

## **Stop Dating The Church Fall In Love With Family Of God Lifechange Books Joshua Harris**

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### **What Is a Healthy Church Member?**

I think most of us Christians need the inspiration of the Holy Spirit to understand fully what the Lord was saying here in the Spirit, to understand the calling we received, no one was called by the Lord to come and be a bench warmer, or to just be a worker in church, for we all know only in parts and only the Spirit of the man knows the mind of the man, so only the Holy Spirit knows what God was asking us to do here through Jesus when he was giving us the great commission. The bible records in the book of Acts 1:2; Until the day in which he was taken up, after that he through the Holy Ghost had given Instructions (Commandments) unto the apostles he had chosen. We all need to be brought into the full depth of this commission by the Holy Ghost because He alone knows the mind of God who was speaking through Jesus at this hour just before ascension. The Holy Spirit is the Spirit of God that proceeds from God the Father and He alone can reveal spiritually what God is saying here. 1 Corinthians 2:10-11. For once we catch the fire in the inside of us then it is impossible for anyone or the devil to stop us in our work with the Lord, AND LO I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS, EVEN TO THE END OF AGE, AMEN. What then shall we say in response to this? If God is for us who can be against us? Romans 8:31. (The fact that the last statement of our Lord ended with amen indicates that it was an instruction that ended with an affirmative prophetic prayer) Jesus and God were jointly giving that instruction through the Holy Spirit and we saw the manifestations of the affirmative prophetic prayer in the lives of the apostles as signs and wonders with fruitfulness following them in their work. After the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, he was taken up into heaven and he sat on the right hand of God. Then the disciples went out and preached everywhere, and the Lord worked with them and confirmed his word by the signs that accompanied it- Mark 16: 19-2

### **Those Who Must Give an Account**

## **The First Thirty Days**

"Understanding the fall is Susan's first book and is based on her own personal experience of growing up with an alcoholic parent. She has performed readings of her book and has donated it to recovery houses and institutions throughout Los Angeles." -- P. [4] of cover.

## **Don't Date a Psycho**

A woman named Faith is jolted from her simple existence when she learns she is a lightworker, an evolved soul sent to Earth to increase love. Complicating this startling news is the revelation that she hasn't been fulfilling her life's purpose and has one year to prove herself - or be pulled from her assignment! As Faith confronts this daunting task, she faces very human concerns, including releasing her own negativity, searching for love, and even a dead blind date! How will Faith fare as she begins her spiritual journey and finds her gifts tested beyond anything she's known?

## **Adventures of a Lightworker**

There is a lot of talk today regarding the brokenness of the church with very few offering hope as to how it can be any different. In this book, Pastor Mark Wargo not only identifies some of the problems of betrayal we face within the church, but he also offers solutions and hope to stop this cycle. We all experience betrayal in this life, but sadly, too many have experienced betrayal in the church. Some get stuck in it and some go beyond it. Through this book Mark helps us recognize who the potential betrayers are, the three main betrayers we may face, the three characteristics of betrayers. Most importantly, he helps those who are stuck in the pain and grip of betrayal to move Beyond Betrayal. An ABSOLUTE MUST READ if you have ever attended a church, lead a church or lead within the church. Mark's passion for the Church will spark yours once again - because it is so beautifully Jesus' heart. Get ready for incredible biblical insight - Hope for the betrayed, knowledge to not perish, wisdom to navigate the journey, and obtaining a right heart to move 'Beyond Betrayal' and join the anthem of 'No more broken churches'.

## **One Last Promise**

Biblically and practically instructs church members in ways they can labor for the health of their church. What Is a Healthy Church Member? takes its cue from Mark Dever's book What Is a Healthy Church?, which offered one definition of what a healthy church looks like biblically and historically. In this new work, pastor Thabiti Anyabwile attempts to answer the natural next question: "What does a healthy church member look like in the light of Scripture?" God intends for us to play an active and vital part in the body of Christ, the local church. He wants us to experience the local church as a home more profoundly wonderful and meaningful than any other place on earth. He intends for his churches to be healthy places and for the members of those churches to be healthy as well. This book explains how membership in the local church can produce spiritual growth in its members and

how each member can contribute to the growth and health of the whole.

## Why Church Matters

So where are your family and friends going to spend eternity - heaven or hell? You can make the difference. I hear many Christians say, "I want to witness, but what do I say?" Many times the hardest part in witnessing is just getting started. When fear grips or they get tongue tied Christians often wonder: "How do I segue this conversation onto the Gospel track?" This is a huge problem because if a Christian does not know how to transition a conversation onto the Gospel track, then they will not be witnessing at all. This book is the solution that contains over 400 Icebreakers to help get you started. These icebreakers are friendly and easy to use and they are listed by location so that you can witness to the lost wherever you go. Many Christians wait to share the Gospel until Christmas or Easter. Many times that is too late because so many young people are killed instantly through car wrecks, drug overdoses or drive by shootings and even middle-aged people die suddenly of heart attacks or some other illness. No one ever knows when their last day on earth will be. It will stir your compassion and give you the needed courage to witness to the lost wherever you go Please be kind, use loving boldness and remember that God is love. All 400 icebreakers Icebreakers are organized in sections under headings: I Want to Witness, But What Do I Say - Around: Entertainment; Financial Affairs; Food; Healthcare; Holidays and Special Times; the Great Outdoors; Shopping or Doing Errands; Sports, Work and Traveling. There is a handy INDEX in the back! Each section contains 7 to 9 different "object evangelism icebreakers." God gave the ideas for these icebreakers when He revealed to me that Jesus taught using objects in his environment in Matthew 13 using parables. Christians can witness like Jesus did through taking an object and making a comment that relates to the Gospel in some way, which makes a great transition or segue into the topic of the Gospel. For e.g.: WATER - "This water reminds me of the living water. Have you ever had any of that water?" Or DOOR - "This door reminds me of what Jesus said (John 10:9) that He is the DOOR to eternal life. Have you ever walked through that door?" Or DOWNLOAD - "Downloading this file or picture reminds me of the time I downloaded Jesus into my heart. Have you ever done that download?" SALT & PEPPER - "These salt and pepper shakers remind me of the Kingdom of Light and the Kingdom of darkness." Or BREAD - This bread reminds me of what Jesus said: "I Am the Bread of Life. He who comes to Me will never go hungry," (John 6:35). Or SUGAR - This sugar reminds me of how sweet it is to trust in Jesus. After you say the icebreaker, you LISTEN to what they say in response and then be led by the spirit in what you say next. It is a "no fail" way to witness to the lost because, even if they do not accept Jesus at that moment, the object is still there to continue to remind them of what you said long after you are gone. After you say the icebreaker, the chapter "Truth to Say to 13 False Religions" will help you even more to witness to: Atheists & Evolutionists, Buddhists, Hindus, Jehovah Witnesses, Jewish people, Mormons, Muslims, New Agers, Scientologists, Unitarian Universalists and Homosexuals and Lesbians. There is also a chapter called Prophetic Evangelism that teaches you how to witness using a word of knowledge that God gives you to deliver a prophetic word to witness to the lost. There are several testimonies that show you, "Yes, it works!" About Rev. Susan Nazarewicz: Susan graduated from the UNC at Chapel Hill (B.A.); RHEMA Bible Training College, Victory World Missions Training Center, Church On the Move School of Ministry and

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### **Lust and the Lord**

Every relationship deserves a great launch! Inside this book you'll find an arsenal of thirty actionable principles to serve as your dating advance team and coach. End the cycle of early-stage dating disasters and discover savvy new skills to navigate the challenges and complexities of building a relationship into a life-long union. "In an age where we've lost intentionality in dating, *The First Thirty Days* definitely spurs on men and women to date with intention to find God's best for them. I will be handing this book out left and right for sure." - Sarah Francis Martin, author of *Stress Point: Thriving Through Your Twenties In A Decade of Drama* and Editor @ [liveitoutblog.com](http://liveitoutblog.com) "In a world where courtship and wooing seem like habits of another generation, *The First Thirty Days* provides a biblically-based, practical approach to exploring love's potential." - Chris Burton, Vice-President Mid-America Christian University & CRU Oklahoma Catalyst "Relationships can be messy and complicated, but *The First Thirty Days* gives practical advice to singles that lead to healthy relationships." - Monica Leija, Servant to Single Adults & Chief Communicator @ [confessionsofahotmess.com](http://confessionsofahotmess.com) Jeremy Poland speaks from relevant experience as an advocate for marriage in this generation. He has pastored single and married adults for over a decade in a large metropolitan context and holds degrees from Texas A&M University (BA) and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary (M.Div). Marriage Pursuit (c) is his resource community for marriage seekers ([marriagepursuit.com](http://marriagepursuit.com)). In his late-twenties he pursued and married his wife, Jennifer and have currently been blessed with four young children in Houston, Texas. GET MARRIED! In *The First Thirty Days*, Jeremy Poland will set you up to: Develop a proactive game plan for establishing a purposeful connection Avoid the disappointment of wasted time and social opportunity Employ sound techniques for character discernment Gain confidence in boundary protection and conflict management Honor God by pursuing your mate with passion and respect

Reviews "I am thankful for the ministry that God has blessed you with in helping single people like me find a mate. I have matured a lot this year by the grace of God and through friends like you and the content that you have published through Marriage Pursuit. I really appreciate the information that God has given you to pass along to me as I continue to seek the Lord in finding my missing rib." - EP "I cannot wait to see what God will do with this book. So needed for this time in this generation." - ML "I just bought your book and started reading it and wanted to thank you for what a blessing it already is in the very first few chapters. I am so thankful that God called you to share your wisdom and you answered that call!" - MG

### **Forever and Ever: Volume Six**

Skye begins to believe that she and Cayson can never work out their differences. The rest of the gang becomes just as irritated with Cayson, and Skye feels better knowing she isn't alone. Despite the advances the handsome Ward makes toward her, she insists there's only one man who will ever have her heart. But that

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changes when Skye spots Cayson doing something she can never forgive. Cayson keeps going back and forth in his debate about Skye. He knows he loves her, but is that enough to put the past behind him? When Sean comes to his apartment for another talk, he tells Cayson something that will forever change his life. And it might be enough to get his head on straight. Roland's life is coming together when he's offered a promotion at his job. With a paycheck coming in and enough money to get his own place, everything is falling into place. But when he attends a party with Heath, Skye makes a comment about Heath that he can't shake off. Conrad turns to his father for yet another favor, but he isn't sure if his dad will help him once again.

### **After the Fall**

Dating. Isn't there a better way? Reorder your romantic life in the light of God's word and find more fulfillment than the dating game could ever give - a life of purposeful singleness.

### **The Elmo Jenkins Trilogy**

Lawrence, also known as Fifty- Fifty, sits atop his Suzuki, Hayabusa 1300, when Nicole catches his eye as she's walking into a neighborhood restaurant one summer day. Getting to know one another, she's taken in by his charm and good looks while learning he's an eligible bachelor. Believing in love at first sight, Nicole believed she's found the man of her dreams until she notices a six-inch knife in his car on their first date. Fifty-Fifty claimed the weapon was for self-defense but Nicole was terrified. Her internal instinct takes over, vowing never to date him again. A few weeks pass before she relents, they end up dating for three months. On every date he would come to her house saying he lived too far away. The day she finally is to go to his house, he's nowhere to be found. In fact, all of his phones are disconnected within a few hours of them making plans. The next day he calls her with the shocking news that he is married and their relationship must come to an end. Have you ever wondered how you can tell if a guy is really single when you first meet him? This is a tough question to answer at first glance or even on the first date because so many men carry around "dark secrets" with them. In fourteen scintillating chapters, you'll find the real truth about married men with baggage that leads on single women. Women, who put in love and care hoping to build a relationship, receive a broken heart and a relationship that ends in a thud -- turning out to be their bittersweet desire. Learn how married men prey on single woman, the warning signs that can give away the lie, and how to survive and move on. Single and married people alike will benefit from the lessons of Her Bittersweet Desire

### **Where Are All the Brothers?**

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### **Desiring God**

Will You Stay? Caleb Breakey prays to God you do. In Called to Stay Breakey takes a refreshingly honest look at the church, the problem of Millennials leaving, and the stark reality of why the church desperately needs them. He holds nothing back as he unleashes an ambitious rallying cry to heal the church and inject his generation's desire for truth, passion, and conviction into other believers. Caleb knows that answering the challenge of his own generation leads to a transformed church. And a changed church can change the world.

### **Redeeming Church Conflicts**

A fresh and practical answer for today's Christian on the question, What's so important about going to church? The author talks to readers in relationships about the urgent necessity and the profound benefits of being committed to a local church. Perfect for new believers and longtime Christians, this book is an inviting conversation that offers real and respectful solutions. 176.

### **Afraid to Fall**

The Institutional Church Beast Infrastructure is an easy to understand and a comprehensive guide to some of the various tricks, techniques, lies and deceptions that are commonly used by the church beast system today. In 2015 many people are walking through life believing that they have an obligation to conform to the lunacy that the church purports to be sound doctrine and righteous teaching. In this book Babatunde Umanah takes the reader through the maze of confusion and mystery surrounding many of the common sayings and frequent bread and circus, minstrel show, buffoonish practices exercised within the vast majority of church beast branches across the denominational board and shows the reader the truth behind the veil. This book is designed to be used as a deprogramming and deconstructing tool which one can utilise to free themselves from the mental and physical shackles that have been strategically put in place by clergy and other church leadership. The Institutional Church Beast Infrastructure is purposely designed to be a straight forward, non complex, no nonsense read that can easily be digested and understood by all.

### **Ghost Boys**

“Have confidence in your leaders and submit to their authority, because they keep

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watch over you as those who must give an account.” --Hebrews 13:17a There is a surprising, even dangerous, gap in the literature on the church in the areas of church membership and church discipline. The former sets the boundaries of a leader’s responsibility, and discipline is the last option of a church when members will no longer live in fellowship with their brothers and sisters in the Lord and accept the guidance of their leaders. And so this book is written first to church leaders, offering guidance on how they should receive and minister to those for whom they will have to give an account according to Scripture. But under the view of the church upheld in these chapters, the receiving of members and discipline of members are both acts of the greater church body, and thus all members of the church share in the accountability for each other. Consequently, Those Who Must Give an Account will be of interest to all believers. Among this volume’s nine notable contributors are Mark E. Dever (“The Practical Issues of Church Membership”), Thomas R. Schreiner (“The Biblical Basis for Church Discipline”), and Bruce Riley Ashford and Danny Akin (“The Church as God’s Missional People”).

### **Church Baby Dedication Log**

In this unique book, Pastor Eric Redmond confronts the important question of "Where are the black men in the African-American church?" with a candid approach that combines wisdom with a conversational tone. Instead of side-stepping issues, Redmond converses with readers about some of their reasons for not going to church-the church seems geared toward women, the preacher is just an ordinary man, Islam appears to offer more for the black man, organized religion is not necessary, churches are just after your money-and approaches their skepticism with respect but also with corrective truth. On these and other topics, Where Are All the Brothers? speaks about the things that men think about in private or discuss at the barbershop when it comes to church and religion, challenging them to reexamine their long-held assumptions. Redmond, who has used this material in a variety of settings with great success, also gives eight things to look for when considering a good church so that readers can find a healthy, biblical church home. And it's all in this unintimidating book that can easily be read in ten minutes a day.

### **The Cathedral**

Insightful and heart-warming, this classic book is written for those who seek to know God better. It unfolds life-impacting, biblical truths and has been called a "soul-stirring celebration of the pleasures of knowing God."

### **The Institutional Church Beast Infrastructure**

Conflict resolution experts provide leaders and lay people a biblical road map for navigating and redeeming church conflicts.

### **Understanding the Fall**

This book is a practical guide to using the science of attachment and relationships to find the right life partner. If you were brought up in the Western world, you've

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been trained on fairy tales of love and relationships that are misleading at best, and at worst have you making mistake after mistake in starting relationships with the wrong kinds of people who will waste your time and keep you from finding a loyal partner. Science has the answer! Or at least a guide to save you the time and effort of discovering for yourself how many wrong types of romantic partners there are. Reading this book will help you recognize the signs of some of the syndromes that prevent people from being good partners. We'll go through those syndromes and point out some of the signs. Those little red flags you sometimes notice when you are getting to know someone? Often they speak loud and clear once you understand the types, and you can decide immediately to run away or approach with caution those who show them. If you're young and just starting to look for a partner, good news-the world is swarming with well-adjusted, charming matches for you, if you know how to recognize them. The bad news: you are inexperienced and you may not recognize the right type of person when you date them. Many people expect to experience an immediate sense of excitement, an overwhelming rush of attraction, and to fall in love rapidly and equally with someone who feels the same. This rarely happens, and when it does it usually ends badly! And expecting it will cause you to let go of people who are steady, loving, and attentive, if you had given them a chance. So once you've identified someone who makes you laugh, answers your messages, and is there for you when you want them, don't make the mistake of tossing them aside for the merely good-looking, sexy, or intriguing stranger. If you're older, bad news: while you were spending time and effort on relationships you were hoping would turn out better, or even happily nestled in a good relationship or two, most of the secure, reliable, sane people in your age group got paired off. They're married or happily enfamilied, and most of the people your age in the dating pool are tragically unable to form a good long-term relationship. You should always ask yourself, "why is this one still available?"-there may be a good answer (recently widowed or left a long-term relationship), or it may be that this person has just been extraordinarily unlucky in having over twenty short relationships in twenty years (to cite one case!) But it's far more likely you have met someone with a problematic attachment style. As you age past 40, the percentage of the dating pool that is able to form a secure, stable relationship drops to less than 30%<sup>[1]</sup>; and since it can take months of dating to understand why Mr. or Ms. SeemsNice is really the future ex-partner from Hell, being able to recognize the difficult types will help you recognize them faster and move on to the next. This book outlines the basics (which might be all you need), and points you toward more resources if you want to understand more about your problem partner. If you're wondering if the guy or girl you've been hanging out with might not be quite right, this is the place to match those little red flags you've noticed with known bad types. And by getting out fast, you can avoid emotional damage and wasted time, and get going on finding someone who's really right for you. Study all of the bad types and you'll detect them before even getting involved. Or you could be one of the few people who recognizes their own problems in one of these types. There are study materials and plans of action for you, too. If you've had lots of relationships and they all seem to go wrong, the common factor is you! Your task is to make yourself into a better partner - a goal that even the most evolved of us can always work toward.

### **The Pyramid and the Box**

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Damon Durant is not your average bad boy; sure, he has a wicked smile that flaunts an unpredictable nature and more than a hint of danger, but if growing up shuffled from one dysfunctional foster family to another has taught him anything it's that love is hard to come by. So when he flirts with a sexy, young restaurateur named Kelsey Lawford, he can't help but think that he's finally found the one. When it comes to romance, Kelsey has always trusted her heart, and it has led to more than a bit of heartache and regret. Now she's ready to concentrate on what she wants twenty years down the road, instead of twenty minutes into the future. So when she banters with a romance novelist who exudes enough blistering sex appeal to leave her breathless, Kelsey ignores her feelings. Because if her past has taught her anything, it's that men like Damon can't be trusted, especially when she learns that this irresistible man has left a trail of broken hearts in his wake. Kelsey wants to trust the longing Damon evokes in his books and the adorable relationship he shares with his cute Beagle, thinking there's more to the Harley-riding bad boy everyone says is only out for one thing. But will it be enough to convince Kelsey to overlook her past and trust a man that everyone says can't be trusted?

### **I Want to Witness, But What Do I Say?**

Congregations, the members who attend them, and the leaders who serve them are too often wounded by the ill effects of bad decision-making. The Pyramid and the Box attempts to answer three primary questions about decision-making in the local church: What is decision-making? Who are the legitimate decision-makers? How do you execute effective decision-making?

### **Why Are We Losing the Kids?**

"What are you, some kinda PSYCHO?" How many times have you said this to someone? Probably a lot. How often has someone said this to you? Hopefully, not so much! Truth is, we've all dated or been involved with someone who drove us nuts or, if we haven't, chances are that we were the ones who got on the other person's nerves. Now, the question is: who is the Psycho; you or the other person? Don't Date a Psycho: Don't Be One, Don't Date One looks at why we behave in the ways that we do in relationships, what makes us stay with the person we're with and what makes us leave them, and how to tell who is safe to be in a relationship with and who is unsafe. Done with humor and written from more than two decades of clinical experience as a psychologist, Dr. Keiron Brown helps us to gain a clearer understanding of who we are as individuals, who we are as partners in relationships and what makes each and every one of us prone to acting a little nuts sometimes when our hearts are at stake.

### **Prayer - the 100 Most Powerful Prayers to Get Your Ex Back - with 4 Bonus Books to Pray for Teen Dating, Love, Instant Persuasion and Body Image**

A heartbreaking and powerful story about a black boy killed by a police officer, drawing connections through history, from award-winning author Jewell Parker Rhodes. An instant New York Times bestseller An instant IndieBound bestseller The

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#1 Kids' Indie Next Pick A Walter Award winner Only the living can make the world better. Live and make it better. Twelve-year-old Jerome is shot by a police officer who mistakes his toy gun for a real threat. As a ghost, he observes the devastation that's been unleashed on his family and community in the wake of what they see as an unjust and brutal killing. Soon Jerome meets another ghost: Emmett Till, a boy from a very different time but similar circumstances. Emmett helps Jerome process what has happened, on a journey towards recognizing how historical racism may have led to the events that ended his life. Jerome also meets Sarah, the daughter of the police officer, who grapples with her father's actions. Once again Jewell Parker Rhodes deftly weaves historical and socio-political layers into a gripping and poignant story about how children and families face the complexities of today's world, and how one boy grows to understand American blackness in the aftermath of his own death.

### Lord of the World

I found this book on Bookbub, and am thrilled with what I've read. I wish every Christian would read it--especially every pastor and leader. My husband (who is a pastor) and I had already come to these conclusions before I found this book, but it gives me great hope that others are seeing the same disastrous problems. We have created a "monster" that we call "church" which little resembles the New Testament kind, and people are fleeing it. For all the promise of the "contemporary" style church, it isn't really much better. The church is failing to make disciples and failing to make any real impact in the culture, and it's all because we have failed to make authentic (true) converts. It's that simple. It's easy to make a disciple of someone who has been truly converted. Otherwise, with our usual crop of "decisions," it's like pushing a rope to get any serious commitment or Christlikeness out of them. The Bible says that Jesus is the Door, but to be brutally honest, the only way through that Door is to crawl--in repentance, submission (brokenness), and faith. We are no different than the church of the Middle Ages that baptized babies for salvation, leaving millions of people still in their sins. There isn't really any such thing as "a church for the unchurched" as many like to claim today. We should be the church of the redeemed, but we have become a church of the unsubmitive, unrepentant, unconverted, uncommitted, and unfaithful. And it all goes back to one thing--real salvation thru real repentance and real faith in Jesus Christ."-M.J. Freeman ..". thought provoking book showing true believers in Jesus Christ the need to examine the methods we are using to evangelize our children the author backs up all of her writing with scripture, the true Word of God." -Alicia Canner " Wow what an eye opener, it opened my eyes to the real meaning of being born again. Not only a book to help with the youth but for everyone"-Malinda Zemrose As Christian women, there is probably nothing more heartbreaking than seeing our children turn from God. We spend thousands of dollars, and sacrifice countless hours to VBS, Bible clubs, Youth outings, Church camp, and children's parties every year. We build elaborate stage sets, plan fantastic carnivals, and youth extravaganzas and bus in all the children and teens we can find in the hopes of leading them to Christ; and yet we are still losing them. We see the grown-up children, the "fruits" of our outreaches, living as practical Atheists. They walk and talk and act like the world, even loving the world, and though they claim to be saved, evidence of life in Christ is conspicuously absent. Even our own children are abandoning the faith. They have asked Jesus into their

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hearts and yet we see them turn from God at staggering rates. Statistics show that no less than half have turned from God by High School age and closer to two thirds by the time they finish college. What we're doing is just not working! In *Why Are We Losing the Kids?* You'll see where we have gone wrong and where to go from here. - We can turn the tide on our failing ministry efforts! - We can share the gospel without creating false converts or backsliders! - We can keep the kids if we'll follow God's plan! The Bible has the answers if we're willing to hear them!

### **Memory-Making Mom**

The publication of the King James version of the Bible, translated between 1603 and 1611, coincided with an extraordinary flowering of English literature and is universally acknowledged as the greatest influence on English-language literature in history. Now, world-class literary writers introduce the book of the King James Bible in a series of beautifully designed, small-format volumes. The introducers' passionate, provocative, and personal engagements with the spirituality and the language of the text make the Bible come alive as a stunning work of literature and remind us of its overwhelming contemporary relevance.

### **Her Bittersweet Desire**

The novel's protagonist is a British Roman Catholic priest, Father Percy Franklin, who looks identical to the mysterious U.S. Senator Julian Felsenburgh of Vermont. The senator appears as a lone and dramatic figure promising world peace in return for blind obedience. No one quite knows who he is or where he comes from, but his voice mesmerizes. Under his leadership, war is abolished. Felsenburgh becomes the President of Europe, then of the world, by popular acclaim. Everyone is fascinated with him, yet still no one knows much about him. People are both riveted and frightened by the way he demands attention. Most follow without question. Having been a close observer of President Felsenburgh's rise, Father Franklin is called to Rome, a Hong Kong-style enclave ruled by Pope John XXVI and raised to the College of Cardinals. Meanwhile, defections among bishops and priests increase. At Cardinal Franklin's instigation, the pope abolishes the Eastern Catholic Churches and forms a new religious order, the Order of Christ Crucified. All its members, including the Pope, vow to die in the name of the faith.

### **Segregation in Churches**

Abigail Walker and Jarvis Daniels are longtime sweethearts headed in opposite directions. Abby, an aspiring cellist, wants out of her humble Detroit surroundings and is willing to shed blood, sweat, and tears to make it happen. Jarvis, on the other hand, is perfectly content with life. For him there's plenty of time to become a "responsible adult." For now, he's got everything he could want: a roof over his head, a PlayStation, and the love of a good woman. When Abby's music career takes off and she moves to Chicago, Jarvis gets the boot---sort of. Abby still loves him, but his penchant for faded sweaters and meatball subs just doesn't fit into her new, sophisticated world of designer gowns and concert halls. They're in different leagues and Abby makes no qualms of reminding him of it whenever she deigns to visit him. When the couple is involved in a near-fatal car crash, they are

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broken, stripped, and broken again both stumbling through a journey of healing and self-discovery as they struggle to accept the merciful hand of the only One who can help them up after a fall.

### **The Disciple**

A poignant and comical look into the dating habitat of the only people on earth that make it to heaven. This hilarious and highly useful manual, written by an insider, illuminates the truth about the Christian dating habitat. Regardless of your faith or lack thereof, you will thoroughly enjoy this in depth look into how church leadership has made a mess of dating within their congregations. "A very witty commentary on Christian dating with hilarious quotes, a must read for Christians and non-Christians alike" Huffington Post "A shockingly honest look at how the Church has done a disservice to Christians in regard to dating and marriage." Christianity Today

### **I Kissed Dating Goodbye**

Follow the antics of Elmo Jenkins, the quintessential, earnest young church intern as he learns the ropes in a large metropolitan church. Simultaneously hilarious and thought-provoking, this trilogy canonizes the ongoing adventures of the staff at First Church.

### **Unsettled**

Be a different kind of mom. Break through the distractions and create lasting memories. What's the solution to gaining the balanced, meaningful life you desire with your family? Create traditions that bring joy and significance. Popular "Smarter Each Day" blogger and mom of three, Jessica Smartt explains why memory-making is the puzzle piece that today's families are longing for. She highlights ten tradition-gifts kids need most, including a rich resource of two hundred-plus unique traditions. She also offers practical encouragement to modern parents to keep on adventuring—even when they are fighting distractions, are on a budget, and exhausted.

### **Why Church Matters**

God designed us to build our lives around a local church. Bestselling Joshua Harris reveals how and why to fall in love with, and stay committed to, the church.

### **Beyond Betrayal**

Witnessing to an enemy African tribe taught Nicholas Muteti the power of unity. He learned that ending segregation in churches enables Christians to become a powerful force for God's kingdom.

### **Called to Stay**

"Christians belong in churches--the only places where we can thrive and grow

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spiritually. In *Why Church Matters*, Joshua Harris makes this case with wisdom, clarity, and graciousness." --Charles W. Colson Church isn't where we go. It's who we are. We were never meant to live our faith in isolation. The church is the place God uses to grow us, encourage us, and use our gifts for His glory. In this honest, personal, and practical book, Joshua Harris shows you why it's time to say yes to church and how to find the right one for you--the place where you can fall in love with the family of God. Includes: What you miss when you miss church Ten questions to ask before you join How to get more out of the best day of the week What Readers are Saying: "This book shows the place of great honor that church holds in Christ's heart and encourages us to value what He values. I've bought multiple copies to give away." --Mike Neglia; Cork, Ireland "Josh Harris does an excellent job of addressing our impulse to church hop." --Garrett Watkins; Atlanta, Georgia "When our family was in the midst of a transition, *Why Church Matters* helped us find the right local church. It will do the same for you." --Andrew Hall; Ilderton, Ontario Previously published as *Stop Dating the Church* From the Trade Paperback edition.

### **I, Church**

His given name was But for the Love of Jesus Christ We Would All Be Damned Smith, III; BC for short. The name was peculiar to BC's societal caste. Some thought of it as a profession but you had to be born a Cleanser. This fact was inconsequential to the rest of the passengers aboard the Earth-bound shuttle. "Cleansers" had precedence over everyone but a higher-level Cleanser in all aspects of society. This status was fine for the sociopathic, but for one with emotions the singularity was often too much. The church controls the interstellar harvest of resources. BC is their enforcer. What happens if the assassin gains a conscience? For a "Cleanser" with emotions, singularity is too much "The Cathedral" combines high-concept speculation with fast action and cliffhanger thrills. The Church becomes the predominant government body, and develops its own enforcement arm. Once their best "Cleanser" goes rogue, all Hell breaks loose

### **Stop Dating The Church!**

Exclusive Offer - Now Includes 5 Amazing Bonus Titles: 4 More Titles of 100 Most Powerful Prayers. Plus Full Length Title: *Conscious Visualization* You will not achieve fulfillment and happiness until you allow God to be the architect of your reality. Imagine that with a few moments each day, you could begin the powerful transformation toward complete control of your own life and well being through prayer. You will be able to release all fear and doubt simply because you know that God gives you the strength. You can utilize this simple, proven technique to regain the lost comforts of joy, love, and fulfillment in your life. God's gift of life is too short to be exhausted on thousands of everyday anxieties and fears. Sadly, the average person will get to the end of their life and realize that more than half of it was spent struggling with these kinds of problems. Because they didn't know what to do, many of these people never found any satisfaction in life. You can and will become bigger than those struggles by enhancing the positive energy that God already has flowing within you. You are exactly who you think you are, and it's up to you to create those thoughts and manifest them as God's creation. No more lack of faith, motivation, and feelings of doubt in your life. No person can find happiness

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in an environment beyond his or her control. But you can get up, get out, and take control with God. Get what you want and desire from the world like millions of others around the globe using prayer. You are already blessed with the power to assert your own perceptions and transform your thoughts and desires into reality. By using prayer daily, you will unlock that natural potential that God placed inside of you. Prayer starts by creating a cycle of continuous prayers. You must believe and repeat these declarations and prayers each day. If the thoughts and ideas that we affirm are not true in reality, a dynamic tension is created between your perceived reality and your psyche. This presence of dynamic tension causes imbalance between your psyche and perceived reality. Your consciousness will work to get back in tune with the God's vision of the universe to resolve the tension. There are two simple ways to ease this tension. You must work with God's creation in order to make your declarations become true, or you must stop the prayer. As you choose to continue praying, your mind and body will seek to balance this inequality with the universe by transforming your environment to match your declarations of truth. Sooner than later, you will find yourself taking positive and decisive action that you never imagined possible as your perceptions naturally align with your true reality. If you want to see positive change now, you'll find the quickest path to fulfillment with prayer through God's love. There is no time to spend on loss, negativity, and defeat when you can be achieving tangible, historically proven results with minimum time and effort invested. There is no limit to changes that God can make in your life through the power of creating truth with prayer Read This Book To Change Your Life Today! Also available in ebook Format

### **The Adventures of Mercury Lane**

Lizzie O'Malley, a twenty three year old free spirited young woman, is on the run to find her purpose in life. In the summer of 2000, she returns home to Boston, Massachusetts to begin a life that she can be proud of. On her first night out on the town with a friend, tragedy strikes and she finds herself the cause of emotional wreckage. Instead of dealing, she concentrates on the man she met that first night. Teagan Gallagher, a twenty two year old college student from Ireland, spends the summer of 2000 in Boston, Massachusetts, working towards his degree and partying his way through the city. One night he finds a beautiful American girl that he is desperate to spend the summer with. Together, Teagan and Lizzie learn the ins and outs of an unconventional relationship. It isn't until their relationship is in so deep that it becomes impossible for one or the other to run away.

### **Bad Boyfriends**

"It was the best of church, it was the worst of church" [not Charles Dickens] In some ways, the church has a horrendous track record and is deserving of much of the hate, accusation and mistrust it has received. But, in many other ways, the church has also been monumental in affecting great systemic change, being first on the scene in crisis and on the forefront of reaching out to and loving well those considered the least of these. To those of you who believe church is the worst thing ever: You're right! To those of you who believe church is the best thing ever: You're right! The church was God's idea and it is the plan He has chosen to bring transformation to a world desperately in need of a deeper experience of His love. He doesn't appear to have a plan B. We are it! I call this book, 'i, church' because

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more than a building or a meeting or a list of do's and don'ts, the church is about the people. It is about me. And it is about you. If you love Jesus and have chosen to follow Him, then you are the church. Let's figure out together how to be the best church we can be. "Brett Anderson weaves a picture of the church that is stark and real. He sees through church politics and denominational blinkers and defines the core of what the church is and isn't and what God desires it to be." [Bruce Collins, legend and appreciator of good coffee]

### **Ecclesiastes**

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### **The Church at the Turning Points of History**

Event planner Jen Weaver loves weddings and romance-for other people. She'd rather focus on her career and leave the emotional stuff to her clients. When her best friend asks Jen to plan her wedding, resisting best man Liam Galloway is not on the agenda, but he tests her willpower anyway. An unwanted intruder in her thoughts and desires, he is charming, panty-melting, and persistent. Perpetual bachelor Liam feels something inside him click into place when he reacquaints himself with feisty, beautiful, and assured Jen. Unfortunately for him, marriage isn't on her bucket list. Determined to win her over by any means necessary, the hopeless romantic proposes fun with no commitment, hoping he'll sway her opinion on love. Can Liam convince Jen that he's worth the fall? Will Jen accept that a career and love are not mutually exclusive? Or will she realize-too late-that some things are worth the sacrifice?

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