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Catalog of MVI Audio Resources

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Bible – Commentaries

MARTYRS AND MISSIONARIES by John Trapp. *A comprehensive commentary on the book of Acts.* C, T

REVELATION by Siegbert Becker. *A series of eight lectures on the book of Revelation.* C, T

Bible – Commentaries – Peoples' Bible – Old Testament

GENESIS by John Jeske. *Presents the origins of the universe, the human race, sin, death, and God's gracious work of bringing sinful humans back to himself.* T, L

Exodus by Ernest H. Wendland. *Exodus records the departure of God's people from their slavery in Egypt and the beginning of their journey to the Promised Land.* T, L

DANIEL by John C. Jeske. *Daniel demonstrates trust in God in challenging situations and pulls back the curtain on some future events.* T, L

ISAIAH 1 to 39 by John A. Braun. *In the first 39 chapters of his prophecy, Isaiah warns of the coming judgment of God upon his people and all nations. Even still, these chapters also contain rich and comforting promises of God's grace and the future arrival of the Messiah.* C, T

ISAIAH 40 to 66 by John A. Braun. *In the second portion of his prophecy, Isaiah promises that God will deliver the whole world through his only Son, Jesus Christ. God promised that this great Servant would redeem us by his suffering. The prophecy of Isaiah concludes with God's promises of future glory for all who believe.* C, T

Bible – Commentaries – Peoples’ Bible – New Testament

ACTS by Richard D. Balge *Traces the spread of the gospel from Christ’s ascension through the Roman world.* T, L

COLOSSIANS by Harlyn J Kuschel. *A commentary to help Christians understand Christian truth and ward off false teaching.* T, L

1 CORINTHIANS by Carleton Toppe. *The Corinthian congregation faced a series of problems, which included the danger of splintering into factions and even falling away from God. Paul sent this letter to provide clear advice.* T, L

2 CORINTHIANS by David J. Valleskey. *Paul commends the believers in Corinth for their progress, encourages them to complete the collection for the church in Jerusalem and defends his ministry.* T, L

EPHESIANS by Armin J. Panning. *Paul wrote to the Ephesians while he was a prisoner and reminded them of what God’s great power and grace has done for believers.* T, L

GALATIANS by Armin J. Panning. *The Galatians faith was threatened by false teachers who said that salvation was dependent on both Christ and good works. Paul defends the gospel.* T, L

HEBREWS by Richard E. Lauersdorf. *Hebrews bridges between the Old and New Testaments, maintains that Jesus is greater than the old covenant, and encourages Christians to persevere in their trials.* T, L

JAMES by Mark A Jeske. *The brother of the Lord writes to Jewish Christians about living their faith.* T, L

JOHN by Gary P. Baumler. *A simple and clear statement of God’s grace in Christ which adds insights not recorded by the other gospels.* T, L

LUKE by Victor H Prange. *The physician Luke spoke with eyewitnesses about the events of our Lord’s life and writes a history that emphasizes that Jesus is the Savior of all people.* T, L

MARK by Harold A Wicke. *Mark is a book of action which asserts Jesus is the Son of God and focuses in on our Savior’s last journey to Jerusalem and his suffering and death there.* C, T

MATTHEW by G. Jerome Albrecht and Michael J. Albrecht. *The tax collector Matthew became an eyewitness to the Savior’s ministry who assures believers that Jesus is the Messiah foretold by so many Old Testament prophecies.* T, L

PHILIPPIANS by Harlyn J. Kuschel. *A commentary on Paul's warm, personal letter to the Philippians which express great joy in Christ.* T, L

PHILEMON by Harlyn J Kuschel. *A commentary on Paul's letter to an early Christian, asking him to forgive a runaway slave who had become a believer.* T, L

ROMANS by Armin J. Panning. *Paul wrote to the Romans to strengthen their faith so they might help spread the gospel farther to the west.* T, L

1 & 2 THESSALONIANS by David P. Kuske. *Lest Christians be overwhelmed by false teachers, persecution, and temptations these letters encourage us to remain faithful and offer us hope in Christ.* C, T

1 TIMOTHY by Armin W. Schuetze. *Paul writes to a young pastor urging him to fight the good fight of faith by opposing false teachers and faithfully shepherding God's people.* T, L

2 TIMOTHY by Armin W. Schuetze. *In his final letter the apostle Paul encourages Timothy and the church about the end times.* T, L

TITUS by Armin W. Schuetze. *Paul writes to a trusted co-worker, encouraging him to continue in sound doctrine and giving valuable pastoral advice.* T, L

Bible – Study Helps

FAITH ON TRIAL by Roland Cap Ehlke. *A Bible study course on the book of Job.* C, T

HOME LIFE IN BIBLE TIMES by A. W. Klinck. *A study of how people lived in the Middle East in Biblical times.* C, T

Bible – Teachings

A MATTER OF DEATH AND LIFE by George R. Brueggemann. C, T

A SHEPHERD'S LOOK AT PSALM 23 by Phillip Keller. *Shares a shepherd's insights into the life and character of sheep—and of the Good Shepherd who loves and cares for them.* T, L

A SIMPLE WAY TO PRAY by Martin Luther. *Luther's classic short description of prayer, written for his barber.* C

A TIME FOR EVERYTHING by Bonnie Wasser. *A mother of 25 children shares her musings to encourage others to look to the Lord for strength.* C, T

ANGELS: MIGHTY SERVANTS OF GOD by Richard E. Warnke. *The Bible's teachings about the characteristics and activities of God's good angels and the evil angels.* C, T

AUGSBURG CONFESSION by Theodore G. Tappert. *A study of the Lutheran statement of faith and its meaning for today.* C, T

BE PREPARED TO ANSWER by Roland C Ehlke. *A book that helps you defend your faith.* C, T

BIBLE: GOD'S INSPIRED, INERRANT WORD by Brian R. Keller. *This book is an introduction to the Bible and aims to encourage you to read the Bible for what it is: God's true Word. (People's Bible Teaching Series)* T, L

CHURCH FELLOWSHIP: WORKING TOGETHER FOR THE TRUTH by John Brug. *A thorough study of Scripture's teaching on church fellowship. (People's Bible Teaching Series)* C, T

CONVERSION: NOT BY MY OWN CHOOSING by John M. Brenner. *This book describes how God calls us to faith and addresses questions like reaching out to those who have fallen from faith. (People's Bible Teaching Series)* T, L

DIFFERENT GOSPELS by John F. Brenner. *A Bible study course exposing the false teachings of various religious sects in America.* C, T

ELEPHANTS IN THE ROOM: EVOLUTION VERSUS THE MESSAGE OF THE SCRIPTURES by Robert J. Koester. *This book is the first in a two-book set about the attempt to combine Scripture and evolution, addressing Biblical issues that usually are not discussed (the "Elephants") when Christians evaluate the theory of evolution.* T, L

GOD'S PROVIDENCE: HE CARES FOR YOU by Mark J. Lenz. *A study of how God supports, provides, protects, directs, and governs everything that happens. (People's Bible Teaching Series)* C, T

GROWING UP ALL ALONE: TEENAGERS' SUICIDE by Rhonda Marie. *A book about suicide, a leading cause of death among youth.* C, T

GUIDANCE FROM GOD'S WORD by Armin W. Schuetze. *Simple answer from Scripture for difficult questions on doctrine and practice.* C, T

INSPIRATION AND INERRANCY by Siegbert Becker. *A series of six lectures on the source and nature of the Bible.* C, T

I WOULD LIKE TO KNOW by Paul E. Kelm. *Brief biblical explanations on more than 70 topics including abortion, alcoholism, Bible translations, capital punishment, charismatics, cremation, decision theology, divorce, false prophets, homosexuality, millennialism, organ transplants, predestination, and suicide.* C, T

JOB: A SELF-STUDY COURSE ABOUT THE LIFE OF JOB (Special Ministries) *A very brief study of the themes of the book of Job.* T, L

JUSTIFICATION: HOW GOD FORGIVES by Wayne D. Mueller. *This book explains how God reconciled sinners to himself and how this teaching of forgiveness is the centerpiece of Christian faith. (People's Bible Teaching Series)* T, L

LIBERALISM: IT'S CAUSE AND CURE: THE POISONING OF AMERICAN CHRISTIANITY AND THE ANTIDOTE by Gregory L. Jackson. *A description of problems of modern Christianity and prescription of a solution in the means of grace.* C, T

LUTHER AND PRAYER by Martin E. Lehmann. *Dr. Lehmann pens the door to Luther's sanctuary, exploring the great Reformer's theology of prayer.* C, T

LUTHER'S CATECHISM: THE SMALL CATECHISM OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER (NIV) *This WELS version of the catechism was prepared for the 2017 500th anniversary of the Reformation and contains many useful and interesting articles.* T, L

MAN AND WOMAN IN GOD'S WORLD *A study of the roles of men and women prepared for the WELS Conference of Presidents.* C, T

MARKS OF THE NAIL: A SURVEY OF EVIDENCE FOR CHRISTIANITY by Allen Quist. *A book of Christian apologetics (defending the Christian faith).* C, T

MARRIAGE AND FAMILY: THE FAMILY PHOTO ALBUM by John Schuetze. *An overview of Bible teaching about the home (People's Bible Teaching Series).* T, L

MODERN MORAL DILEMMAS: SCRIPTURE ADDRESSES TODAY'S ISSUES by Wayne D. Mueller. *Guidance from the Bible for difficult situations where the choices may be hard.* C, T

PRAY, CHRISTIAN, PRAY! PRAYER IN THE LIFE OF THE CHRISTIAN by Arthur J. Clement. *An informative and entertaining book on prayer as an essential part of Christian life.* C, T

SAINTS OF ANOTHER GOD: MORMON HISTORY, CULTURE, AND RELIGION by John M. Ball. C, T

SPEAKING THE TRUTH IN LOVE TO MORMONS by Mark J Cares. *An explanation of Mormon theology and life and how to reach out in love.* C, T

SPEAKING THE UNSPEAKABLE: HOMOSEXUALITY—A BIBLICAL AND MODERN PERSPECTIVE by Richard D. Starr. *A grace-filled, Scriptural message on homosexuality, including a chapter on AIDS.* C, T

STUDY OF MARRIAGE, DIVORCE, MALICIOUS DESERTION AND REMARRIAGE IN THE LIGHT OF GOD'S WORD – *A study that applies Biblical teaching to the subject of marriage.* C, T

TEN COMMANDMENTS FOR TODAY: GOD'S GUIDANCE FOR ALL SITUATIONS by William A. Kramer. *A look at the Ten Commandments with modern applications.* C, T

THE CHRISTIAN FAITH by William A. Kramer. *A summary of Christian teachings.* C, T

THE CROSS AND THE COMMON MAN by Herman W. Gockel. *An explanation of everyday Christianity for everyday people.* C, T

THE HOLY GHOST AND HIS WORK: A BIBLE STUDY COURSE FOR ADULTS by Siebert W. Becker. *A penetrating study of the person and work of the God the Holy Spirit.* C, T

THE NARROW LUTHERAN MIDDLE: FOLLOWING THE SCRIPTURAL ROAD by Daniel Deutschlander. *The author examines seemingly contradictory teachings in the Bible and shows us how to apply them by letting each teaching stand alone.* T, L

THE THEOLOGY OF THE CROSS: REFLECTIONS ON HIS CROSS AND OURS by Daniel Deutschlander. *What God says about Christian faith and life under the cross, under his cross and ours, the necessity of cross bearing and rejoicing at the same time.* T, L

THE WAY by A.I. Anderson. *A brief survey of Christian teaching, tracing the message of the Gospel through the Old and New Testaments.* C, T

THE WONDERS OF GOD by Paul E. Eickmann. *A basic manual of Christian doctrine, useful for adults joining the Lutheran church.* C, T

THIS WE BELIEVE – *A statement of the doctrinal position of the Wisconsin Synod on recent controversies.* C, T

TWO-GETHER: FOR PEOPLE WHO CARE ENOUGH TO SHARE THE VERY BEST-TOGETHER by Palmer Gedde. *An excellent guide to Christian marriage.* C, T

WELS AND OTHER LUTHERANS by John F. Brug. *Describes doctrinal differences and developments in major and smaller Lutheran church bodies in the US.* C, T

WIZARDS THAT PEEP: A JOURNEY INTO THE OCCULT by Dr. Siebert Becker. *A comprehensive survey of the occult and an examination of it on the basis of God's Word.* C, T, L

WOMEN, PRODIGAL EQUALS: CAN WE BE EQUAL AND SUBMISSIVE? by Betty Kloha. *A Christian reflects on the Scriptural teachings regarding women.* C, T

Nonfiction – Biography

ABRAHAM – FAITHFUL PATRIARCH by Roger Knepprath. *As a model of trust in God's promises, Abraham has no equal. His life was the work of the Almighty's gracious hand, which shaped and tested Abraham's faith for the important role God had chosen to give him. (God's People Series) C, T*

ANGEL OF THE EVERLASTING GOSPEL – *The story of Martin Luther. C, T*

DAVID - ISRAEL'S SHEPHERD KING by John C. Ibsch. *This retelling of David's life includes those whose lives impacted him: the prophet Samuel, the giant Goliath, King Saul, his son Jonathan, his daughter Michal, Bathsheba, and the prophet Nathan. (God's People Series) C, T*

ELIJAH – FIERY PROPHET by James A. Aderman. *Elijah stood up to the godless King Ahab and wicked Queen Jezebel, challenged false prophets of Baal to a prayer duel, and brought life back into a boy's corpse. Yet Elijah still had his doubts. Find out how the still, small voice of the gospel propped him up through his many challenges. (God's People Series) C, T*

ESTHER – BORN FOR HER TIME by James A. Aderman. *Esther's story is about God's impeccable timing, his redemptive power, and how he shapes historical events to conform to his promises and grace. (God's People Series) C, T*

I ONCE WAS BLIND by Renay Poirier. *The miracle of how Renay Ponier regained his sight. C, T*

JACOB – WRESTLED WITH GOD by Michael A. Woldt. *Jacob's story is an essential part of patriarchal history. It shows us that God is in control of all events, even when people work against his will. (God's People Series) C, T*

JON: LESSONS IN LOVE by Ruth M. Becker. *A true story of how a Christian family grows through the gift of a son with developmental disabilities. C, T*

JONAH – RELUCTANT PREACHER by John A. Miller. *Sometimes God's reluctant messengers are in need of divine rescue every bit as much as the people to whom God has sent them. (God's People Series) C, T*

JOSEPH – FORGIVING BROTHER by Lyle L Luchterhand. *Joseph's life is unsurpassed for tragic drama and stunning deliverance, yet we are most awed by his capacity to forgive instead of harbor resentment. (God's People Series) C, T*

LUTHERAN MARTYR by Neelak S. Tjernagel. *A biography of the Scottish Lutheran martyr, Robert Barnes. C, T*

MARTIN LUTHER: MAN OF GOD by Morton A Schroeder. *Eight vignettes on the life of Luther.* C, T

MOSES, GOD'S DELIVERANCE by Mark R. Bitter. *From a helpless baby floating down the Nile to a man groomed by the Lord to deliver and lead his people, The story of Moses shows God's grace in intervention and deliverance. (God's People Series)* C, T

NOAH – OBEDIENT BUILDER by John A Braun. *Noah stands tall—a model of godly obedience. But the real story of Noah and his family is one of divine grace and deliverance. (God's People series)* C, T

OTHER SHEEP by Arnold H. Schroeder. *A veteran institutional chaplain recalls moving experiences of his ministry.* C, T

PAUL – AMBASSADOR OF PEACE by John D. Buchholz. *The transformed his most vigorous adversary into his greatest missionary. Paul's travels were full of danger and trials; but they were also full of joy over the gospel's power to change hearts. (God's People Series)* C, T

PETER – BOLD DISCIPLE by Stephen M. Luchterhand. *Follow Peter through his personal encounters with Jesus and his spiritual journey from a fisherman to a "fisher of men." You'll also learn of Peter's mission following Jesus' ascension into heaven and how it applies in your life. (God's People Series)* C, T

RUTH – A LOVE STORY by Owen A. Dorn. *Discover the significance of Ruth's place in history as the Lord used her to move one step closer to the fulfillment of the promised Savior. (God's People Series)* C, T

THE LIFE AND FAITH OF MARTIN LUTHER by Adolph Fehlauer. *The background, life, and outcome of the Reformer Martin Luther.* C, T

THE MONK WHO CONQUERED ROME by John V. Moldenhauer. *A comprehensive story of Luther's life.* C, T

THEY WALKED HERE by Adolph Fehlauer. *The true story of a Lutheran family in northern Minnesota 1919-1958.* C, T

THORNS AMONG THE ROSES by Clara Krey Hallberg. *A beautiful testimony of a woman's life as a Christian.* C, T

TO THOSE FAR AWAY PLACES by Harold Rowley. *A blind man travels alone through Europe and even the Iron Curtain melts under the warmth of his loving nature.* C, T

Nonfiction – Christian Living

3 WORDS THAT WILL CHANGE YOUR LIFE: THE SECRET OF EXPERIENCING THE JOY OF GOD'S

PRESENCE by Mike Novotny. *A deeply satisfying life doesn't require a sabbatical, a new career, or a new year's resolution. As long as God is glorious enough and near enough, you can cast aside the cheap substitutes you've settled for and enjoy the life that is truly here and now. This book will help you shake off the guilt and shame of sin and see yourself as God sees you.* T

DEEP AS THE SEA: LETTERS TO SURVIVORS OF TRAUMA by Timothy C. Borman. *Physical or emotional abuse, accidents, unforeseen loss, military combat, and other tragedies remind us that we live in a fallen world. The painful emotions that arise from these circumstances often linger long after the experience is over. Using his doctoral expertise on addressing trauma through a Christian lens, Pastor Timothy Borman will help you grieve through the pain, find refuge in God, and discover a new purpose in life.* T

FREEDOM IN FORGIVENESS by Mike Novotny. *Has someone in your past or someone in your present sinned against you and now you carry the scar? Maybe you've been carrying the scar for years, a constant reminder of the pain. Are you ready to heal? To be set free? That's the invitation you'll find in this book. Nothing about forgiveness comes easy, but the Freedom in Forgiveness book and journal give you actionable steps from God's Word to help you choose to forgive . . . and find freedom in God's grace.* T

GOD LOVES NOBODIES: GOOD NEWS FOR SOMEBODY LIKE ME by Matthew Doebler. *The author explains how and why Jesus is the eternal solution to your desire to be somebody.* T, L

LET THE BIRD FLY: LIFE IN A WORLD GIVEN BACK TO US by Wade Johnston. *Bought with the price of Christ's own blood, we can rejoice in our freedom to weigh the issues of the day, to engage our neighbor, to live out our callings, and know we will remain redeemed children of God.* T, L

MARRIAGE AND FAMILY: THE FAMILY PHOTO ALBUM by John Schuetze. *An overview of Bible teaching about the home. (People's Bible Teaching Series)* T, L

MORE TOUGH QUESTIONS AND HOW THE BIBLE ANSWERS THEM by Dr. Bruce Becker. *This book helps you respond to some of the major issues people raise when it comes to believing in God, trusting Scripture, and following Jesus. With biblical insight and practical wisdom, Dr. Becker shows you how to communicate what Christians believe in a way that not only makes a compelling case for the truth but invites others to meet the loving Savior whose truth sets us free.* T

ONE PLUS ONE EQUALS by Palmer L. Gedde. *A helpful guide for married couples.* C, T

PATIENT PARENTING: RAISING OUR KIDS IN THE SHADOW OF THE CROSS by Dr. John Juern.

Raise your children to follow in Christ's footsteps. This collection of evocative and informative articles about godly parenting was written by a Lutheran psychologist and parent. T, L

PREPARED TO ANSWER – TELLING THE GREATEST STORY EVER TOLD by Mark A. Paustian.

Supplies loving, Scriptural-based responses to some common objections to Christianity by telling the stories of the Bible in a fresh way. C, T, L

SWEET THE MOMENTS: REFLECTIONS FOR WOMEN ON EVERY DAY THINGS by DeLyn

Wagenknecht. A collection of Bible passages, narratives, and poems that will remind women of God's presence in life and will inspire women to reflect on their roles as children of God. T, L

TRUTH IN OUR TIME by Dr. Paul Kelm. *An unchanging God has spoken timeless truth in his*

Word. And Truth in Our Time shows you how to anchor yourself in Scripture so you can successfully navigate messages from our confusing culture. T

WHAT IS LOVE? by Mike Novotny. *Discover how you can love like Jesus in today's fractured*

world. This book brings you back to the basics of what Christian love should look like and how you can start applying it more completely in your everyday life. T

Nonfiction – Christian Living - Youth

WHO AM I? UNDERSTANDING YOUR IDENTITY IN CHRIST THROUGH FACTS NOT FEELING by

Phil Huebner. Teens can become lost and confused, unable to answer the question, "Who am I?" Teens (and parents) will find the answers in Christ in this book. T, L

YOUR LIFE HAS MEANING: DISCOVERING YOUR ROLE IN AN EPIC STORY by Luke George

Thompson. This book uses Ecclesiastes and events from Solomon's life to remind you that your purpose in life is to help others recognize God's love, for this is your "role in an epic story." (Youth) T, L

Nonfiction – History

A TALE OF TWO SYNODS by Mark E. Braun. *The story of the split between the Missouri Synod*

and the Wisconsin Synod, told 40 years later, based on research and interviews with leaders who experienced it. L, T

DEAR MISTER MISSIONARY by Ernst H. Wendland. *Letters between a missionary to Africa and his friends back home captures the life of a Twentieth Century missionary in a heartwarming way.* C, T

IBIBIO: THE LIFE AND LETTERS OF BILL AND LEOLA SCHWEBBE IN AFRICA by Ernst H. Wendland. *The story of the Wisconsin Synod's first missionary to Africa 1930's – 1960's.* C, T

NIGERIAN SAFARI OF OTHER GODS AND OTHER SPIRITS by Ernst H. Wendland. *The lives, hopes and fears of the people of Central Africa.* C, T

THE WELS FORTY-NINERS the exploratory expedition to Africa in 1949 by Pastors Edgar H. Hoenecke and Arthur G. Wacker. C, T

TO AFRICA WITH LOVE by Ernst H. Wendland. *A captivating account of WELS mission work in Central Africa.* C, T

WHY SO MANY CHURCHES by Victor Prange. *A survey of church history from 1054 to the Twentieth Century.* C, T

Fiction – Novels

A BRIDE FOR DONNIGAN by Jeanette Oke. *A young "mail-order" bride crosses the ocean to marry a man she did not know.* C, T

A FEUD WITH GOD by Lydia Heerman. *A young woman's struggle with faith, hope and love leads her into a feud with God.* C, T

CHRISTMAS AT HOME by John M. Drickamer. *A touching story about Christmas experiences.* C, T

DAVID AND EILEEN by Grace Hagedorn Bartel. *Using stories, this book addresses challenges facing young people, such as racism, gambling, etc.* C, T

DRUMS OF CHANGE: THE STORY OF RUNNING FAWN by Jeanette Oke. *A girl of the Blackfoot tribe is forced to go to a reservation where she is confused by the white people's culture and their God.* C, T

GREEN AS IN SPRINGTIME by Linda Jane Niedfeldt. *An eager young woman faces challenges in a strange new country and shows her Christian strength.* C, T

LA PALOMA by Gustav Harders. *A missionary to the Apaches makes some Mexican friends as he tries to share the gospel among the people around him.* C, T

PILLOW FACE by Robert Oana. *Enchanting stories for the little one in your family.* C, T

RED AS IN RUSSIA AND MEASLES AND LOVE by Linda Jane Niedfeldt. *A Russian girl leaves her homeland to find religious freedom in the U.S.* C, T

THE KIDS NOBODY LIKES by Joslyn Wiechman Moldstad. *An entertaining story for kids in the middle and upper grades.* C, T

THE MAN WHO WORRIED by John M Drickamer. *A man who worries about the end of the world finds comfort in reading Scripture.* C, T

THE RED GERANIUM by Jeanette Oke. *A boy struggles to understand his grandmother's illness and his discovery of a gift with the power to heal.* C, T

THE WANDERING PIRATE SHIP by Mary I. Schmal. *Lillian Bates whose family lives at a remote lighthouse, struggles with envy and loving others. While solving an island mystery she learns that love is a Fruit of the Spirit. (Children of the Light Series, book 1)* L

THE WOMAN WHO CARED by John M. Drickamer. C, T

YAALAHN by Gustav Harders. *Short anecdotes based on the experience of a missionary to the Apache Indians.* C, T, L

Fiction – God's Servants

KATHERINE, WIFE OF LUTHER by Clara Schreiber. *An engaging historical novel about Luther's wife.* C, T

PONTIUS PILATE by Paul L. Meier. *The Roman governor of Judea rises from the political intrigues of Rome and survives Herod Antipas' treacherous plots.* C, T

Worship – Devotions

ABC DEVOTIONS by Carla J. Schoffner. *A collection of devotions for young children.* C, T

A SHEPHERD LOOKS AT PSALM 23 by Philip Keller. *A lively devotional commentary on the "Shepherd Psalm."* C, T

AT HOME WITH JESUS by Joslyn Wiechmann Moldstad. *97 devotions for children.* C, T

BY HIS GRACE: DEVOTIONS ON CHRISTIAN TOPICS by John A. Braun. C, T

DYING TO LIVE by John A. Braun. *Comfort for the terminally ill and their family and friends.* C, T

FOR SUCH A TIME AS THIS – EPISTLES. *Devotions based on the letters of the New Testament from the devotional periodical Meditations. C, T*

FOR SUCH A TIME AS THIS – OLD TESTAMENT. *Devotions based on the texts from the Testament from the devotional periodical Meditations. C, T*

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