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ANDREAS R. BATLOGG

# Finding Jesus

SEARCHING - FINDING - PROFESSING

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## To find Jesus is to find oneself

Rarely, we encounter such deep insights into one's very own search and life-long struggle for God. Jesuit Andreas Batlogg writes of his encounters with Jesus, his doubts, questions and of the fascination that is Jesus. Of desert, drought and closeness. Of absence and familiarity. Carefully, he closes in on the figure of Jesus Christ, as we know him from the gospels.

Andreas Batlogg movingly lets us take part in his deep conviction: It is worthwhile to discover Jesus nowadays, to find him. And to profess to him. But it is a life-long practice.

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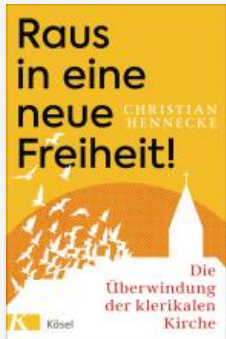
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## Religion, Religion

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 Original title: Raus in eine neue Freiheit!

CHRISTIAN HENNECKE

# Towards a New Freedom

OVERCOMING THE CLERICAL CATHOLIC CHURCH

Date of publication: November 01, 2021

## "With courage, commitment, and confidence"

The past months have been a rough ride: membership figures are falling rapidly in all churches – even though there are no new scandals. And then there are lamentations and sighs, ritual mourning and assigning of blame, perplexity on all sides – and, of course, the know-it-alls. There are prophets of doom and apocalypse, and admonitions that now is the final opportunity to at last fashion the Church in such a way that it becomes attractive, relevant, fascinating, contemporary, and socially sensitive.

The Covid crisis is also revelatory for Christian Hennecke. And what is revealed is more than just a crisis: the criticism of the Church's silence and the question of its relevance to the system is telling and crucial. Should the Church be integrated into this social system and thus become indispensable? For whom? What exactly is meant by this?

These questions form the foundation for Christian Hennecke's reflections on the Church. He endeavours to break out of this paralysing framework and urges that there be new modes of action. Renewal is needed, not simply reform. That is what it is in essence. It is about moving beyond the clerical discussions of authority, which themselves go no further than democratising this authority but then dividing it up among themselves and distributing it to others.

- The book about the long needed transformation of the Catholic church
- A book with courage, creativity, and passion

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ANDREA LANGENBACHER

# The Whole Within the Small

PRAYING WITH CHILDREN

Date of publication: August 23, 2021

## New ideas for prayers with children


Praying with children is just like family life itself: colourful, challenging, silent, loud and full of surprises. It enriches family life because it lets something in that is larger than we are ourselves, more important than a thrown-over glass, chores or homework, something that really defines who we are between a full email inbox and full laundry baskets.

Andrea Langenbacher invites us to discover the whole within the details of our life and to reimagine praying with our family. She presents ideas for designing prayers with children authentic, vivid and comforting, and for preparing children to still maintain praying when their parents will not sit beside their beds anymore.

- Basic knowledge on how praying with children can work
- A theoretical and practical introduction

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Recommended age group: 4+  
Original title: Die ganze Welt und noch viel mehr

ANDREA LANGENBACHER

# The Whole World and So Much More

CHILDREN'S PRAYERS THAT GROW ALONG

Date of publication: March 22, 2021

4+


With numerous colour illustrations

## Children's prayers – modern, fresh and different!

Children have their own language – even when praying. Andrea Langenbacher takes them seriously and here presents prayers as modern day children would say them. They deal with friends, parents, siblings, worries and bliss, but also with everything that touches the everyday life of children.

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MAIKE LAUTHER-POHL

# Does God Like Chocolate Too?

55 QUESTIONS FROM CHILDREN ABOUT GOD AND THE WORLD

Date of publication: March 01, 2021

6+

4c throughout

## A practical guide book to find answers to questions of faith together with children

To talk with children about God is rather easy – if you ask the right questions. And those are the children's very own questions.

55 children have inspired Maïke Lauther-Pohl to give surprising, witty, smart and always well-informed answers about the world of Christianity and faith, religion and church. A wonderfully illustrated children's book to start talking with your children.

- Talking with children about God
- Religious questions by children and inspiring answers for adults
- Highlighted by beautiful illustrations

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 Original title: Die Schießler-Bibel

RAINER M. SCHIEßLER

## The Bible According to Schiessler

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2c with illustrations

### The guide to all situations in life

With his powerful and personal view on the Bible, Rainer Maria Schießler opens up a whole new perspective on how the Bible can help us to master our lives with all their facets. Thus, "The Bible According to Schiessler" provides new surprising insights and ideas becoming a guide to every situation in life. Schiessler answers questions that everyone has who searches for faith, community and the sense of life. An inspiring and spiritual life guide containing the most important Bible excerpts according to Rainer M. Schiessler accompanied by their respective true-to-life interpretation.

This Bible originated out of worry over our well-being in life – and from the conviction that the 2,000-year old book can still be a valuable source of advice for our everyday worries.

- #6 Spiegel bestseller: 26,000 copies sold
- Modern, empathetic and refreshing – Inspiring and spiritual help for life

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## Religion, Religion

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Original title: Sie nennen mich einen katholischen Muslim

KLEMENS PETERHOFF

# They Call Me a Catholic Muslim

THE STORY OF A SEARCHING

Date of publication: March 22, 2021

## Christian yet Muslim – is that possible?

After graduating from school, he wants to help make the world a better place.

Devout, socially engaged and decisive, Klemens Peterhoff joins the Jesuit order.


Never in his life, he would have believed that years later he was to set out on his way to Medina to start his pilgrimage towards Mecca as a devout Muslim.

Here, he recounts his story. A moving book on the religious struggle of a man who searches God and comes closest to His presence in the world of the Islamic Sufi order. An authentic testimony of candour inspiring people and religions to come together.

- Moving – a story from the spiritual world of Islamic orders
- Wise – a smart decision for the truth in its many facets

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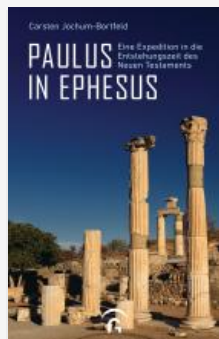
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## Religion, Theology

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Original title: Paulus in Ephesus

CARSTEN JOCHUM-BORTFELD

# Paulus in Ephesus

AN EXPEDITION INTO THE NEW TESTAMENT'S TIME OF GENESIS

**Date of publication: March 22, 2021**

With numerous illustrations

## Searching for traces in Ephesus

Ephesus – for three years the ancient metropolis in today's Turkey had been the base camp from where Paulus organised his mission. Here, he wrote his letters to the parishes in Corinth and Philippi. His long stay in Ephesus also affected further letters. What did this city do with the Apostle?


This book takes its readers along onto the streets and places, into the houses, temples and workshops of ancient Ephesus.

Carsten Jochum-Bortfeld invites you on a discovery journey through time, that shows how language and thought, imagery and theological motives in Paulus were coined by the crazy world that surrounded him.

- The origin of Christianity – as thrilling as never before
- Looking at Paulus through the lens of archaeology
- A biblical tour through the ruins of Ephesus

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JÜRGEN MOLTSMANN

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# A Political Theology of the Modern World

Date of publication: September 27, 2021

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## A theology of hope against despondency

Prophets do not see into the future but rather tell what needs to be remembered, asked for and done in a specific time. Thus, prophets provide orientation in the present. In this sense, Jürgen Moltmann's theology has always also been a prophetic theology. An idea of God rooted in the present and oriented towards acting for a better future, a theology of hope.

This book collects the essential essays of the theological-political thinker Moltmann in one volume. Sober appraisals of reality that draw from the message of biblical promise to gain strength against despondency, and courage for the future.

- Christian images of hope in times of turmoil



### Religion, Theology

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### Religion, Theology

Publishing House: Gütersloher Verlagshaus

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Original title: Let's talk about Tod

DAVID ROTH

# Let's Talk About Death

50 QUESTIONS ON DYING, DEATH AND FUNERALS

Date of publication: September 27, 2021

## Death is no taboo – so let us talk about it!


For David Roth being an undertaker is the most beautiful job in this world. For many people, however this would be unthinkable as just talking about death is difficult for them. Yet, David Roth is convinced that accepting death and dealing with it as part of life, opening your eyes to the unavoidable, can have a positive influence on life. Because we all have to die at one point.

During his work, he often gets asked questions such as, Can we die of grief? Is there really a light? Is dying (always) painful? Are undertakers allowed to cry? Is it allowed to barbecue in the cemetery? Can we put farewell presents into the coffin?

Here, he answers 50 of the most astonishing questions in a caring, true to life, practical and at times surprisingly humorous manner. This is a book for everyone who is interested in the topic of death and all that comes along, and want to know more.

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## Religion, Theology

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Original title: Beseeltes Alter

GERHARD SAUTER

# Ageing with Soul

ON HOPE AND CONFIDENCE IN THE LATE AUTUMN OF LIFE

Date of publication: July 26, 2021


## A theology of being old

Old age as a time of as yet unexploited possibilities - that's what advertising shows, and that's what many people hope for when they think about growing old. But what happens when old age arrives? When the paths become shorter and one has to organize one's life differently as one's strength wanes?

Gerhard Sauter shows that even then life can still be experienced as a becoming and not as a mere passing away. In this book, he opens our eyes to a theological understanding of old age as a time before God and with God and towards God. He shows what promise lies in the fact that people become aware of their transience before God and are able to accept that the history they carry within them is not over and will be kept in God's memory. In this way, aging can be truly lived and not just endured. A book for all who want to face their aging with more serenity.

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Original title: Wie das Christentum entstand

KLAUS WENGST

# How Christianity Came to Be

A BROKEN STORY IN THE 1ST AND 2ND CENTURY

Date of publication: April 26, 2021

## The conflictual backdrop of the early Church


"Jesus was the first Christian!" – It is not always clear, even in the Church, that this sentence is nonsense. Jesus was Jewish and stayed so until his death. And even the first followers of Jesus were and stayed Jews. How then, did Christianity develop from an inner-Jewish movement? And why did it immediately identify as anti-Jewish?

Klaus Wengst retells the story of a new religious movement within the pluralistic panorama of the Roman Empire. A story full of eager and enthusiasm, conflict and passion – thrilling, surprising and illuminating.

- The story of the early Jesus followers
- Recognising the historic roots of Christian anti-Judaism

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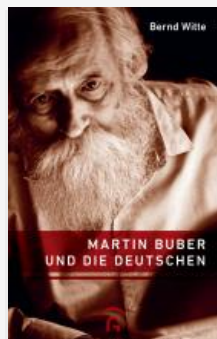
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## Religion, Theology

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BERND WITTE

# Martin Buber and the Germans

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## A story yet to be closed

He worked for the renewal of Judaism based on the German language. Yet, the country that was home to him, chased him away. After Auschwitz, he deemed the relationship between Judaism and Germany to be destroyed and yet remained open toward new talks.


What is it about Martin Buber and the Germans? Was he the "Jew accepted by intellectual Germany" or just the "Jew for Germany after Auschwitz"?

This essay sets out on an intriguing search for traces. It unveils the multifaceted image of a relationship as full of tension as it was fertile. The story of Martin Buber and the Germans is long from being closed.

- Martin Buber's importance for Jewish culture in German language
- An invitation to rediscover Martin Buber

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RALF K. WÜSTENBERG

# Appreciating One Another

A MODEL FOR DIALOGUE BETWEEN CHRISTIANITY AND ISLAM

Date of publication: September 27, 2021

## A new model for conversation with Islam

This book is an invitation: It encourages Christians to seek out the dialogue with Muslims in a way that allows them to maintain their own convictions' claim of truth while meeting Muslims with openness and curiosity. It works because Ralf Wüstenberg introduces a structured model of dialogue – the "dialogue pyramid" – a step-by-step path on which the conversation between devout believers can be shaped.


Beginning at the cognitive dialogue, that deals with the outer appearance of religion, the path leads to the empathetic dialogue, appreciating the piousness of the other, and then towards the spiritual dialogue which ideally lays bare joint roots within a shared ur-soil.

The perspective of this book always remains a Christian one, the argument's vanishing point always tangible: The Christian teachings of Jesus provide the content on which the author bases the possibilities of the "dialogue pyramid".

- A practical model for interreligious dialogue

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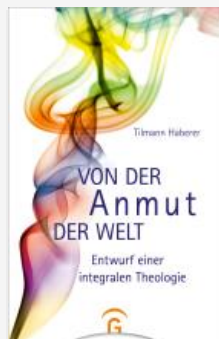
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## Religion, Spirituality

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TILMANN HABERER

# Of the Grace of the World

DESIGN OF A NEW INTEGRAL THEOLOGY

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## God revisited

Talking about God has become problematic, former images of God do not hold any longer and many people turn their backs on Christianity. The book counters all this with something new. Based on the integral theory by Ken Wilbers, Tilmann Haberer describes the central contents and terms of Christian theology – God, Christ, man, sin, redemption, resurrection, etc – in a way that they regain meaning even for people of the 21st century.

- Provocative ideas for a theological new beginning
- A believable theology for the 21st century

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#### Religion, Spirituality

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MARION KÜSTENMACHER

## My Soul's Flying Carpet

HOW A DURABLE SPIRITUALITY CAN BE WOVEN OUT OF CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES

Date of publication: March 01, 2021

### Recognising your own spiritual patterns


Throughout the 22 chapters, Marion Küstenmacher relates the momentary experiences which have been spun into spiritual threads over the course of her life, and which today are firmly interwoven into her consciousness. Each chapter is divided into three parts: the author's specific childhood experiences, the interpretations of these experiences within the mystical-theological tradition, and the significance of them for the author's own life story.

The result is a very personal story of a spiritual path that is also an invitation for discovering and following the patterns of mystical spirituality in one's own life.

- By the foremost author on integral personality development
- Her most personal book about the paths of her spirituality
- With further ideas for a spiritual experience

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