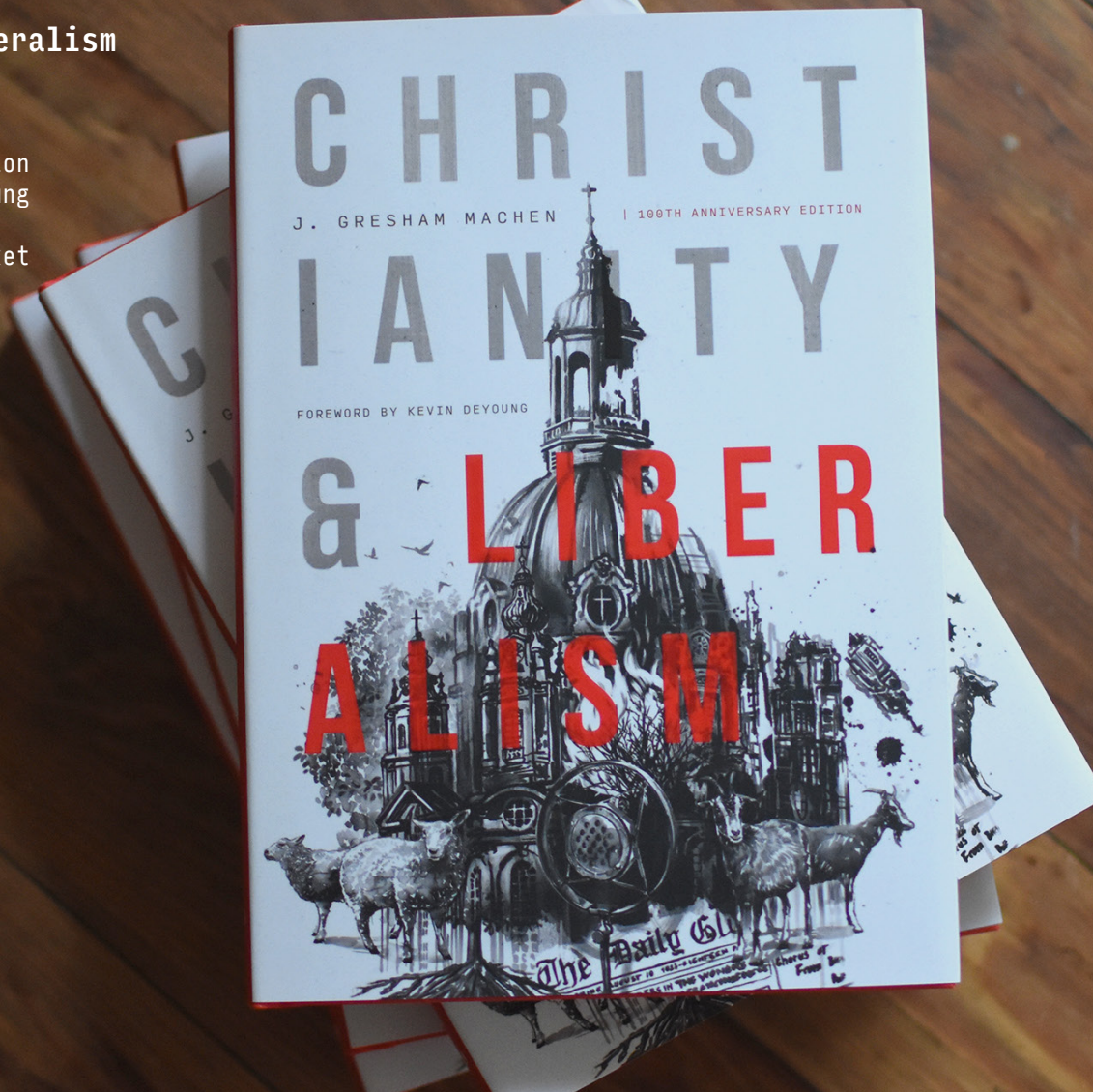
"Here is a virtual symphony of exegesis, biblical theology and systematic reflection of the finest kind, all expressed with a melody line of deep commitment to Christ. It surely belongs to the 'must have' category of books in a minister's library."

-SINCLAIR B. FERGUSON

Christianity & Liberalism

J. Gresham Machen

- 100th Anniversary Edition
- Foreword by Kevin DeYoung
- 224 pages
- Hardcover with Dustjacket
- ISBN 9781955859059
- MSRP \$24.99
- August 2023



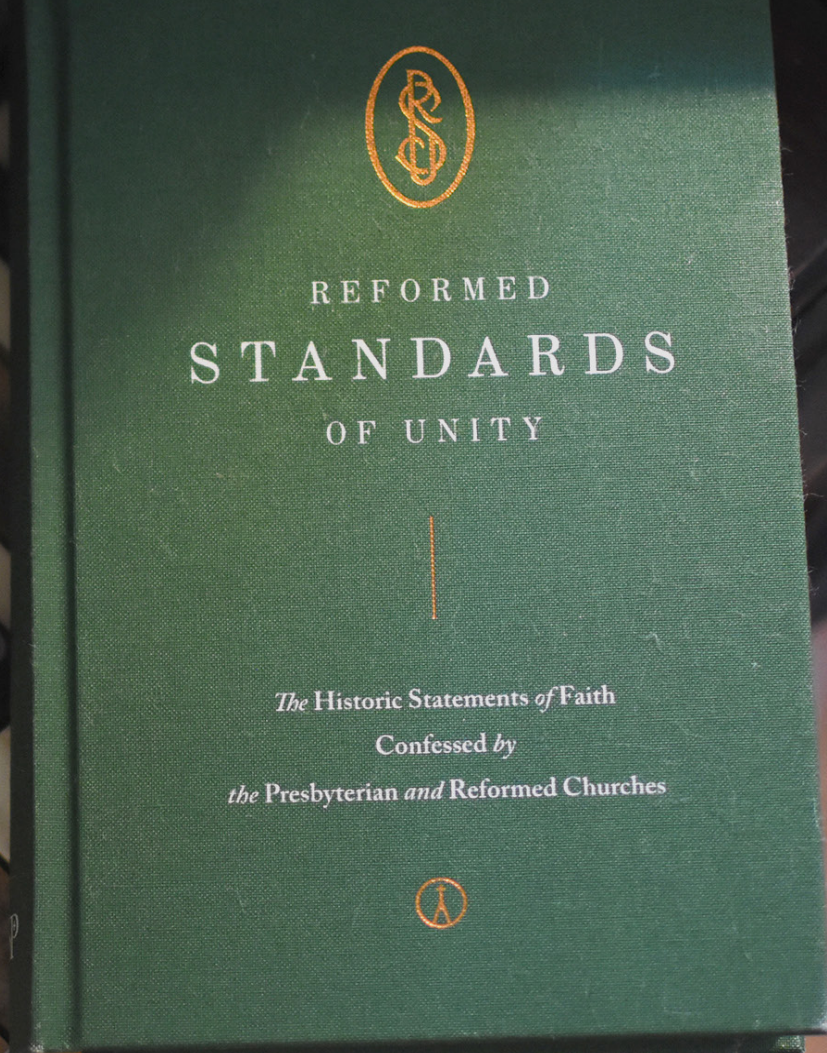
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One of *Christianity Today's* "100 Most Influential Books of the 20th Century", J. Gresham Machen's earnest case for true, biblical faith and communion in Jesus Christ has been read around the world for 100 years. Originally published in 1923, this new edition features a brand-new foreword by Kevin DeYoung and is issued with the hope and prayer that the next century will be celebrated as one of reformation and renewal for Christ's church throughout the world.

"I have read 'Christianity & Liberalism' multiple times for multiple reasons. Each time has been a blessing for my life and ministry. I am astonished at how relevant it is for the challenges facing the reformed church today." **-HARRY L. REEDER III**

Reformed Standards of Unity
Edited by Peter A. Lillback
& Bernard Aubert

- Printed in Italy
- 448 pages
- Clothbound Hardcover
- Ribbon Marker
- ISBN 9781955859066
- MSRP \$39.99
- August 2023



Product Description

This volume contains selected doctrinal documents of the Christian faith as confessed throughout the history of Presbyterian and Reformed churches of Jesus Christ to the present day. Although not equal in authority to inspired revelation, we believe these documents to be faithful summaries of Christian doctrine as taught by Holy Scripture. It is our hope that the quality and portability of this edition, will be useful for supplementing and serving the worship and study of Christ's church.

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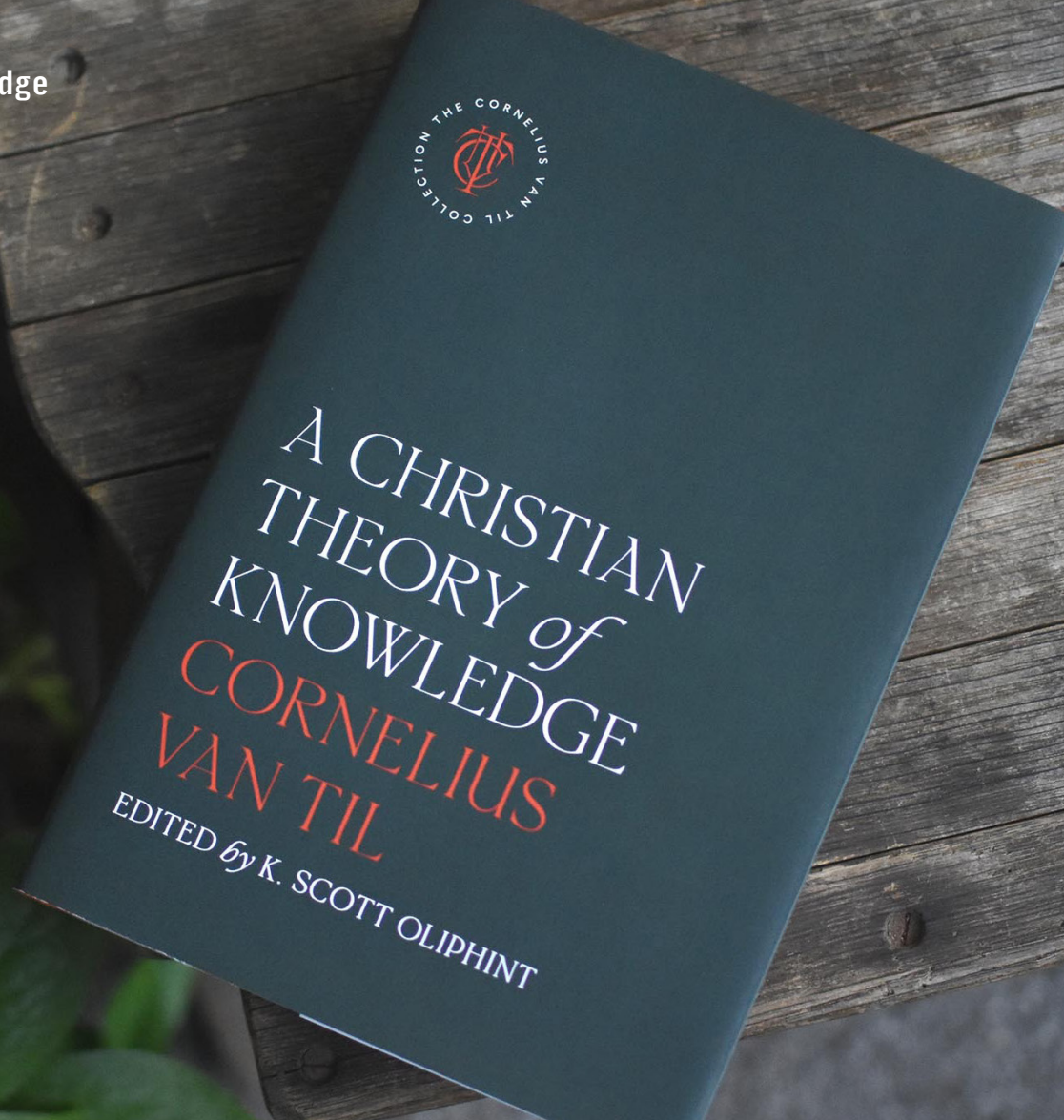
The Westminster Standards: The Westminster Confession of Faith, The Westminster Larger Catechism, and The Westminster Shorter Catechism

The Three Forms of Unity: The Belgic Confession, The Heidelberg Catechism, and The Canons of the Synod of Dort

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A Christian Theory of Knowledge Cornelius Van Til

- Edited by K. Scott Oliphint
- 420 pages
- Hardcover with Dustjacket
- ISBN 9781955859080
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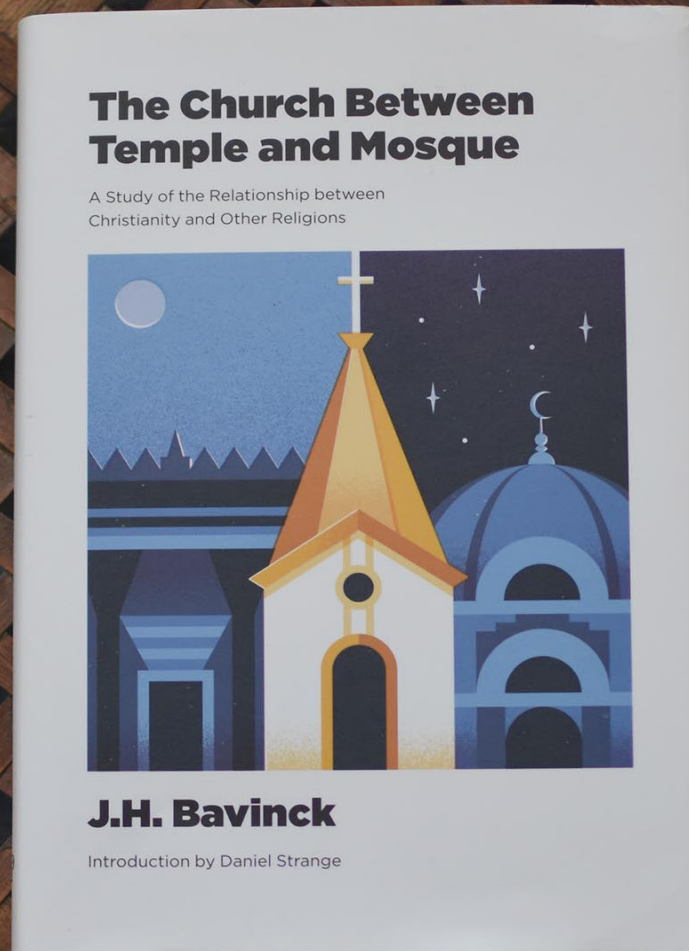
Through a dazzling survey of perspectives—the church fathers, Thomas Aquinas, Herman Bavinck, B. B. Warfield, Oliver Buswell, and others—Van Til expresses a vibrantly Reformed epistemology founded on the Word of God. *A Christian Theory of Knowledge* ranks among Van Til's foremost works, critical to grasping a Reformed covenantal apologetic. Long out of print, this edition has been completely retypeset and furnished with an introduction and helpful annotations by K. Scott Oliphint.

"Every time I revisit his writings I find my conviction reinforced that Cornelius Van Til is the most important and incisive Reformed thinker of the last hundred years. The book makes for a challenging read, but it is replete with profound and illuminating insights." **-JAMES N. ANDERSON**

The Church Between Temple & Mosque

J. H. Bavinck

- Introduction by Daniel Strange
- 240 pages
- Hardcover with Dustjacket
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- MSRP \$32.99
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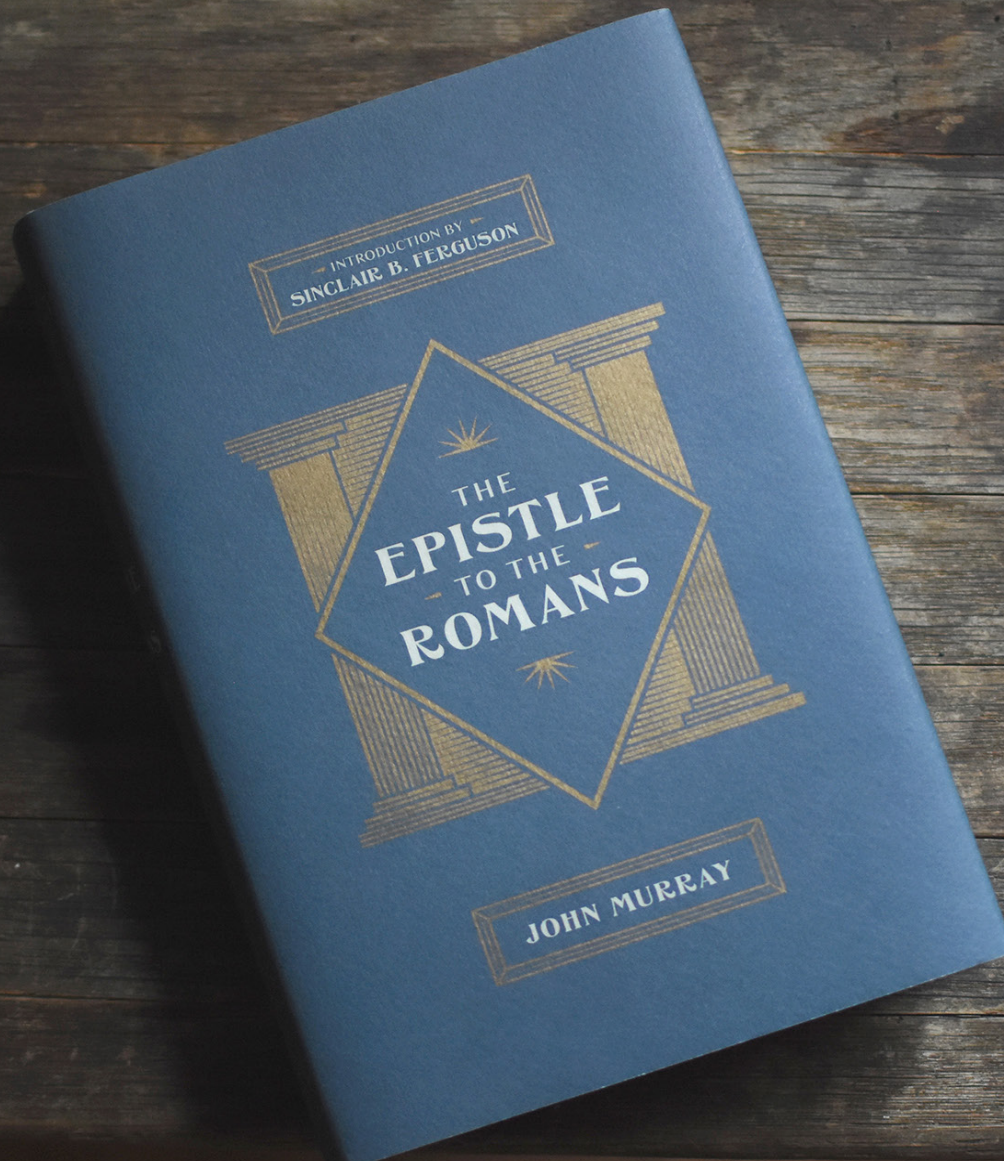
Bavinck's five "magnetic points" (cosmic relationship, religious norm, the riddle of existence, our craving for salvation, and our awareness of a supreme power) are a transformative rubric for bringing Christ to the world, including those identifying as religious "nones." Now for the first time in hardcover, with a luminary introduction by Daniel Strange, a new generation of Christians, pastors, and theologians can benefit from J. H. Bavinck's must-read study of the contrast between Christianity and world religions.

"The little book you are about to read preserved my spiritual sanity. Bavinck draws on a full encyclopedia of exegesis, biblical theology and systematic theology, giving us a rich repository of figures, patterns, and themes to mine." -DANIEL STRANGE

The Epistle to the Romans

John Murray

- Introduction by Sinclair Ferguson
- 688 pages
- Hardcover with Dustjacket
- ISBN 9781955859035
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Product Description

Careful exegetical attention, a robust knowledge of Reformed systematic theology, and an acute awareness of our spiritual needs all mark this staggering work of profound scholarship. Now offered to readers for the first time in a beautifully produced single-volume with updated indexes, our edition features an instructive introduction by Sinclair B. Ferguson illuminating Murray's timeless commentary with insight into how and why it came to be a landmark volume both academically and pastorally.

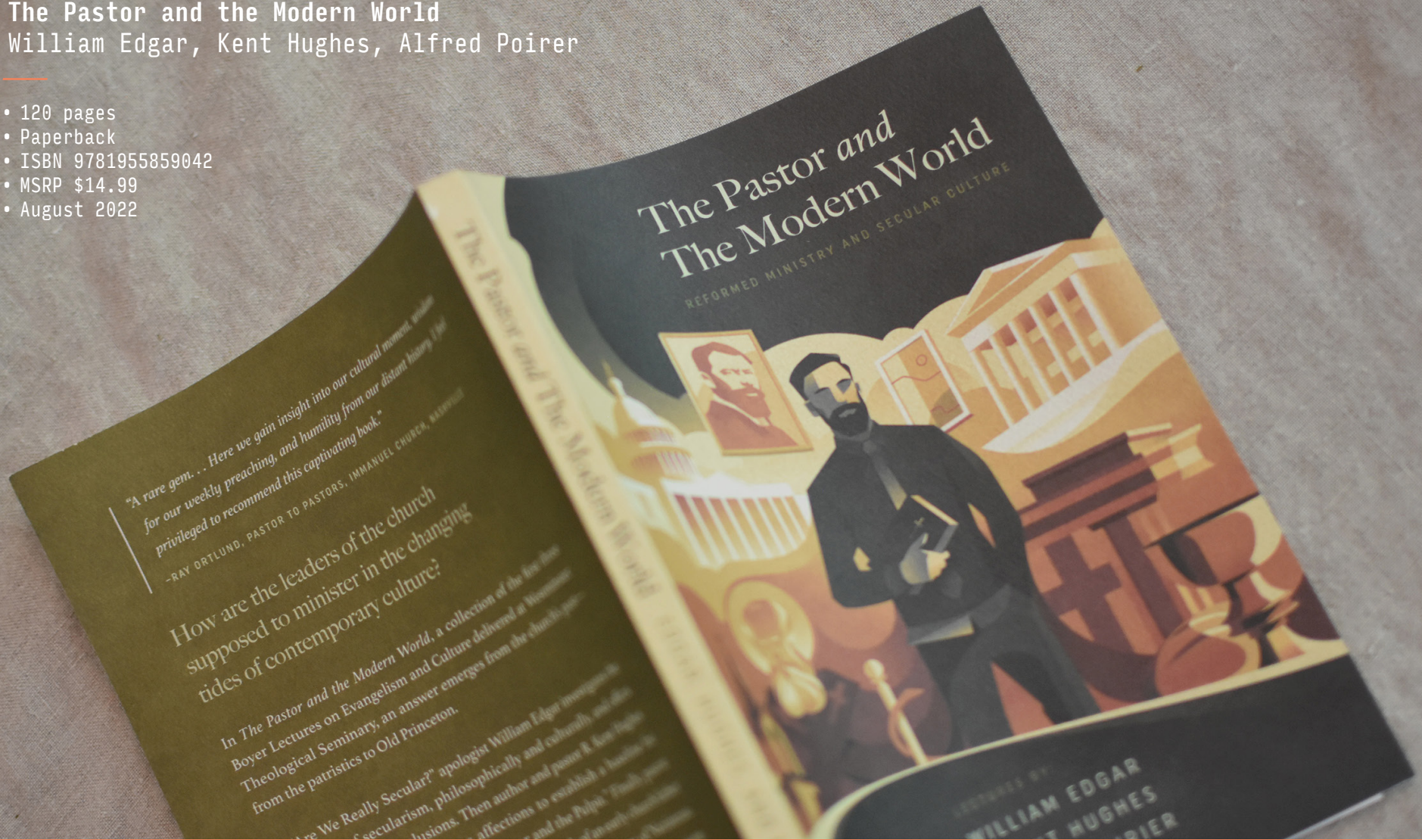
"Murray's commentary is not only an erudite and incisive exposition on one of the most important books in the Bible, it's one of the best theological commentaries on any book of the Bible. This re-published volume will have a prized position in my library."

-KEVIN DEYOUNG

The Pastor and the Modern World

William Edgar, Kent Hughes, Alfred Poirer

- 120 pages
- Paperback
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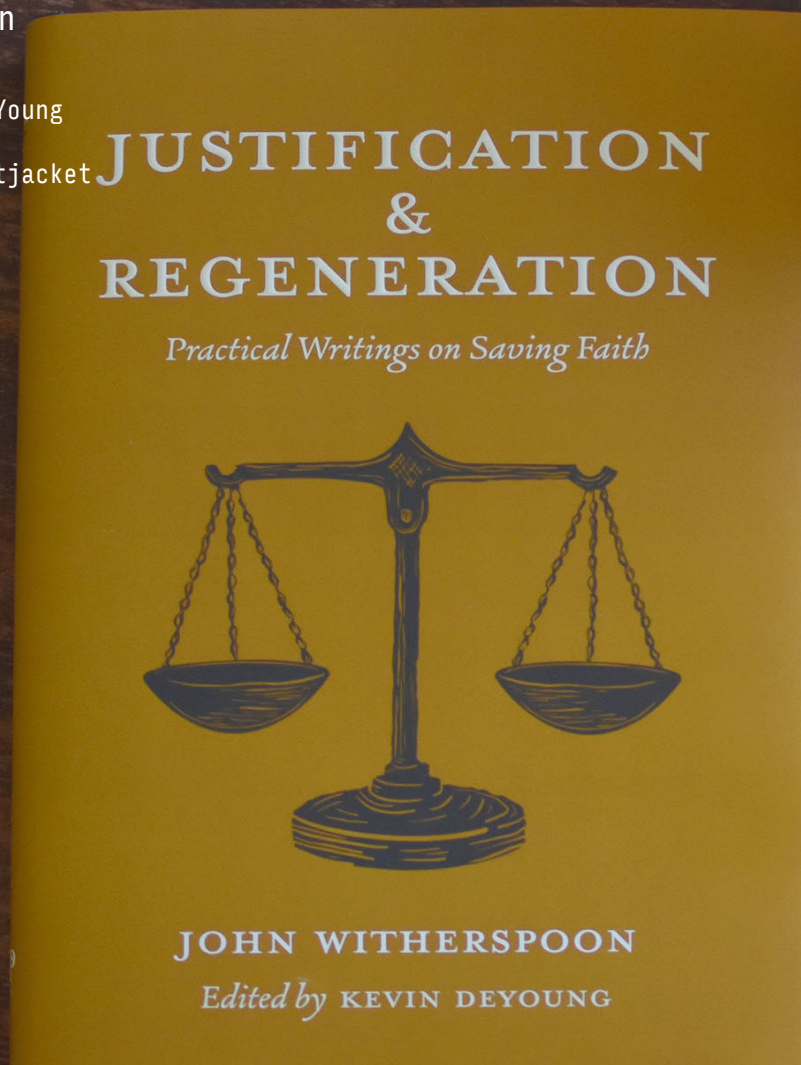
Three seasoned pastor-scholars William Edgar, R. Kent Hughes, and Alfred Poirer come to the aid of today's pastor, bringing their experience to bear on cultural engagement, the craft of preaching, and the care of souls. How has secularism infiltrated culture and the arts, and what is a Christian response to it? How does a pastor prayerfully construct a message that moves the hearts of his congregants? These questions are answered, with many more, in a volume that's sure to encourage pastors to take up their call with fresh enthusiasm and Spirit-led vigilance

"A rare gem...Here we gain insight into our cultural moment, wisdom for our weekly preaching, and humility from our distant history. I feel privileged to recommend this captivating book." **-RAY ORTLUND**

Justification & Regeneration

John Witherspoon

- Edited by Kevin DeYoung
- 207 pages
- Hardcover with Dustjacket
- ISBN 9781955859004
- MSRP \$29.99
- May 2022



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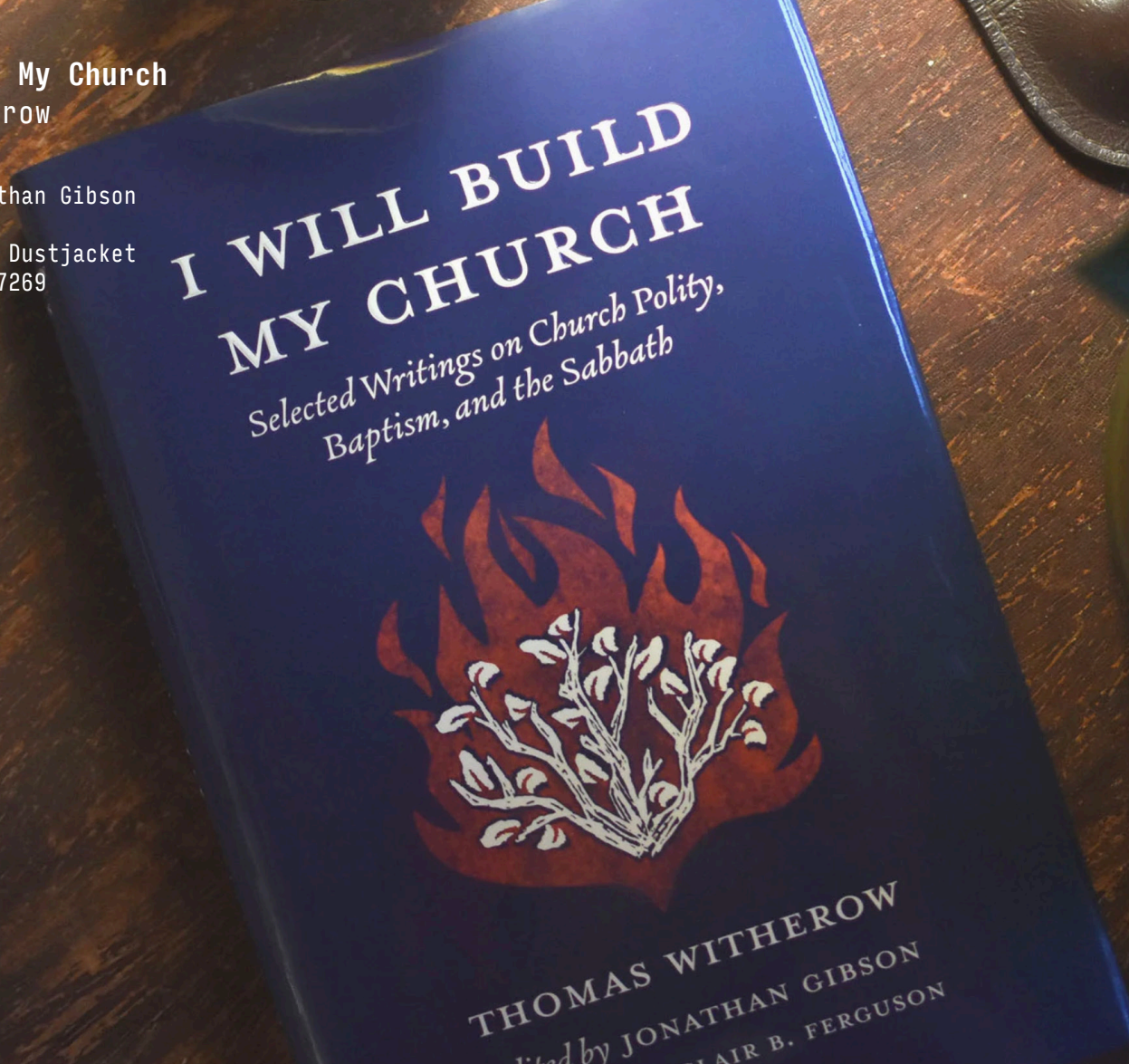
Volume Two of the Library of Presbyterian Classics series includes an introduction to Witherspoon's life and thought by Kevin DeYoung. Healthy doctrines of justification and regeneration have always been essential to the Christian's faith and knowledge of God. In the context of 18th century Great Britain and its American Colonies, few treatments were as highly regarded as John Witherspoon's *An Essay on Justification* and *A Practical Treatise on Regeneration*, both reprinted in this volume.

"We associate Witherspoon mostly with his immense contribution to the American republic. Thanks to Kevin DeYoung, we can now see him also as a premier Reformed theologian defending biblical doctrine in a context not so different from our own. I am thrilled that these accessible essays can have a fresh impact today." **-MICHAEL HORTON**

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Thomas Witherow

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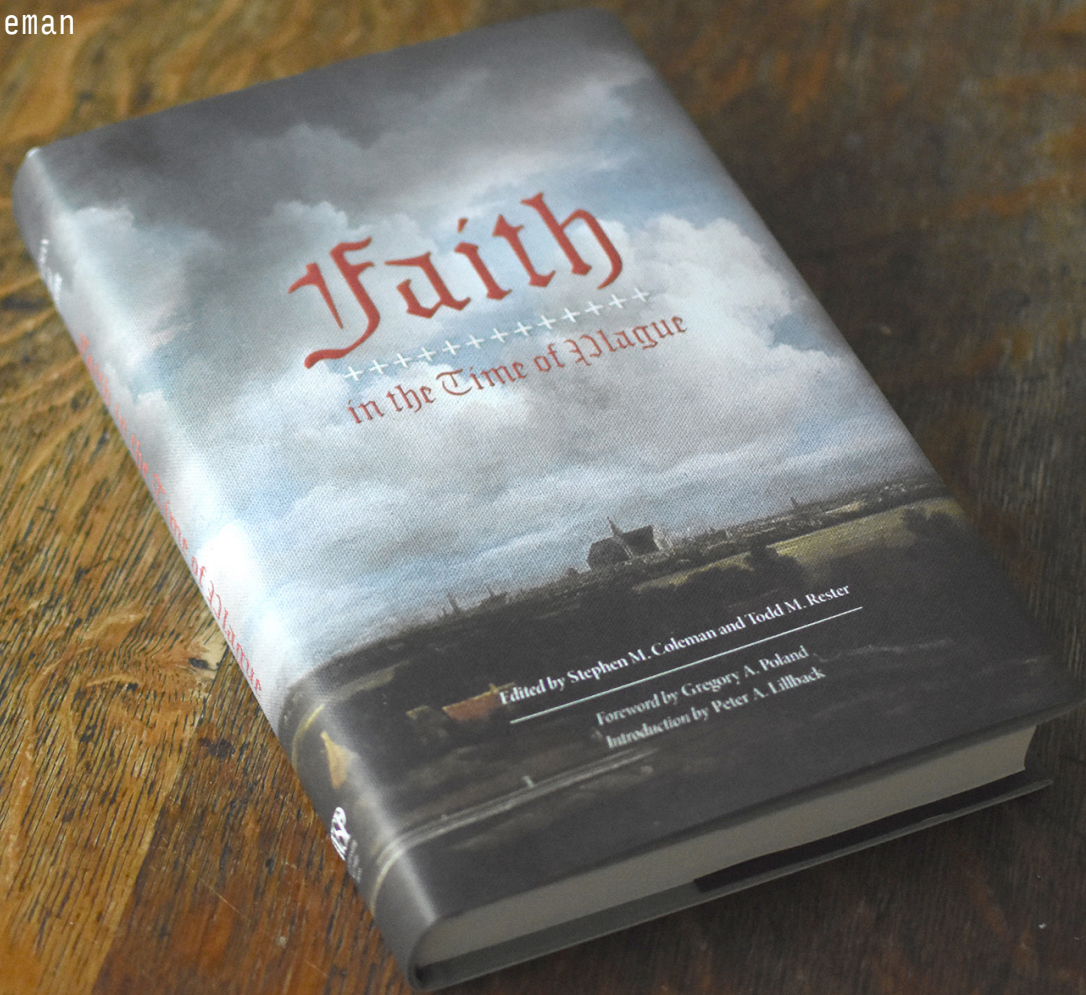
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"Witherow's name ought to be better known than it is...In an age when Christianity is being seduced by the shallow mantras of modernity, Witherow will help to recalibrate your thinking on truths that belong to the heart of the Christian faith and the health of the Christian church." **-IAN HAMILTON**

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Edited by Todd Rester & Stephen Coleman

- Foreword by Gregory A. Poland
- 400 pages
- Hardcover with Dustjacket
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- September 2021



Product Description

Selecting from the great “plague writings” of the historic church, Todd M. Rester and Stephen M. Coleman have translated and assembled a one-of-a-kind anthology. The wisdom of the past collected in this book offers much needed and trustworthy illumination for pastors, leaders, and laypeople in times of crisis and uncertainty. Many of the works appearing in *Faith in the Time of Plague* have never been available in English until now.

“Acutely pertinent to our ‘right now’ this book matters—and matters greatly. I wish it could be required reading for every pastor, every theologian, every church member, every public health official, and every physician.” **-GREGORY A. POLAND**

Things Unseen: A Systematic Introduction to the Christian Faith & Reformed Theology J. Gresham Machen

- Foreword by Sinclair B. Ferguson
- Introduction by Timothy Keller
- Afterword by Richard B. Gaffin Jr.
- 448 pages
- Hardcover with Dustjacket
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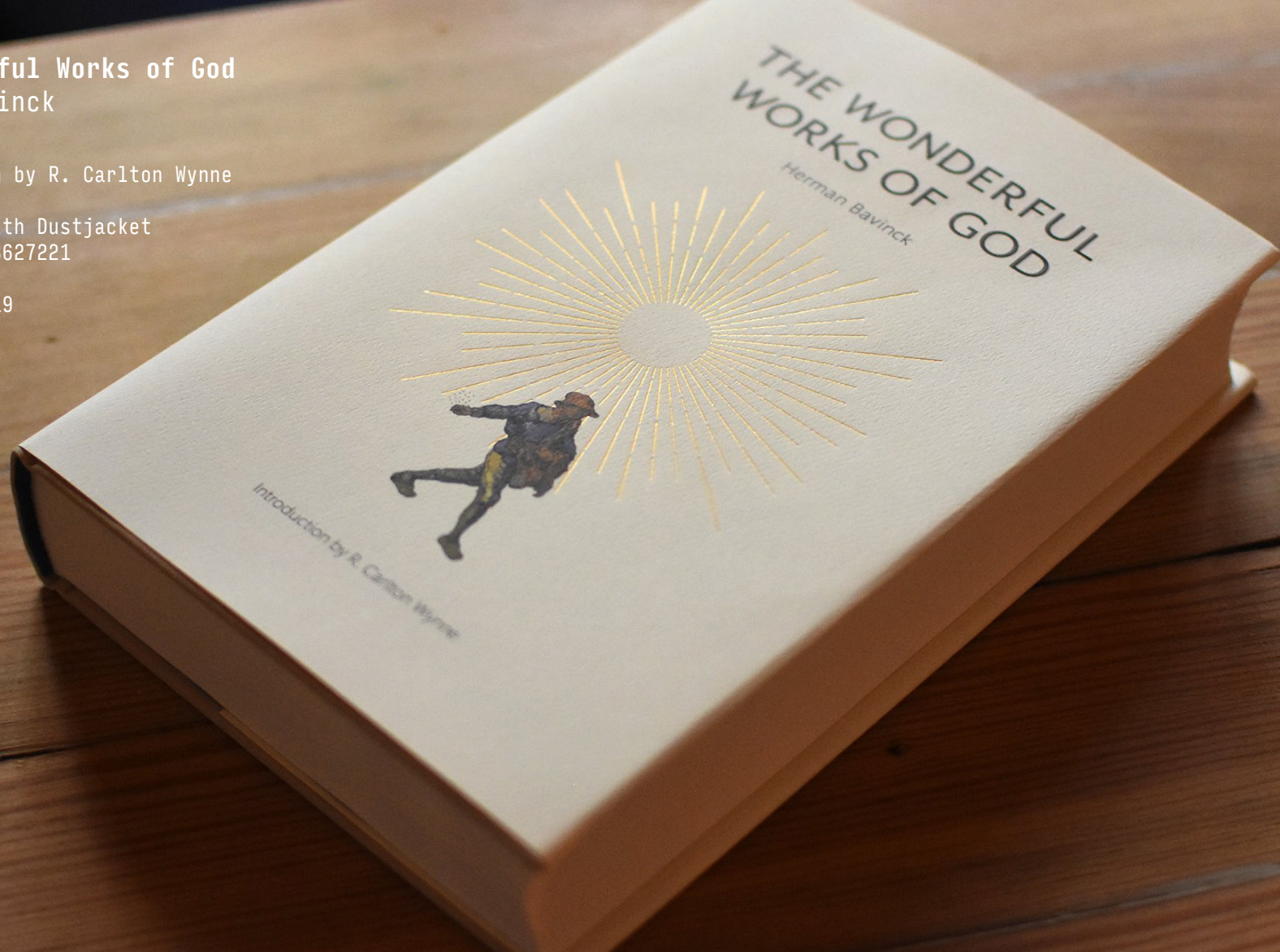
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On a Sunday afternoon in 1935, J. Gresham Machen stepped into a broadcast booth at WIP Radio in Philadelphia and began something no one had tried before: teaching Reformed theology over the radio. In the vein of C.S. Lewis's landmark "Mere Christianity" talks, Machen's addresses are a crystal-clear articulation of the basics of the Christian faith, unfolding into an exceptional and persuasive explanation of Reformed theology. *Things Unseen* is both an accessible systematic theology, and a masterclass in evangelistic apologetics.

"Here is theology that floats like a butterfly and stings like a bee. In these essays Machen defends biblical doctrine with punch and quite stunning verve. Fresh, enlightening, and logically compelling, this is not only good theology but a model of good apologetics." **-MICHAEL REEVES**

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- 695 pages
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- ISBN 9781733627221
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110 years after its original publication, *The Wonderful Works of God* remains one of the finest single-volume systematic theologies ever written. Adapting the magisterial systematic theology found in his four-volume *Reformed Dogmatics*, this is perhaps Bavinck's most eminently practical work – a single, accessible volume for the college classroom and the family bookshelf. Previously published as *Our Reasonable Faith*, this book has had a deep and lasting influence on the growth and development of Reformed theology.

"Bavinck's own abridgement of his monumental *Reformed Dogmatics*...Here is a book that belongs in the libraries of every church, pastor, teacher, and student of theology."

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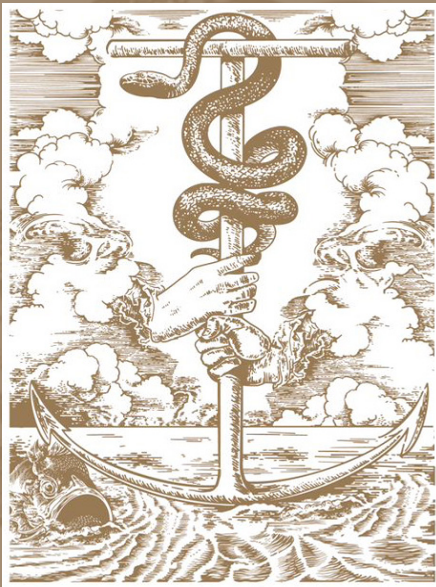
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