

Bible Studies for Life Series for June 1: Your ticket for real success

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- Ephesians 4:22-32; Philemon 8-10,15-18
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Explore the Bible Series for May 25: Remain faithful

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- Genesis 48:3-6; 49:8-10; 50:15-21
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BaptistWay Bible Series for May 25: There but for the grace of God

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There but for the grace of God ...

(2 Kings 23:31-32, 36-37; 24:8-9, 18-20; 25:8-21)

Cartoon: Daniel and duct tape

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Yes, duct tape can fix anything.

Books: Organizing for Life

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Books reviewed in this issue are *Organizing for Life* by Sandra Felton, *Social Work with Volunteers* by Michael E. Sherr and *Now and Not Yet: Making Sense of Single Life in the Twenty-First Century* by Jennifer A. Marshall.

Cartoon: Kid's etiquette saves the day

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A kid's etiquette saves the day

Book Reviews: Questions To All Your Answers

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Reviews of *Questions To All Your Answers: The Journey From Folk Religion to Examined Faith* by Roger Olson,

Why Jesus Makes Me Nervous: Ten Alarming Words of Faith by Joy Jordan-Lake and

Connecting Women: A Relational Guide for Leaders in Womens Ministry by Linda Lesniewski.

Scholars cast critical eye on Graham's legacy

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WASHINGTON (RNS)—Ecumenist, prophet, peacemaker. Friend of presidents and queens. Evangelical powerbroker who was sometimes too closely tied to politicians. Each description applies to Billy Graham.

An official 1991 biography by William Martin called America's foremost evangelist a Prophet With Honor. The editors of a new book largely agree, but not without casting a more critical eye on Graham's remarkable career.

There are many reasons to appreciate Graham, say the authors of *The Legacy of Billy Graham* without granting him iconic status.

Cartoon: Eutychus' problem

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Eutychus' problem is detected early in life....

Books: The Problem with Evangelical Theology

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The Problem with Evangelical Theology by Ben Witherington III (Baylor University Press)

Ben Witherington, professor of New Testament at Asbury Theological Seminary, contends that evangelicals are, in general, biblically illiterate and tend to embrace theology that would be unknown to the early church fathers prior to St. Augustine. Instead, they often cling to their respective denominational doctrines without thoroughly examining the scriptural texts, often unwilling to do the hard work of learning the original languages and deeply studying the contexts of the writings.