

Alumni Connection

July, 2019

We're exploring opportunities to sell Denver Seminary merchandise. Take the <u>survey</u> and let us know what products you'd like to see available!

Alumni Life & Ministry Updates

We want to share your stories!

Hey alumni – do you have a story to share about your ministry, work, mission experiences, volunteer experiences, or something else? We'd like to hear your story!

In our effort to grow our brand awareness and strength, we are collecting and sharing more stories, including those of our alumni. Our Communications team will contact you to capture your story to use on social media, in our email newsletters, magazines, in our blog (coming soon), and in other ways that are appropriate, including video and other forms of media.

If you have something you'd like us to tell others about, please email communications@denverseminary.edu. We want to share all kinds of stories, so please don't be shy.

Alumni Prayer Requests

Did you know that each week the Alumni Relations team prays for Denver Seminary alumni? Click **here** to share a prayer request.



Join the Denver Seminary Alumni Facebook Group! This is a place for alumni to connect with one another from around the world and share updates, questions, resources, and stay connected to Denver Seminary.

Link: https://www.facebook.com/groups/denverseminaryalumni/

Upcoming Events

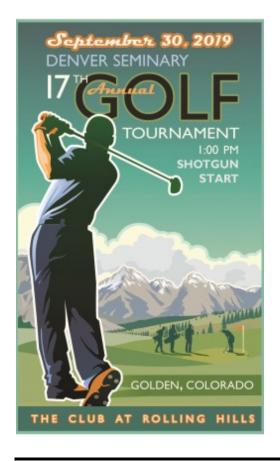
Inheritance and Worthiness: What First Century Children Tell Us About the Gospel.

Join Dr. Lynn Cohick, provost/dean of Denver Seminary, for a discussion and Q&A on Inheritance and Worthiness: What First Century Children Tell Us About the Gospel.



Join us Live via Zoom here: https://zoom.us/j/666557490. Space is limited to the first 100 attendees on a first come, first served basis.

Dr. Cohick will explore the profound words of Jesus when He said, "Let the little children come to me" and the implications of the Gospel on the social norms of the first century Roman family and the lives of children in the New Testament, and how the gospel endowed children with intrinsic worth. Be a part of the discussion about how this impacts us today and get your questions answered by one of the foremost experts on this topic.



Denver Seminary 17th Annual Golf Tournament

All proceeds from the Denver Seminary 17th Annual Golf Tournament will be given toward the General Scholarship Fund, which provides financial aid for an average of 250 students each year. In turn, these students fulfill the mission of Denver Seminary as they go on to engage the needs of the world with the redemptive power of the gospel and the life-changing truth of Scripture.

Visit <u>denverseminary.edu/golf</u> for details.

Theology of Marriage Conference: A Necessary Conversation

When: October 25, 2019, 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

Where: Denver Seminary

Save the date for the Theology of Marriage Conference, inspired by the release of *Marriage: Its Foundation, Theology, and*



Mission in a Changing World. Five sessions with TED-Talk style presentations include a variety of topic experts, including Mark and Priscilla Young, Doug Groothuis, and others.

Seminary News

ENGAGE3600 PODCAST

Listen up! This fall, Denver Seminary is launching Engage360, a theologically rich podcast. Engage360 will serve as a platform for expanding the reach of the Denver Seminary voice to all students, alumni, donors, and the broader community. We are looking forward growing a prominent voice in the larger conversations taking place within the spheres of evangelicalism, theological education, and cultural engagement through Engage360.

Watch for more information on our website and on social media and we look forward to your feedback on our new platform.

Positions available

Share your network with Denver Seminary by clicking on "Like" for any job posting in Linked In, Facebook, or Twitter. This will allow our job postings to be seen by people in your network.

We have many openings throughout the year and are always looking for great staff to add to our community!

King Soopers has committed \$10 million yearly to support local charities!

Now when you swipe your King Soopers loyalty card, or enter your alternate ID (usually your phone number) you will not only receive your regular discounts and rewards, but King Soopers will donate to Denver Seminary.

It only takes 3 minutes to make Denver Seminary your designated charity. The more people connected to



Denver Seminary, the more we will receive. This works for all shopping done at any Kroger Company store (i.e, Ralphs, QFC, Fred Meyer, City Market, Food 4 Less, Dillons, and more).

How to Sign Up:

1. Visit <u>kingsoopers.com/communityrewards</u> and login or create an account.

2. If you already have a King Soopers Loyalty Card number or Alternate ID, you will be asked to enter it. If you do not, you can create one on site.

3. After login or enrollment, search the Organizations box for Denver Seminary. One you locate it, click "Enroll." That's it!

Denver Seminary will received quarterly checks based on the total spending of all the people who select Denver Seminary as their supported organization. Please tell you friends and family!

For questions contact the Advancement Office at: 303-762-6941 or advancement@denverseminary.edu

Audit Doctor of Ministry Seminar

There is an opportunity to audit a one-week Doctor of Ministry seminar January 6-10, 2020 (Semester starts mid-October.) Click <u>here</u> for course descriptions. For syllabi, contact the DMin office at <u>dmin@denverseminary.edu</u>. Audit registrations, approved by the DMin Director, are due no later than the first week of October. Audit space is limited.

Are you ready to go green?

If you do more reading online than offline, you may be ready to go green with *Engage Magazine*. If you'd like to receive a PDF version rather than a hard copy, please email <u>Communications@denverseminary.edu</u> and let them know. In the future, you'll receive an email with a pdf. Same magazine, just a different way of reading! If you want to continue to receive *Engage Magazine* in the mail, that's great, too! No need to do a thing, and you'll receive your copy this fall.



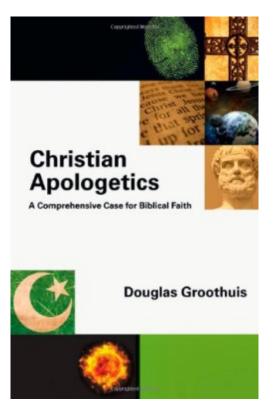
- Faculty Publications -

Christian Apologetics: A Comprehensive Case for Biblical Faith

by Dr. Douglas Groothuis

Dr. Groothuis is currently working on a second edition of his Christian Apologetics textbook.

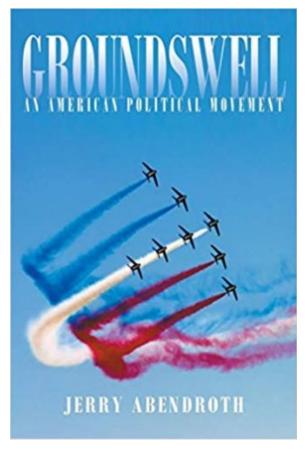
"The Christian worldview proposes answers to the most enduring human questions. But are those answers reliable? In this systematic text, Douglas Groothuis makes a comprehensive apologetic case for Christian theism--proceeding from a defense of objective truth to a presentation of the key arguments for God from natural theology to a case for the credibility of Jesus, the incarnation and the resurrection. Throughout, Groothuis considers alternative views and how they fare intellectually."



2012 *Christianity Today* "Book Award of Merit" winner IVP Academic, 2011 (1st edition)

- Alumni Publications -

We are happy to share information regarding recent publications of Denver Seminary Alumni. The views expressed in these publications do not necessarily reflect the views of Denver Seminary.



Groundswell: An American Political Movement

by Jerry Abendroth, Alumni Associate

No matter the era or the time, politics have captured the heart of Americans from the dawning days of our young nation to the present day with its ever-widening culture gap. Reviewers of history have commented on the acidic political times surrounding the Corrupt Bargain, the Teapot Dome scandal, and the Monica Lewinsky scandal. These scandals have caused increasing apathy in the electorate and an attitude of "nothing will change around here ever." However, and there is always a "however." fresh winds arrive with new persons, new ideas, and a new paradigm for a political change. Groundswell: An American Political Movement documents the arrival of that fresh breeze that the American

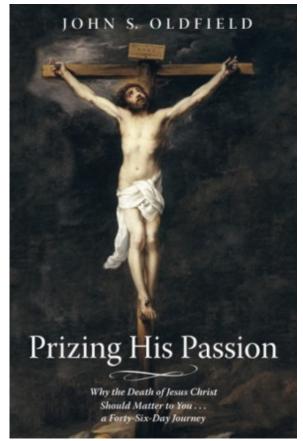
public embraces with enthusiasm. Samuel Harrison is not a typical political candidate. In fact, he really isn't a political candidate at all, save his extraordinary run for the pesidency. The political establishment reacts predictably with first dismissal, then derisiveness, and, finally, mild panic at the entry of Samuel into presidential politics. Even with his political naivete, Samuel maneuvers the mine-filled waters of the Democrats and the Republicans with relative ease. As readers, we are afforded a front row seat for this narrative on the Harrison presidential train through rough terrain to unexpected outcomes.

Christian Faith Publishing, Inc., 2019

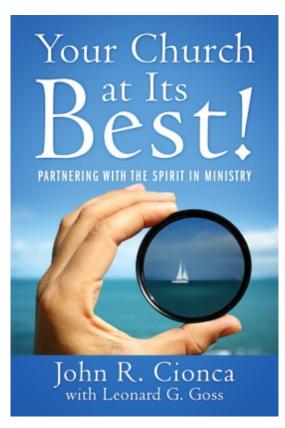
Prizing His Passion: Why the Death of Jesus Christ Should Matter to You...a Forty-Six-Day Journey

by John S. Oldfield, class of 1967

Ideal for Lent, but useful at any season and on any reading schedule, Prizing *His Passion* will help both the curious and the committed to grasp the immense significance of the sufferings of Jesus of Nazareth on behalf of sinplagued humans. Approaching the relevant biblical truths from multiple angles, it will provide you with a deeper understanding of what He experienced and said during the hours that culminated in His death on a firstcentury Roman cross. It will reveal the reality and relevance of it all for *you* as you struggle to find your spiritual footing here in the twenty-first century. Godspeed as you travel the road to Golgotha, to Calvary!



Resource Publications, 2019



Your Church at Its Best!: Partnering with the Spirit in Ministry

by John R. Cionca, class of 1971

Broken into four parts, Your Church at Its Best! examines sixteen crucial components of a healthy church, along with best practices for keeping a ministry running smoothy. This comprehensive and practical resource helps leaders see that we are not victims of the past, of location, or of present conditions. We can improve the church's effectiveness and take charge of its destiny, regardless of the waters in which we are sailing. Can you envision a better tomorrow for your church? Find the tools you need to experience it at its best!

Redemption Press, 2018

102 Fascinating Bible Studies on the New Testament

by Dr. William H. Marty, class of 1973

Offering quick, high-quality food for the soul. 102 Fascinating Bible Studies on the New Testament provides breadth and depth in short but satisfying servings for: the busy Christian who wants to delve deep into God's Word but is short on time, those who don't want to commit to weeks of study on a single topic, the small group searching out subjects for their next study.

Organized by category, these accessible and intriguing offerings span the entire New Testament. Topics include the temptations of Jesus, miracles, the words of Christ on the cross, and the Antichrist.

Each study includes an introduction

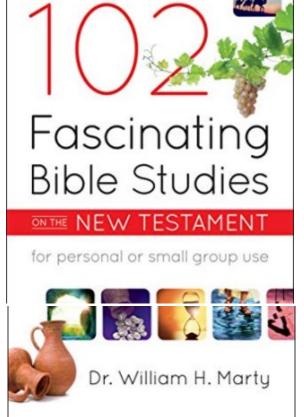
and Scripture references accompanied by questions that open the door to lively discussion, reflection, or further investigation. The practicality of the fast-paced format, the scope of the content, and the possibilities for ongoing study make these studies truly fascinating.

Bethany House Publishers, 2019



Craig L. Blomberg, PhD - Distinguished Professor of New Testament July 11-28, 2019: South Africa Teaching at a variety of locations in South Africa







Sung Wook Chung, DPhil - Professor of Christian Theology; Director of Asian Initiative

May 28-August 5, 2019: South Korea and Asia Presenting at Seoul C.S. Lewis Conference and Seoul Jonathan Edwards Conference (Seoul, South Korea) Teaching at Cohen Theological Seminary (Clark City, Philippines) Teaching at International School of Theology (Jeju Island, South Korea) Preaching at local churches in Korea and Japan

Hélène Dallaire, PhD - Earl S. Kalland Professor of Old Testament and Semitic Languages; Director of Messianic Judaism

July 7-10, 2019: Cambridge, UK Present paper at Conference on Hebrew Language University of Cambridge

August 11-16, 2019: Toronto, Canada International Lausanne Consultation for Jewish Evangelism Speaker – Bible Exposition on "Making All Things New"





Doug Groothuis, PhD - Professor of Philosophy

"<u>Good Vibes, Bad Vibes: Jazz In Film</u>" (All About Jazz Website)

Publishing an article on lament and suffering in August in *The Christian Research Journal*.

Monte Hasz, PsyD - Associate Professor of Counseling

October 6-13, 2019: Guatemala Teaching at SETECA





Richard Hess, PhD- Distinguished Professor of Old Testament; Editor of the Denver Journal

July 19-20, 2019: McKenzie, TN Co-Teaching, Celtic Christianity, Bethel University

July 23-26, 2019: McKenzie, TN Co-Teaching, The Pastor and Public Worship, Bethel University

August 3-4, 2019: Edgewater, CO Colorado Scottish Festival

August 8-9, 2019: Lubbock, TX Retiring Moderator, Presbytery, First Cumberland Presbyterian Church

Betsy Nesbit Wagner, PhD - Associate Professor of Counseling

July 6-7, 2019: Colorado Springs, CO Association for Spirituality, Ethics, Religion and Values in Counseling Conference

July 17-18, 2019: Cripple Creek, CO Speaker, Colorado Association of School Resource Officer's Conference



August 8, 2019: Houston, TX Speaker, Convene

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