

## Guidelines Biblical Exegesis

*This handbook provides a one-stop-shopping guide to the New Testament exegetical method. Brief and approachable, it offers both a broad overview of the exegetical process and a step-by-step approach to studying the New Testament in depth, helping students and pastors understand the text and appropriate it responsibly. The book is chock-full of illustrations of New Testament texts where the method under discussion truly makes a difference. "A wonderfully clear and accessible handbook for New Testament exegesis. Exegetically rigorous, theologically informed, and practically useful."--Thomas R. Schreiner, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary*
*This comprehensive, up-to-date, and carefully selected bibliography sets the context of African American experience and concern. Cutting-edge scholarship that is in tune with African American churches calls into question many of the canons of traditional biblical research and highlights the role of the Bible in African American history, accenting themes of ethnicity, class, slavery, and African heritage as these play a role in Christian scripture and the Christian odyssey of an emancipated people. Contributors include the volume editors, Thomas Hoyt, Monya A. Stubbs, Vincent Wimbush, and sixteen other notable scholars.*

*John Hayes and Carl Holladay have thoroughly revised and expanded this best-selling textbook, adding new chapters on emerging methods of interpretation and the use of computer technology for exegesis. All bibliographies have been updated, and Scripture has been converted to the NRSV. This new edition retains the features of the early editions: a minimum of technical terms, solid introductory guidelines in exegetical methods, and a valuable presentation of exegetical theory and practice. It is ideal for general introductory exegesis courses, introductions to the Old and New Testaments, and introduction to preaching, as well as for pastors and lay leaders.*

*This second edition of An Introduction to the New Testament provides readers with pertinent material and a helpful framework that will guide them in their understanding of the New Testament texts. Many new and diverse cultural, historical, social-scientific, socioheretical, narrative, textual, and contextual studies have been examined since the publication of the first edition, which was in print for twenty years. The authors retain the original tripartite arrangement on 1) The world of the New Testament, 2) Interpreting the New Testament, and 3) Jesus and early Christianity. An appropriate book for anyone who seeks to better understand what is involved in the exegesis of New Testaments texts today.*

*An Introduction to Lexical Semantics*

*Playing by the Rules*

*Biblical Reasoning*

*Exegetical Dictionary of the New Testament*

*A Beginner's Guide to New Testament Exegesis*

*A Refreshing Guide to Grammar and Interpretation*

*A Guide for Exegesis*

**A one-volume commentary, written and edited by South Asian Biblical scholars on all the books of the Bible.**

**An Annotated Guide to Biblical Resources for Ministry evaluates over 2,000 books that were chosen because of their usefulness for the theological interpretation of the Bible within the context of the faith of the church, significance in the history of interpretation, and representation of evangelical scholarship. This is one of those rare bibliographic guides that every student of religion, seminarian, and minister will want to have on his or her bookshelf. The focus of this guide is on biblical studies. It contains entries on 2,200 books written by 1,300 scholars. Annotations describe and evaluate books that are highly recommended. Virtually every topic in biblical studies is noted: commentaries on each book of the Bible; biblical histories, theologies, and ethics; books on the canon, archaeology, early Judaism, and interpretive methods; and technical books such as grammars, concordances, Bible dictionaries, and atlases. The great strength of this guide is not only that it provides the reader with a wealth of information but also that the format it follows is eminently reader-friendly. The Guide is invaluable for assisting the student, seminarian, or minister in building a personal library. I highly recommend it!" Jack Dean Kingsbury, Professor Emeritus of Biblical Theology, Union Theological Seminary in Virginia**

**In this revised and expanded edition of Elements of Biblical Exegesis: A Basic Guide for Students and Ministers, Michael J. Gorman presents a straightforward approach to the complex task of biblical exegesis. Designed for students, teachers, and ministers, this hands-on guide breaks the task down into seven distinct elements. For each of these, Gorman supplies a clear explanation, practical hints, and suggested exercises to help the reader develop exegetical proficiency. The new edition addresses more fully the meaning of theological interpretation and provides updated print and internet resources for those who want to pursue further study in any aspect of exegesis. Appendixes offer three sample exegesis papers and practical guidelines for writing a research exegesis paper.**

**Let's face it. Just the word exegesis puts some of us on edge. We are excited about learning to interpret the Bible, but the thought of exegetical method evokes a chill. Some textbooks on exegesis do nothing to overcome these apprehensions. The language is dense. The concepts are hard. And the expectations are way too high. However, the skills that we need to learn are ones that a minister of the gospel will use every week. Exegesis provides the process for listening, for hearing the biblical text as if you were an ordinary intelligent person listening to a letter from Paul or a teaching of Mark in first-century Corinth or Ephesus or Antioch. This book by Richard Erickson will help you learn this skill. Thoroughly accessible to students, it clearly introduces the essential methods of interpreting the New Testament, giving students a solid grasp of basic skills while encouraging practice and helping out manageable goals and expectations. Numerous helps and illustrations clarify, summarize and illuminate the principles. And a wealth of exercises tied to each chapter are available on the web. This is a book distinguished not so much by what it covers as by how: it removes the "fear factor" of exegesis. There are many guides to New Testament exegesis, but this one is the most accessible--and fun!**

**The Bible Guide**

**The Oxford Encyclopedia of the Books of the Bible**

**A Guide to the Methodology**

**Biblical Words and Their Meaning**

**A Layperson's Guide to Biblical Interpretation**

**True to Our Native Land**

**A Guide to Contemporary Hermeneutics**

*World-renowned scholar Michael Gorman presents a straightf orward approach to the complex task of biblical exegesis. This third edition of Gorman's widely used and trusted textbook (over 60,000 copies sold) has been thoroughly updated and revised to reflect developments in the academy and the classroom over the past decade. The new edition explains recent developments in theological interpretation and explores missional and non-Western readings of the biblical text. Adaptable for students in various settings, it includes clear explanations, practical hints, suggested exercises, and sample papers.*

*Acknowledging that hermeneutics has become an increasingly important major focus in theological study, Donald McKim's A Guide to Contemporary Hermeneutics presents a series of essays by various writers, assessing current hermeneutical approaches and methods of biblical hermeneutics from their own personal experience.*

*This reliable guide lists and ranks approximately 800 Bible commentaries and 1,200 printed volumes, as well as numerous computer resources related to biblical interpretation, theology, and church history. Commentaries are categorized by level and approach and recommended titles are highlighted. A unique and special studies section lists works of significance for each book of the Bible.*

*The Complete 5-Volume Set on CD-ROM... Now Powered by Pradis*
*What is internationally acclaimed cousin, the New International Dictionary of New Testament Theology, is to the New Testament, the New International Dictionary of Old Testament Theology and Exegesis (NIDOTTE) is to the Old Testament. Drawing on the diligence and expertise of more than 200 contributors from over 100 academic institutions in 24 countries, NIDOTTE is a triumph of modern scholarship. It is indispensable for pastors, students, scholars, and anyone who wants to grasp the full riches of the Bible through a better understanding of Old Testament words and theological concepts.No Need to Know Hebrew or Aramaic:Whether you're a specialist or not, you'll gain a nuanced understanding of words and concepts in the context of the Ancient Near East and the Old Testament. You'll also better understand their relationship to words in the New Testament. NIDOTTE features available with Pradis include:•Guide to Old Testament Theology and Exegesis—Eleven essays supply an overview of biblical hermeneutics and interpretation and provide guidelines for using NIDOTTE in interpreting and exegeting the Old Testament.•Lexical Dictionary—Contains over 3,000 Hebrew words with thorough information on each word.•Topical Dictionary—Unlocks the theology of each Old Testament book and describes biblical concepts, people, places, events, and literary pieces.•Search assistant•Note-taking and bookmarking for book, chapter, verse, topic, or subtopic•Customization—options for text, background colors, font, and point size•Easy-to-use Pradis interface is•Transparent—Sort by Hebrew/Aramaic, English, or both combined.•User-Driven--In the footnotes, choose how you want to view the Hebrew/Aramaic text (true, full, or simple transliteration).•Powerful—Search the dictionary for Hebrew/Aramaic words.•Intuitive—Never lose a window! Tabbed and tiled window panes keep all your resources in view.•Flexible—Many features are easy to use because they're designed like programs you frequently use. For example, navigate by using a context tree or the 'go to' dialog box. Expand the scope and speed of your Bible studies even more!NIDOTTE 5.1 for Windows is powered by Pradis, the most powerful software available for Bible study. It's fully compatible with any edition of Zondervan's Bible Study Library as well as the New International Dictionary of New Testament Theology and the Expositor's Bible Commentary. Choose the right edition for you. For the latest information and program updates, regularly visit www.zondervan.com/interactive. System RequirementsPentium 166 MHz or higher processorWindows 98, 2000, ME, XP or Windows NT 4.0 (Service Pack 6)64 MB RAM20 MB hard disk space minimumCD-ROM driveWindows-compatible pointer deviceWindows-compatible printer*

*A Practical Guide to Using Biblical Hebrew*

*New Testament Exegsis*

*An Annotated Guide to Biblical Resources for Ministry*

*An Introduction to the New Testament*

*Grasping God's Word*

*A Handbook for Students and Pastors*

*A Guide to Biblical Interpretation*

The introductory articles from the New International Dictionary of Old Testament Theology and Exegesis are presented here in a separate publication, serving as an introduction to Old Testament theology and exegesis.

Inspires and instructs students and pastors to use the Hebrew Bible appropriately in their preaching and teaching. Includes sample sermons and lessons.

After spending countless hours studying Hebrew vocabulary, paradigms, and grammar, students may wonder how they can begin to reap the rewards of their hard work. H. H. Hardy II presents 30 grammatical concepts and their exegetical payoff to demonstrate the importance of learning Hebrew for interpreting the Old Testament. In the process, students will realize the practical value of what they have learned. This book is perfect for students looking to apply their Hebrew and for past students who wish to review the essentials of Hebrew grammar.

The target reader of this book is the regular preacher of the scriptures, small group leaders, and the average committed Christian who wants to know how to read and interpret the Bible responsibly. As a "101" is aims to avoid difficult concepts and to cover a fairly wide field at an introductory level. Here are some of the subjects it covers: The act of interpretation is placed in a relational model, showing that humans are always engaging in interpretation, often unconsciously. We have certain natural skills to do so. Standard, historic principles and rules of interpreting scripture, normally found within the great tradition of the Reformers and the leaders of evangelical movements since then, are presented. Once this foundation has been laid, other diverse approaches to biblical interpretation are described. The second part of the book deals with the relationship between the Old Testament and the New Testament, providing a basic understanding of Rabbinical approaches current during the New Testament era, the unique way Jesus read and interpreted the Old Testament, and how this influenced the Christian movement and its writers. The final section deals with revelatory experiences of the Holy Spirit, or charismatic approaches to interpretation, and how this dimension relates to and is balanced by a commitment to the "rule of faith," or ecumenical Christian tradition and its historic rules of interpretation.

Reading the Good Book Well

An Expositor's Field Manual Matthew 24 & 2peter

Exegetical Gems From Biblical Hebrew

Biblical Criticism: A Guide for the Perplexed

A Means to Know the Personal God

A One-Volume Commentary on the Whole Bible

3rd Edition

*Approaching the Bible for the first time can be intimidating. Where should you begin? John Goldingay's reliable and clear guide to exploring the Bible places the biblical books in their times and settings, and then lays out a memorable pattern for understanding the Bible as the story of God and his people, the word of God to his people, and the people's response to God.*

*This is the first in a series of specialised reference works, each addressing a specific subfield within biblical studies. Books of the Bible is in depth, with articles on all of the canonical books, major apocryphal books of the New and Old Testaments, important noncanonical texts and some thematic essays.*

*Do you have a desire to know the "on-the-ground" facts concerning the validity of the New Testament? Have you ever wanted to know what the original languages were and what they said, and to stop relying upon one published translation after another, without studying the languages? Want a different kind of New Testament commentary that is not boring and will excite you to understand how and why the New Testament came to be? Need Solid proof of the validity of the New Testament and the statements of the Messiah? Desire a ground-breaking work that will unite the pages of history with the pages of the Bible? "The Exegetical Study Guide Series" by A. T. Steele will provide the reader with understandable, yet technical, access to the original language without having ever taken one course to do so. Far from being a surface-level study, this book will draw the reader into the richness and depth of the New Covenant concept, rife with life-applications. Prepare to understand the original New Testament content as it was intended to be understood by its original authors. It is a beginner's guide to deeper New Testament study as well as a long-awaited work for the bible student, and can be utilized in personal and group studies, collegiate pursuits and as a reference for research. Steele's methods of explaining the original Greek of the New Testament and demonstrating how it is translated is a careful crafted and designed for the average reader, and is positively unlike anything else found on the subject. The reader will assuredly walk away from the book with a new outlook on how the New Testament came to be, and how history was awakened in the first-century. This book should be in the hands of any serious student of biblical exegesis, and every serious Christian who is on the path of real discipleship.*

*An illustrated companion guide to the Bible provides insight, time lines, chapter outlines, and context, staying close to the text and offering running commentaries and descriptions.*

*A Guide to Biblical Research*

*Old Testament Exegesis*

*A Beginner's Handbook*

*Interpreting the Old Testament*

*A Book-By-Book Guide*

*An African American New Testament Commentary*

*Introduction to Biblical Interpretation*

Provides pastors and students with expert guidance on choosing a commentary for any book of the Old Testament.

A Guide to Biblical Commentaries and Reference Works, by John F. Evans, summarizes and briefly analyzes all recent and many older commentaries on each book of the Bible, giving insightful comments on the approach of each commentary and its interpretive usefulness especially for evangelical interpreters of the Bible. A Guide to Biblical Commentaries and Reference Works is essentially an annotated bibliography of hundreds of commentators. More scholarly books receive a longer, more detailed treatment than do lay commentaries, and highly recommended commentaries have their author's names in bold. The author keeps up on the publication of commentaries and intends to update this book every three to four years.

Old Testament Use of Old Testament contains in one clearly arranged volume every scriptural allusion in the Old Testament, along with a hermeneutical profile of each Old Testament book's overall use of Scripture. A one-of-a-kind resource, it provides an invaluable beginning place for intertextual study of the Old Testament.

The state of teaching and biblical interpretation in colleges and seminaries is generally a mess, and many conventional approaches can be alarming for religious students. The sources of this difficulty are wide ranging, but a quick summary would include at least the following: jargon that is unnecessarily technical; competing and contradictory methodologies; and a failure on the part of Biblical scholarship to demonstrate the direct relevance of its methods to the pastoral life of the Church. As a consequence, biblical scholarship is often opaque at best and distressing at worst to the student and beginning theologian. And because pastors and lay people are trained within this cobweb of methods, they are often functionally unable to draw clear conclusions from most teaching resources. Jerry Camery-Hoggatt addresses this problem with several solutions: a return to a conscious affirmation of authorial intention as the beginning place for interpretation; a careful examination of the actual workings of communication; a concept of text to include the assumptions and cultural knowledge upon which the text depends for meaningful communication; an examination of the various academic disciplines with an eye toward correlating their conclusions with the necessary activities of reading, and easily accessible language that makes sense to the beginning student and the lay reader alike. Here is a single, accessible volume that explains the basic vocabulary and logic of biblical interpretation, shows how the various methodologies can be fitted together into a seamless interpretive model for exegesis, and then reflects carefully on the implications of that method for the various issues of reading, teaching, reflection, and preaching. Through common and practical examples Jerry Camery-Hoggatt teaches students a way of reading the Bible that replicates the activities the biblical authors expected their readers would perform, and he uses a model that is applicable across linguistic boundaries, genres, and various cultural contexts; that is, throughout the human experience of language there exists a common set of mental activities that can be identified and studied, and these are fundamental to reading and interpreting the Bible. The prose style is conversational, non-technical, and is intended to be inviting to the beginning student, and refreshing for advanced students and teachers.

Old Testament Commentary Survey

The Exegetical Study Guide Series

A Handbook of New Testament Exegesis

10th Edition

From Exegesis to Exposition

A Comprehensive Guide to Biblical and Theological Resources

A Guide to Exegesis of the Hebrew Bible

Elements of Biblical Exegesis: A Basic Guide for Students and MinistersBaker Books

In this accessible guide to interpreting the Bible, senior New Testament scholar Robert Stein helps readers identify various biblical genres, understand the meaning of biblical texts, and apply that meaning to contemporary life. This edition has been completely revised throughout to reflect Stein's current thinking and changes to the discipline over the past decade. Students of the Bible will find the book effective in group settings. Praise for the first edition "Stein's work is both a fine introduction to the task of biblical hermeneutics for the novice and an innovative refresher for the veteran teacher or pastor."--Faith & Mission

A clear guide to modern biblical criticism

Two experts in exegesis and dogmatics show how Christology and the doctrine of the Trinity are grounded in Scripture and how knowledge of these topics is critical for exegesis. The book outlines key theological principles and rules for the exegesis of Christian Scripture, making it an ideal textbook for hermeneutics and interpretation courses. The authors explore how the triline God revealed in Christ shapes Scripture and its readers and how doctrinal rules intrinsic to Scripture help guide exegesis.

Biblical Exegesis, Third Edition

A Basic Guide to Interpreting the Bible

Old Testament Exegesis, Fourth Edition

New International Dictionary of Old Testament Theology and Exegesis 5.1 for Windows

Old Testament Use of Old Testament

A Layperson's Guide to Biblical Interpretation

Taking the Fear out of Critical Method

**Introduction to Biblical Interpretation, now in its third edition, is a classic hermeneutics textbook that sets forth concise, logical, and practical guidelines for discovering the truth in God's Word. With updates and revisions throughout that keep pace with current scholarship, this book offers students the best and most up-to-date information needed to interpret Scripture. Introduction to Biblical Interpretation: Defines and describes hermeneutics, the science of biblical interpretation Suggests effective methods to understand the meaning of the biblical text Surveys the literary, cultural, social, and historical issues that impact any text Evaluates both traditional and modern approaches to Bible interpretation Examines the reader's role as an interpreter of the text and helps identify what the reader brings to the text that could distort its message Tackles the problem of how to apply the Bible in valid and significant ways today Provides an extensive and revised annotated list of books that readers will find helpful in the practice of biblical interpretation Used in college and seminary classrooms around the world, this volume is a trusted and valuable tool for students and other readers who desire to understand and apply the Bible.**

**For years, Douglas Stuart's Old Testament Exegesis has been one of the most popular ways to learn how to perform exegesis--the science and art of interpreting biblical texts properly for understanding as well as proclamation. Completely updated and substantially expanded, this new edition includes scores of newer resources, a new configuration of the format for the exegesis process, and an entirely new section explaining where to find and how to use the latest electronic and online resources for doing biblical research. Stuart provides guidance for full exegesis as well as for a quicker approach to provide information specifically tailored to the task of preaching. A glossary of terms explains the sometimes bewildering language of biblical scholarship, and a list of frequent errors guides the student in avoiding common mistakes. No exegetical guide for the Old Testament has been more widely used in training ministers and students to be faithful, careful interpreters.**

**Translated from the 12th edition of the German work (date and publisher not noted), this work is intended as a training work for advanced students. Approaches examined include text literary criticism, transmission historical, form critical, traditional historical, and historical setting determination. An illustrative example of interpretation using the analysis of Genesis 28:10-22 concludes the book. Annotation copyrighted by Book News, Inc., Portland, OR**

**This handbook provides a comprehensive guide to methods, terms, and concepts used by biblical interpreters. It offers students and non-specialists an accessible resource for understanding the complex vocabulary that accompanies serious biblical studies. Articles, arranged alphabetically, explain terminology associated with reading the Bible as literature, clarify the various methods Bible scholars use to study biblical texts, and illuminate how different interpretive approaches can contribute to our understanding. Article references and topical bibliographies point readers to resources for further study. This handbook, now updated and revised to be even more useful for students, was previously published as Interpreting the Bible: A Handbook of Terms and Methods. It is a suitable complement to any standard hermeneutics textbook.**

**South Asia Bible Commentary**

**Biblical Interpretation 101**

**A Basic Guide for Students and Ministers**

**A Guide to Old Testament Theology and Exegesis**

**Major Trends in Biblical Interpretation**

**Christological and Trinitarian Rules for Exegesis**

**An Essential Guide to Methods, Terms, and Concepts**

The third edition of this handbook provides a step-by-step guide to writing an exegetical paper on the New Testament. It takes into account the latest advances in methodology as well as resources. 10 illustrations.

This revised and expanded edition presents a comprehensive exposition of biblical lexicology. .

This present volume presents important and useful information to students doing exegetical research in Sacred Scripture. The Guide is arranged in six chapters, which endeavor to respond to students' questions regarding: the primary sources of the biblical text (chapter one), a survey of available biblical bibliographical research tools (chapter two), a panorama of reference works, such as concordances, synopses, lexicons, grammars, etc., and an essential bibliography on exegetical methods (chapter three). Particular attention is given to the literary types occurring in the Bible (chapter four), followed by some suggestions in organizing the writing of an exegetical study (chapter five). Finally, some practical rules are provided on how to make accurate bibliographic citations in footnotes and in a bibliography (chapter six).

A guide to essential aspects of Old Testament exegesis

An Introductory Articles from the New International Dictionary of Old Testament Theology and Exegesis

Handbook for Biblical Interpretation

A Reader's Guide to the Bible

A Guide to Biblical Commentaries and Reference Works

Commentary & Reference Survey

Elements of Biblical Exegesis

Interpreting an ancient book like the Bible can be an intimidating task. Hopefully, this book will demystify or make less complicated the task of Biblical interpretation for the layperson (or seminarian) by the use of a handy and memorable acronym 'SCAR'--where S means sitting with the text to listen to the Biblical author's words over and over again; where C means the literary and cultural-historical contexts; where A means analysis; and finally, where R means God's Redemptive Remedy. Readers are treated to some accessible theory behind Biblical interpretation in Part 1 and examples in Part 2, where SCAR is applied directly to two Old Testament and two New Testament texts. God has revealed himself on the pages of Scripture. He has revealed himself because he wants to be jealously and desperately known; so, my prayer for you is that this small book along with the True Biblical Interpreter, the Holy Spirit, will greatly and patiently escort you in this endeavor so that you fall more in love with our beautiful and gracious God who knows and loves you intimately. And may your growing and maturing love for him manifest itself in your unwavering obedience to him.

'Excellent, practical, and accurate. It leads students from the most fundamental building blocks of interpretation (including skills that most beginning students lack) through all the essential processes.' --Craig S. Keener, Professor of New Testament, Eastern Seminary Just as a rock climber's handhold enables him to master the mountain, a firm grasp on God's Word empowers us to traverse the challenging, risky slopes of life. This workbook is designed for use with the textbook Grasping God's Word. While the textbook shows you the principles and tools of interpretation, the workbook lets you try them out by applying them to specific genres and contexts. Together, these books will help you get a grip on the solid rock of Scripture--how to read it, how to interpret it, and how to apply it. Features include:
\* Proven in classrooms across the county
\* Emphasis on real-life application
\* Supplemented by a website for professors providing extensive teaching materials
\* Updates corresponding to the second edition of the textbook, including new exercises Grasping God's Word progresses through the following five sections: 1.

How to Read the Book--Basic Tools 2. Contexts--Now and Then 3. Meaning and Application 4. The Interpretive Journey--New Testament 5. The Interpretive Journey--Old Testament