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The Joy Of Discovering God In Our Lives FaithWords

The Christian faith offers people hope. But how can we know that Christianity is true? How can Christians confidently present their beliefs in the face of doubts and competing views? In this second edition of a landmark apologetics text, Douglas Groothuis makes a clear and rigorous case for Christian theism, addressing the most common questions and objections raised regarding Christianity.

Finding God in The Shack Zondervan

Did the Big Bang create the universe? Did life start by chance, all without a cause? Does God exist? New discoveries in science are now pointing to the need for a Creator to explain the unexplainable. Science is observing that many features of our universe could not have happened purely by chance. Despite the academic dominance of philosophical naturalism and materialism, many scientists are bravely putting forth the God Hypothesis as an alternate theory to the origin of the universe. Yet many students are being bombarded by unbiblical theories when they go to school, and they are thus losing their faith in God. In events like these, it is important to know how to articulate a Christian worldview. If you are interested in a cutting-edge debate between science and religion, then *Discovering God in Science* is a must-read. Join new author Charles E. Steele as he offers insight into this ongoing debate. *Discovering God in Science* is sure to equip, encourage, and guide students of all ages in their faith in the Creator. Charles E. Steele has had a lifelong interest in astronomy and science. He graduated from the University of Cincinnati with a B.S. in industrial design. In 1969 he joined the U.S. Air Force, where he was stationed at Ramstein A.B., West Germany. His interest in science and technology has allowed him to be awarded 11 U.S. Patents. He has been listed in *Who's Who in the Midwest*. He currently lives in Michigan with his wife and mother, where he remains semi-active as a design consultant.

Discovering God and His Creation Gramercy

Here is a book about adventure, raw experience, and facing inner demons. Niles Elliot Goldstein is a young rabbi who sets out to find God in tough and often scary situations: dogsledding above the Arctic Circle, taking the Silk Road into Central Asia without a visa, being chased by a grizzly bear, cruising with DEA agents through the South Bronx, and spending a night in jail in New York City's Tombs. He explores the connections between struggle and growth, fear and transcendence, and uncertainty and faith, seeking the boundary where the finite meets the Infinite. Goldstein is not alone in making this kind of pilgrimage. There has always been a strong tradition of seekers who looked for revelation outside conventional religious settings and encountered God in moments of anguish, terror, and pain. Goldstein juxtaposes his own experiences with those of some of the great historical figures of Judaism and Christianity—Jonah and St. John of the Cross, Moses Maimonides and Julian of Norwich, Nachman of Bratslav and Martin Luther—as well as lesser known mystics and preachers, and he discovers, as they did, that it can sometimes take a journey to the edge to recognize God's presence in our lives.

Discovering God Within Image

What does art have to do with faith? For many Christians, paintings, films, music, and other forms of art are simply used for wall decoration, entertaining distraction, or worshipful devotion. But what if the arts played a more prominent role in the Christian life? In *Discovering God through the Arts*, discover how the arts can be tools for faith-building, life-changing spiritual formation for all Christians. Terry Glaspey, author of *75 Masterpieces Every Christian Should Know*, examines: How the arts assist us in prayer and contemplation How the arts help us rediscover a sense of wonder How the arts help us deal with emotions How the arts aid theological reflection and so much more. Let your faith be enriched, and discover how beauty and creativity can draw you nearer to the ultimate Creator.

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If you enjoy opening a box of chocolate candies and being surprised by the flavor, the texture, the filling, or the richness of the treat, you will be overcome with joy and excitement by the surprises you will find in the Bible as you read it in chronological order with the daily devotional thoughts from *The Bible 365* that go along with scriptural passages for each day ... The daily devotionals that go along with the chronological reading of the Bible make each day's reading clearer or add insight to some very difficult verses or chapters. -Diane Trest, church member Reading through the Bible in chronological order along with the daily perspectives in *The Bible 365* reinforced the relevancy of the Scriptures to my daily walk. -Randy King, elder *The Bible 365* reading plan and devotionals helped me to draw nearer to God and gave me more direction for the purpose of my life. -Donna Wolfe, church member It [*The Bible 365*] made me see and understand more of the history of the Bible and man's walk with, and too often without, God. -Sally Cook, director of the women's ministry Using *The Bible 365* along with the chronological Bible reading plan helped me to grasp the key points ... to grab the essentials from each day's passage of Scripture. -Gary Eaton, church member Deciding to participate in the chronological reading plan, my desire was to more clearly understand the history, the present, and the future of God's creation and to see God throughout the Bible working to redeem His creation for eternity. *The Bible 365* companion to the Bible caused me to know God more, to love Him more, and to be sure of His amazing love for me for eternity. -Janet Sappington, pastor's prayer-team coordinator

Finding God in the Body Abingdon Press

Discovering God sets out to answer the most important question anybody can ask: what is God like? We build our lives on our concept of God; therefore it is vitally important that we know him as he really is. *Discovering God* uses the Bible to explain in everyday language what God has to tell us about himself. This book will take you on an exciting adventure, with fascinating and life-

changing insights into the nature of God. Knowing God is the greatest thing that can happen to you. *Discovering God* will help you know him better. Dr Roger Aubrey is part of the leadership of All Nations Church based in Cardiff, South Wales. He was born and raised in the city and is a graduate of its University, gaining a Doctorate and a Master's Degree in Christian Theology. Roger was Principal of Covenant College between 1994 and 1998, and, from 2002 to 2008, was Principal of Covenant School of Ministries, School of the Word. An acknowledged and popular teacher, Roger travels extensively; his ministry is characterised by a marrying together of theological truth and practical application. His first book, *The Circle of Life*, was published in 2007, and you can visit his website at www.rogeraubrey.com. Roger is married to Dianne and they have two children.

Christian Apologetics Hallmark Gift Books

Discovering God Harper Collins

Finding God in Suffering: AuthorHouse

In *God's Battalions*, distinguished scholar Rodney Stark puts forth a controversial argument that the Crusades were a justified war waged against Muslim terror and aggression. Stark, the author of *The Rise of Christianity*, reviews the history of the seven major crusades from 1095-1291 in this fascinating work of religious revisionist history.

Story in the Stars Harper Collins

The sixth book in a progressive series by Dr. David R. Hawkins, this work finalizes and further clarifies the true nature and core of the condition termed "Enlightenment." It is primarily an instruction manual for the serious spiritual devotee and reveals information only known by those who have transcended the ego to reach Divine Realization. This is the inner route from the self to the Self, and the descriptions of the progressive states are devoted to the reader's own illumination. This work will appeal to those who themselves are dedicated to the spiritual Reality of Truth as the direct pathway to God.

Finding God in the Garden Chicago

Why do we exist? Why is there something rather than nothing? *Designed to Evolve* examines the question of existence in light of modern science. From the birth of the universe 13.8 billion years ago, to the intricacy of the DNA molecule, nature is explored at the most fundamental level. Two possible explanations emerge. Are we the result of chance or designed for a purpose? There has never been a time when more information on origins has been available. Now we can probe this question and take a critical look at the nature of existence. In the end, the evidence for purpose prevails. In this book big bang cosmology, particle physics, natural history, and biology are analyzed in a vivid chronology of the universe, revealing the beauty of creation and making the sciences of origin comprehensible to the non-scientist. *Designed to Evolve* presents a compelling depiction of creation that is supported by modern science.

The Case for God InterVarsity Press

Uses a Christian perspective to examine the history of America from the end of the American Revolution to the start of the abolitionist movement, with an emphasis on faithfulness to God's word.

Discovering God Energion Publications

Discover God's Upside-Down Economy reveals God's unique, miraculous ways with money. Find His secrets for absolute financial security through exciting stories, exceptional teaching and invaluable truths hidden in Golden Keys.

Discovering Religious History in the Modern Age Jason Aronson Incorporated

An editor of ABC News describes his own spiritual journey that led him, as a man of science, to his own answers about God and Jesus, and encourages others to confront their own questions of faith to further the search for God.

Taking Hold of Abundant Life *Discovering God*

Starting with the story of Adam and Eve, Rev. Campbell exposes the big mistake most people make which keeps them from achieving the life they want and need. Nothing is as exciting as experiencing God miraculously touching our personal lives. As the Bible's amazing stories of direct relationship with the supernatural Heavenly Father are brought to life, they reveal how to take hold of the abundant life of peace, joy and power in the Holy Spirit that is still God's plan for his people in the 21st Century. Rev. Campbell provides insightful interpretations of God's intentions throughout human history. The Bible's stories of ordinary people whose lives were touched by the supernatural teach us about the God who is not passive and is building a people for himself today. This book will help you take hold of the promised abundant life the Father always intended you to experience. To know the supernatural God is with us and is helping us is as exciting as it gets in this life. We read in the Bible about a God who was there when His people needed Him to help with the details of life, but our personal experience is typically of a God who is mostly silent. We long to personally know the God who never changes and who is always present with us. As you spend time with Rev. Campbell's words in *Taking Hold of Abundant Life* you will experience real growth in your personal faith and learn the amazing promises that can be found in God's words. The personal testimonies he shares bring to life how God is at work in people's lives even today. You will learn how to take hold of those wonderful promises for yourself and discover the beauty of His plans for you. Inquirers will learn what attracts people to Christianity. New believers will grow in the blessings of their personal relationship with God. Seasoned Christians will strengthen their walk with Jesus and come to know that everything we want and need can be found in His presence. This book will help everyone take hold of the abundant life.

Finding the God of Noah InterVarsity Press

This book advances the "strong" programme that sociology and anthropology provide a scientific foundation for arguing that God and the gods are human creations. Contending that religion is one – but not the only – way to systematize and institutionalize the moral order of a society, the author argues that religion reflects the fundamental human need for belonging and the social function of compassion. As such, our transcendental and supernatural ideas are really concerned with our everyday lives in communities and, faced with the severity

and immediacy of the global problems with which the world is confronted – existential threats – it is increasingly important to abandon delusions and correct our mistake in reference, not by eradicating religion, but by grounding it more explicitly in earthly matters of community, social solidarity, belonging, and compassion. A wide-ranging study of the roots, nature, and purpose of religion and theistic belief, *Society and the Death of God* will appeal to sociologists, social theorists, and philosophers with interests in the scientific study of religion and the role of religion in the life of humankind.

Designed to Evolve Harper Collins

"What Americans Really Believe" gives a detailed, comprehensive often surprising snapshot of the most current impulses in American religion . . . confirm[ing] that about 95 percent of the American population is interested in religion and spirituality. --George H. Gallup Jr.

Finding God in the Questions Zondervan

From the bestselling author of *A History of God* and *The Great Transformation* comes a balanced, nuanced understanding of the role religion plays in human life and the trajectory of faith in modern times. Why has God become incredible? Why is it that atheists and theists alike now think and speak about God in a way that veers so profoundly from the thinking of our ancestors? Moving from the Paleolithic Age to the present, Karen Armstrong details the lengths to which humankind has gone to experience a sacred reality that it called God, Brahman, Nirvana, Allah, or Dao. She examines the diminished impulse toward religion in our own time when a significant number of people either want nothing to do with God or question the efficacy of faith. With her trademark depth of knowledge and profound insight, Armstrong elucidates how the changing world has necessarily altered the importance of religion at both societal and individual levels. And she makes a powerful, convincing argument for structuring a faith that speaks to the needs of our dangerously polarized age.

Discovery of the Presence of God Harmony

A study of the deity of the world's three dominant monotheistic religions: Judaism, Christianity, and Islam. In a dynamic interplay between religion and society's ever-changing beliefs, values, and traditions, human beings' ideas about God have been transformed. Ideas about God have been molded to apply to the spiritual needs of the people who worship him in a particular place and time. The author explores and analyzes the development and progression of the various perceptions of God from the days of Abraham to present times--Adapted from book jacket.

Society and the Death of God Hay House, Inc

This priceless and inexhaustible resource is the ultimate synthesis of "science, philosophy and truth, " of "reason, wisdom and faith, " and of "past, present and future."

The Triumph of Christianity Fortress Press

Many of the historic lighthouses of the Chesapeake Bay have remained operational since their first lighting in the 19th century. The history of lighthouse construction on North American shores began in earnest with the congress of the fledgling United States government in 1789, on the Chesapeake Bay. This book for lighthouse buffs includes colour photographs showing the lighthouses today, mixed with vintage black and white photographs that recall the days of manned operation.