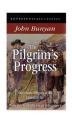
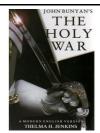
## **COLLEGE CLASS RECOMMENDED READING**



The Pilgrim's Progress - The classic allegory of the Christian life

An allegorical account of Christian's journeys towards the Celestial City from the City of Destruction.



Mrs Jenkins' modern version is back in print again after a number of years. First issued in 1976, this is a highly successful modernisation, showing deep respect for the details



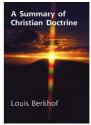
It is in this classic work that Spurgeon most clearly present the message of salvation—man's ultimate need and God's unique provision—both simply and sincerely, for honest seekers and zealous witnesses alike.



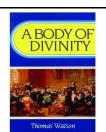
Pleading with those with some knowledge of the Gospel message, but unconverted. Spurgeon deals with the seeker's hindrances and fears, urging them on to full trust. A model for Christian workers and excellent for prescribing. Every pastor and Christian worker should have read this.



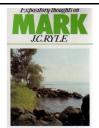
Eighty-six pages of typical Ryle direct, vigorous, logical and stirring. It has five chapters: Reasons for Exhorting Young Men; Special Dangers Facing Young Men (hitting the target perfectly); General Counsels to Young Men; Special Rules for Young Men; Concluding Encouragements. This is ideal for giving to teens and twenties, who will certainly respect Ryle's forthright and fatherly tone.



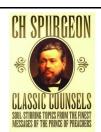
Berkhof's 'Systematic Theology' greatly summarised and helpfully subdivided. Provides passages for memorisation and questions for review at the end of each chapter. Excellent for group study.



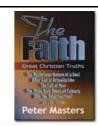
This classic is still the best way to obtain a bird's-eye view of the faith. There are constant devotional and practical applications making this a fine survey of all the key doctrines. Of all the Puritans, Watson's style is the briefest and most 'modern'. Ideal for study groups, and for all ages.



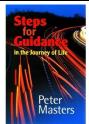
It would be hard to improve on this series for launching new believers into the habit of personal Bible study. Full of application, a spiritual tonic for older believers, and a great lesson in communication for message-preparers. Matthew and Mark lack the additional 'explanatory notes' found in Luke and John, and are generally shorter.



A selection of edited messages suitable for our time. Some were originally given to the Tabernacle Prayer Meeting, and are missed by other selections of Spurgeon sermons. Topics included are: obtaining certain assurance; help for doubting seekers; encouraging outsiders and advising seekers; relief for the downcast; developing faith; the Christian and places of entertainment; and others.



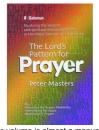
This is a popular, non-technical sweep through key themes of the Christian faith, highlighting very many inspiring and enlivening points. It often takes an oblique and unusual approach to a topic in order to bring out the full wonder and significance. It is designed to be enjoyed by seasoned Christians, and also by all who want to explore the great features of the faith, and discover the life of the soul.



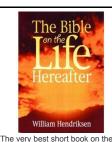
This book presents the time-honoured, scriptural view that Christians must seek God's will in all the major decisions of life, such as career, marriage, location, and church. Six essential steps are traced from the Bible, and principles are given on additional practical issues such as possessions and leisure activities; ambition and wealth; joining or leaving a church. Here is a strong challenge to authentic Christian commitment, with an abundance of pastoral advice.



Taken at face value the Ten Commandments are binding on all people, and will guard the way to Heaven. But the Commandments are far greater than their surface meaning, as this book shows. They challenge us as Christians on a wide range of deeds and attitudes, providing positive virtues as goals. And they give immense help for staving close to the Lord in our walk and worship. The Commandments are vital for godly living and for greater blessing, but we need to enter into the panoramic view they provide of the standards and goals for redeemed people.



This volume is almost a manual on prayer, providing a real spur to the devotional life. The Lord's own plan and agenda for prayer carefully amplified - takes us into the presence of the -Father, to prove the privileges and power of God's promises to those who pray. Chapters cover each petition of the Lord's Prayer Here, too, are sections on remedies for problems in prayer, how to intercede for others, the reasons why God keeps us waiting for answers, and the nature of the prayer of faith.



The very best short book on the afterlife, Heaven, the Lords return, and all related issues. Light and comfort is here for all Christians.





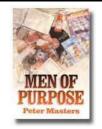
One of the most fascinating aspects of the Bible is its unity. While many authors contributed to it, all their writings are connected with one theme. That one theme is the redemption of sinful men and women through the work of the Lord Jesus Christ. A shorter way of stating this theme is 'Paradise lost and regained.' This is the aim of this guide; to provide an overview of

the entire Scriptures taking one

book at a time.



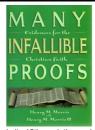
Contrasts the two world views resulting from evolution or Genesis-creation. A popular introduction to the evolution-creation issue suited to Christian sixth-formers and students, with numerous cartoon illustrations.



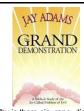
A companion volume to 'Men of Destiny'. Eleven well-loved lives and testimonies including pioneer scientists Faraday, Clerk Maxwell and Lord Kelvin, along with food magnate Henry Heinz, ex-brewery heir Fred Charrington and others.



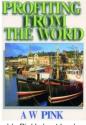
Fourteen outstanding lives with testimonies to the saving grace of God. Includes a tsar, an Antarctic explorer, the discoverer of chloroform and historical figures from Alfred the Great to General Dobbie of Malta. Highly suitable as a gift to unconverted friends and to enrich sermons and Bible Class messages.



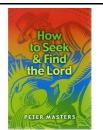
Now in its 15th reprinting and newly revised, this ranges across sumerous scientific evidences for the veracity of the Christian faith. A great source of answers for numerous questions posed by Bible critics. Packed with information, suitable as the basis for young people's and student meetings.



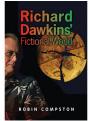
Why is there sin, rape, disease, war, pain and death in a good God's World? Every Christian asks—but rarely receives an answer. This book penetrates deeply into scriptural teaching regarding the nature of God. Moving into territory others fear to tread, Jay Adams maintains that a fearless acceptance of biblical truth solves the so called "problem of evil."



Arguably Pink's best book. Shows the effect of Bible reading (rightly done) on the believer's attitude to sin, God, prayer, good works, obedience, the world, the promises, joy and love. A clear, stirring book for all readers, and good for group study. Excellent for young believers.



Intended for seekers, emphasises that there is only one way of salvation, and explains the kind of belief which brings one to find the Lord.



Richard Dawkins' book The God Delusion has sold in millions, attacking the God of the Bible with a ferocity not seen since the heyday of aggressive communism. But these assaults contain numerous mistakes, as many noted reviewers have pointed out. In this brief and readable response, Robin Compston exposes with exceptional clarity major mistakes, and at the same time shows the reality and value of the faith under attack. The author is a systems architect who also heads an outreach team at the Metropolitan Tabernacle in central London



Subtitled - The Need for Self-Understanding. This is intended to help readers from mid-teenage to late twenties to understand the source of the inner rebellion that urges everyone away from God in the 'second quarter' of life.



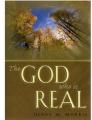
What is the mysterious faculty of conscience, and how does it function? What happens when it is abused, or attempts are made to reprogramme it? Points to the only way of 'purging' the conscience. Easy reading and evangelistic.



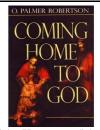
Often when people are convinced of the need for conversion to Christ they experience difficulty in seeking and finding Him as Saviour. This booklet answers ten problems encountered by serious seekers. These are not questions or doubts about the faith, but personal hindrances in approaching Christ, by faith. Many seekers have been helped by the advice given here.



Articles include: Where Did Life Begin? The Mystery of Time; Is Death a Conscious Experience? Check Your Health! (a spiritual health check); Waveband of the Soul (an article on how to pray).



Dr Morris here aims at helping believers make use of basic apologetic reasoning. He writes as though addressing unconverted people, so providing a helpful example. A lively, suggestive book, for all ages and levels of reader. Good for group study.



This is a 75-page evangelistic book addressed to an unconverted, perhaps thoughtful seeking reader. It is based on the parable of the prodigal son. With many illustrations and gentle arguments the reader is persuaded to return to God. Recommended.



The famous sermon on the wrath of God in store for those who do not repent. The editor has updated the language whilst preserving the graphic intensity of the original.



Great arguments showing doubters why they should believe. A teaching model for speakers and good for prescribing.

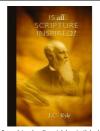


Subtitled - An Illustrated Account of 20 Centuries of Christ's Power. Provides an overview of the significant events in church history up to the end of the nineteenth century. Full of illustrations. An excellent introduction to church history.

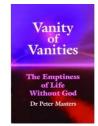


Proof of Creation." But is there such a thing? There are many books that contain seemingly powerful arguments for biblical creation. But is there an ultimate proof of creation? There is an argument for creation that is powerful, conclusive, and has no true rebuttal. As such, it is an irrefutable argument – an "ultimate proof" of the Christian worldview biblical creation. Master the method outlined in the following chapters, and you will be able to defend Christianity

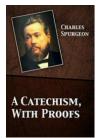
against all opposition.



Brief and typically strident, this is the introductory item in the author's Old Paths, and makes an ideal small book for young believers.



Presents the experience of King Solomon, who experimented with every conceivable kind of pleasure, and concluded that life is pointless and predictable, unless people seek and find the Lord God, and know His power and quidance in their lives.

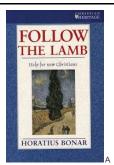


Comprising 82 questions, Charles Spurgeon's A Catechism, With Proofs blends the Westminster Shorter Catechism of 1647 with the Baptist Catechism of 1677. The "Prince of Preachers" offers us a concise orthodox treatment of foundational doctrines in the format of questions and answers (complete with Scripture proofs).

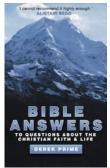


C. H. Spurgeon was one of the most widely published ministers of the Victorian era. Sales of his books run into many millions. He had a gift for speaking the language of the man-in-the street and presenting Christian truth in a way that captured the

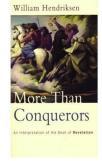
way that captured the imagination. Two of his publications of this type are here combined into one volume. Both are funny, pointed and profound in their content. They give answers to the common questions of the day on doctrine and behaviour as explained by a ploughman to his wayward audience. Also contains illustrations included in the original editions of the both books. Spurgeon was a formidable communicator - read him at his best!



19th-century little book, lively and helpful today. For new converts/young believers.
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This world-famous commentary on Revelation explains the seven 'panoramic' views of world and church events between Christ's first and second comings. Dr Hendriksen was particularly noted for his ability to translate great scholarship into friendly prose. First issued in 1939, this acclaimed work has been kept in print ever since by popular demand. For all readers.