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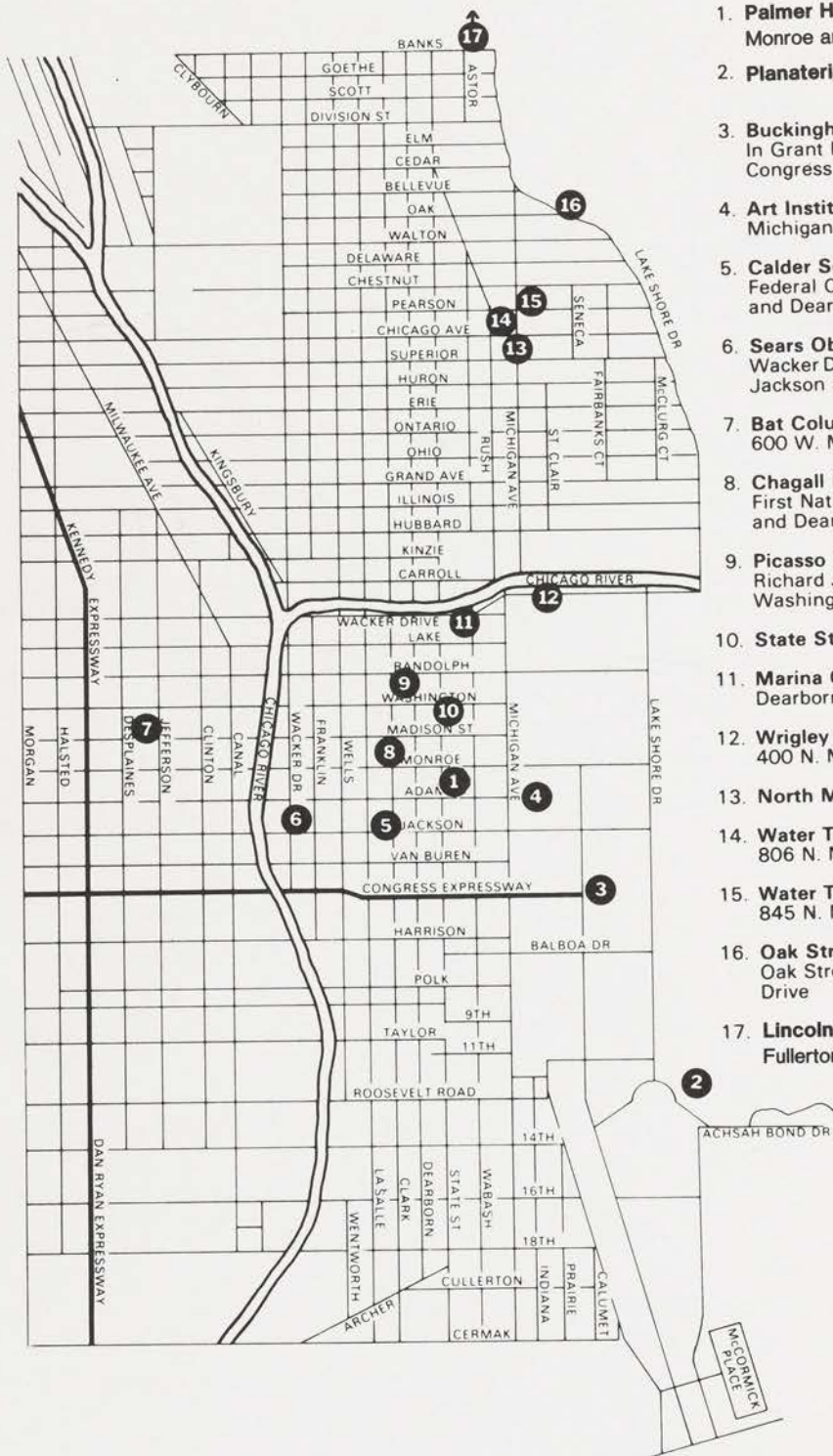
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December 9, 1984, 7:30-9:30 p.m., Palmer House, Red Lacquer Room

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| ☐ Annual salary \$26,000-29,999 | \$45 |
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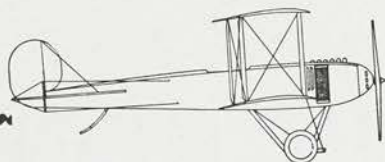
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8-11 December 1984

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The American Academy of Religion, Society of Biblical Literature, and United Airlines have joined to provide guaranteed savings on airfare when you fly to Chicago for the Annual Meeting December 8-11, 1984.

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Due to the everchanging fare structures in the airline industry, a lower promotional fare may become available. If a fare exists that is lower than the AAR and SBL fare, United's convention specialists will do all possible to secure a reservation at that fare. Keep in mind that these fares usually have restrictions and are limited.

Reservations must be accomplished directly through United Airlines. You must use the United Airlines convention 800 number to receive the special airfare available to AAR and SBL members.

Tickets may be purchased through your travel agent as long as the reservation is made through the special United Airlines toll-free convention telephone number listed below.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

PREREGISTRATION

All members of the societies and SP Associates are invited to preregister early for the 1984 Annual Meeting by filling out the tear-out preregistration form in the front of this program and returning it, with the proper registration fee, to Scholars Press. Preregistration fees are \$25.00, regular AAR, SBL, SP Associate, and ASOR members; \$10.00, student members and retired members; \$45.00, nonmembers; \$15.00, student nonmembers; and \$10.00, spouse. Members must be paid current in their 1984 dues to preregister at member rates.

Name badges and tickets to be exchanged for books of abstracts will be mailed upon receipt of preregistration forms. Persons who receive preregistration materials in advance of the meeting can redeem the exchange tickets and pick up badge holders at the preregistration desk in the registration area located in the West Lounge on the Fourth Floor of the Palmer House.

Preregistration fees must be received at Scholars Press by November 15, 1984. After that time, participants must register at the meeting at the higher registration fees listed below.

REGISTRATION

Persons who do not preregister may register at the meeting. A registration office will be available at the Palmer House in the West Lounge on the Fourth Floor. Registration fees are \$30.00, regular members; \$15.00, student members and retired members; \$50.00, nonmembers; \$20.00, student nonmembers; \$15.00, spouse; and \$15.00, one-day registrants.

CROSSOVER REGISTRATIONS

All registrants are welcome to attend all sessions of the Annual Meeting, including the SP Associates lectures. There will be no additional registration fee for persons who cross over.

REFUND POLICY

Persons who preregister for the meeting and are unable to attend can receive a partial refund of their preregistration fees by returning their badges and exchange tickets to Scholars Press. There is a \$10.00 charge for administrative costs, supplies, and postage. Requests for refunds which arrive after November 23, 1984, cannot be honored.

ACCOMMODATIONS

The 1984 Annual Meeting will be headquartered in the Palmer House. In order to make guest room reservations, please return the hotel registration form in the front of this program to Scholars Press. Room rates are:

Palmer House	Towers
\$45 single	\$55 single
\$53 double	\$63 double
\$53 twin	\$63 twin
\$60 triple	---

Please note that only those persons who have registered for the meeting will be entitled to the special convention rates listed above. Confirmation of room reservations will be forthcoming directly from the hotel. Alterations in arrival and/or departure dates and any other questions relating to room reservations must be directed to the Palmer House (312/726-7500). Persons wishing to have roommates must make their own arrangements.

The Palmer House has extended these special convention rates from Monday, December 3, to Friday, December 14, inclusive.

PARLOR SUITES

The Palmer House has parlors available that can accommodate from 30 to 80 people for hospitality. Rates are \$90-\$135 for parlors without bars, and \$120-\$185 for those with bars. Attached bedrooms are available at the convention rate of \$53. For further information, contact the Annual Meeting Manager, Scholars Press, P.O. Box 2268, Chico, CA 95927 (916/891-4541).

CONVENTION SUITES LOCATIONS

Please consult the bulletin board in the registration area located in the West Lounge on the Fourth Floor of the Palmer House for locations of the American Academy of Religion, Society of Biblical Literature, Scholars Press, and American Schools of Oriental Research Executive Suites, as well as suites of other groups at the meeting.

INFORMATION DESK

Members who wish to get in touch with officers, editors, and staff of the American Academy of Religion, the Society of Biblical Literature, and Scholars Press may leave messages with the attendant at the Information Desk in the West Lounge on the Fourth Floor of the Palmer House. The attendant will also be in constant contact with convention management, and members who have special requests or problems concerning meeting rooms, audio-visuals, food functions and the like should make those known at the Information Desk. Message boards will also be provided.

Any agenda items to be proposed for the AAR business meeting to be held Monday, December 10, 6:30 to 7:30 pm in Red Lacquer Room, must be left with the Information Desk attendant at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting and should be addressed to either James Wiggins, Executive Director, or Ray Hart, President. The agenda for the meeting will be posted at the Information Desk.

EXHIBITS

Over fifty exhibitors will be displaying their books and other products in the Upper Exhibition Hall on the Fourth Floor of the Palmer House. Names and locations of exhibitors can be found on the exhibit hall floorplan on page 103.

Free coffee will be available in the Upper Exhibition Hall from 8 am to 10 am in the vicinity of Booth 37.

Exhibits will be open during the following hours:

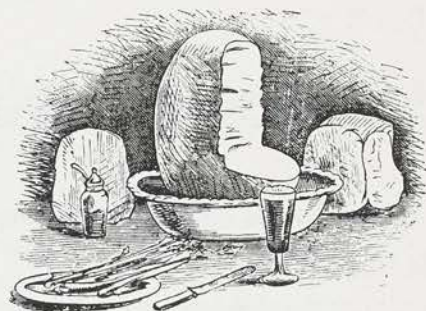
Saturday, December 8	9 am to 5 pm
Sunday, December 9	8 am to 5 pm
Monday, December 10	8 am to 5 pm
Tuesday, December 11	8 am to 12 noon

Publishers wishing to dispose of their display copies will do so at 11 am on Tuesday, December 11.

PUBLISHERS' COMBINED DISPLAY/ JOURNALS DISPLAY

Scholars who have published books they would like on display at the 1984 Annual Meeting should contact their publishers and encourage them to participate in the exhibit. Publishers who do not have a sufficient number of titles to warrant renting a booth can exhibit their books in the Publishers' Combined Display. Arrangements for participation can be made by contacting Annual Meeting Manager, Scholars Press, 101 Salem Street, P.O. Box 2268, Chico, CA 95927 (916/891-4541).

A special exhibit of journals in religious studies will be on display adjacent to the Publishers' Combined Display.



SANDWICH/BEVERAGE BAR

A sandwich and beverage bar will be available in the Upper Exhibition Hall on Sunday, December 9, and Monday, December 10, beginning at 11:30 a.m. It will be located in the vicinity of Booth 37.

JOB REGISTRY

The Job Registry will be maintained in the Lower Exhibition Hall on the Third Floor of the Palmer House during the 1984 Annual Meeting. Candidates seeking interviews and institutions with job openings should check in with the attendant as early as possible during the conference. The hours for the Job Registry are:

Saturday, December 8	12 noon to 5 pm
Sunday, December 9	8:30 am to 5 pm
Monday, December 10	8:30 am to 5 pm
Tuesday, December 11	8:30 am to 12 noon

Tables for interviews will be available. Inquiries on this service should be addressed to Jan Westfall, c/o Department of Religious Studies, University of California, Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA 93106.

PROGRAMS

Programs will be on sale at the Scholars Press Book Booth for \$5.00. Members who forget to bring their copies can purchase a second copy.

Computer Exhibits and Demonstrations

Special computer exhibits and demonstrations of particular relevance for academic researchers in religious literature and related fields, including archaeology, will be located in the Lower Exhibition Hall on the Third Floor. In addition to the ongoing open exhibits, a schedule of specific demonstrations will be circulated when you arrive at the Palmer House.

Among the topics covered will be scholarly text/word processing, including foreign language displays on the computer screens as well as on the printers, foreign language translation aids, sophisticated graphics capabilities for archaeological work, truly portable systems, automatic inputting devices, computer assisted language instruction, publication quality printing, management of large bodies of data, and the establishment of repositories of information and data.

AAR and SBL are particularly indebted to Robert Kraft, University of Pennsylvania, for his leadership in making this special event possible.



Plenary Sessions

At each annual meeting on certain occasions the Academy schedules presentations to which all in attendance are invited and which compete with nothing else on the program. The Program Committee has general responsibility for planning these events.

Saturday, December 8



8:00 p.m.

STATE BALLROOM

William Bennett of the National Endowment for the Humanities will present a lecture entitled *Relentless Suboptimization and the Art of Soulcraft*. As the head of the most important governmental agency which allocates resources for supporting scholarship in the field of religion studies, Mr. Bennett is well placed to share his views on the place of religion studies in the life of the nation today.



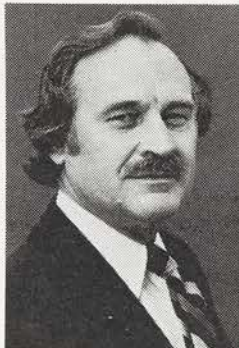
9:15 p.m.

STATE BALLROOM

Professor Northrup Frye of the University of Toronto will present a lecture entitled *The Expanding World of Metaphor*.

Professor Frye is a renowned literary critic whose oeuvre of studies and theoretical work has enriched the interdisciplinary conversations within the humanities. From *The Anatomy of Criticism* to *The Great Code* and in the numerous works between them, the importance of Frye's work for the study of religion has been manifest. Provocative always, controversial sometimes, elegant and eloquent unfailingly, Northrup Frye challenges us to think and rethink matters often assumed to be passé.

Monday, December 10



2:30 p.m.

STATE BALLROOM

Professor Ray L. Hart of the University of Montana will deliver his Presidential Address, *To Be and Not to Be: Sit autem sermo (logos) vester, est, est: non, non. . .*

Professor Hart's scholarly influence has extended far, through his decade-long (1969-1979) term as editor of the *Journal of the American Academy of Religion*, his occasional writings, and his highly regarded *Unfinished Man*. Imagination and language are among the recurrent foci of Ray Hart's scholarly work. His has been a monumental role in planning this 75th Anniversary Annual Meeting.

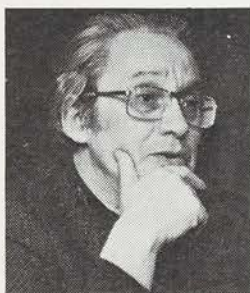


8:00 p.m.

RED LACQUER ROOM

Professor Eric Voegelin of The Hoover Institute at Stanford University Institute, will present a lecture entitled *Quod Deus Dicitur: The Relation Between Theology and Philosophy*.

Philosopher and historian of ideas and cultures, Eric Voegelin in his magisterial four-volume *Order and History* has enabled many to see anew and to consider afresh the import and significance of insights and proposals from antiquity for modernity. Religion and theology have never been far from the central themes of Voegelin's many writings.



9:15 p.m.

RED LACQUER ROOM

Professor Paul Ricoeur of the University of Chicago will present a lecture entitled *Evil, A Challenge to Philosophy and/or Religion*.

This philosopher of religion is among the world's most highly regarded theorists and scholars of hermeneutics. His voluminous works—from *The Symbolism of Evil* to his subsequent study of Freud, as interpreter, from his work on metaphor and his sensitivity to narrative to his work on Biblical hermeneutics—all of these, and much more, mark Paul Ricoeur's work as demanding the scholarly attention of serious thinkers.

75th ANNIVERSARY LECTURES

Professor Wayne Booth, a widely known and celebrated literary critic and theorist, teaches at the University of Chicago. He will lecture on the topic *Systematic Wonder: The Rhetoric of Religion in 1984*.

Professor Fritz Buri, a frequent traveler to the U.S. and sometime professor at many universities and theological schools, was for many years a theologian on the faculty of the University of Basel. His topic is *American Philosophy of Religion: A European Perspective*.

Professor James Cone, among the foremost proponents and expositors of Black Theology, is a professor of theology at Union Theological Seminary in New York. His lecture topic will be *Black Theology: Its Origin and Development*.

Father Gabriel Daly is one of the premier scholars of Roman Catholic Modernism on the contemporary scene. He resides at the Augustinian Priory in Dublin, Ireland. The topic of his lecture will be *Catholicism and Modernity*.

Professor Langdon Gilkey, professor of theology at the University of Chicago Divinity School and former president of the AAR, will present his lecture on *Issues Inherited and Before Us*.

Father Gustavo Gutiérrez is among the most widely read and influential of the cadre of Latin American liberation theologians. He resides in Lima, Peru. His topic is *Liberation Theology: The Continuing Challenge*.



Professor Sudhir Kakar is a scholar whose studies focus on myth, religion and culture. Having just completed a time at the Institute for Advanced Studies at Princeton, he has returned to India and the Center for the Study of Developing Societies in Delhi. His topic is *Religion and Psychotherapy: The Indian Experience*.

Professor Ali Mazrui holds academic appointments in both Africa and in the U.S., at the University of Michigan in the Afro American Studies Department. Religion in Africa has been among his major concerns in his scholarly work. His topic is *Religion and Politics in Black Africa*.

Professor Eduardo Matos Moctezuma is a professor at the Centro de Investigaciones y Estudios Superiores en Antropología Social where he teaches archaeology. He is directing the excavation of the Templo Mayor of Tenochtitlan and will lecture on *Archaeology and Symbolism in Mesoamerica*.

Professor Rosemary Radford Ruether, a faculty member at the Garrett Evangelical Theological Seminary, is an accomplished and widely read theologian. She has co-chaired the Women's Caucus of the AAR and will lecture on *Theology and Feminism: A Future Together?*

Professor Philip Shen is on the faculty of the Department of Religious Studies at the Chinese University of Hong Kong. He will speak on the topic *American Philosophy of Religion and Theology: An Asian Perspective*.

AAR 75th Anniversary Banquet

A celebrative occasion to mark the launching of the last quarter of the first century of our learned society and professional association will be held on Sunday, December 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the Red Lacquer Room. The price of the meal includes gratuity. The program will be directed by President Ray Hart and will include a number of special features, notably

- a recognition of Past Presidents, Executive Directors, JAAR Editors, and nurturers of the AAR,
- a retrospective recollection of the AAR by Charles Long,
- a musical performance commissioned by the AAR and composed by Frank Burch Brown,
- a special award of merit to Mircea Eliade.

It is hoped that all AAR members who attend the annual meeting will attend this significant event in the life of the Academy and that many others who register for the Annual Meeting will elect to join us. Payment may be submitted with the Annual Meeting registration as a single amount or separately at a later date. Reservations with payment must be received no later than November 20.

Round Table Sessions

The Round Table Sessions will take place on Monday, December 10, from 1:00–2:30 p.m. in the Red Lacquer Room. Participation will be limited to 15 people at each session. To reserve a place at the session of your choice, fill out and return to Scholars Press the Round Table Session form in the front of this program. Seats will be assigned on a first come, first served basis. There will be no charge for attendance.

Those who do not reserve space at a Round Table Session prior to the meeting can check at the Information Desk to reserve available space. Round Table registrants can also pick up copies of papers to be discussed at their session at the Information Desk.



AAR Annual Business Meeting

The AAR Annual Business Meeting will be held Monday, December 10, at 6:30 p.m. in the Red Lacquer Room. Ray L. Hart, University of Montana, Presiding

In view of the work of a Task Force on Governance and Development which will have reported to the Board of Directors at a special meeting in September, it is probable that this business meeting will be very important in discussing goals set for the Academy in future years. The agenda will be published in the Supplement to this Program and distributed at the conference at registration time. Members are reminded that items to be added to the agenda are to be posted at the Information Desk and copies submitted to Ray L. Hart or James B. Wiggins at least 24 hours in advance of the call to order. Any motions added in this manner must take the form of recommendations to be referred to the Executive Committee or to one of the other standing committees of the Board.



Presidential Address

Professor Roland Murphy of Duke Divinity School will deliver the Presidential Address entitled *Wisdom and Creation* on Saturday, December 8 at 8:00 p.m. in the Red Lacquer Room. All Annual Meeting participants are invited. This lecture gives us an opportunity to hear and honor Professor Murphy who has contributed so much to biblical studies in North America and throughout the world.

How My Mind Has Changed (or remained the same)

Formative contributions to biblical studies provoke years of discussion. This program unit provides a forum for retrospective and prospective reflections by the scholars who produce these seminal works. Raymond E. Brown and Frank Moore Cross, Jr. have been recognized previously in this important series. Professor Jacob Neusner of Brown University, whose works are numerous and pivotal, is the third scholar in this series. The session will focus on two of his books, *Judaism: The Evidence of the Mishnah* and *Judaism in Society: The Evidence of the Yerushalmi*. A paper for this session is published in the *SBL 1984 Seminar Papers*. You are encouraged to take advantage of this significant opportunity.

W. D. Davies, Texas Christian University, and
Professor Emeritus, Duke University, Presiding

Jacob Neusner, Brown University
Reflections on *Judaism: The Evidence of the
Mishnah* and *Judaism in Society: The Evidence
of the Yerushalmi*

Respondents:

A. T. Kraabel, Luther College
Anthony J. Saldarini, Boston College

This session will take place on Monday, December 10, 7:00–9:00 p.m. in the State Ballroom.

Lecture Discussion Series

1981 *Structuralism and the Interpretation of Biblical Texts*
The Implications for Assyriology to Biblical Studies

Daniel Patte

J. J. M. Roberts

1982 *Old Testament Textual Criticism*

P. Kyle McCarter, Jr.

Sociological Method in Biblical Research and Contemporary Peace Studies

Norman K. Gottwald

1983 *Gnosticism and the New Testament*

George W. MacRae

This permanent series at the Annual Meeting, now in its fourth year, introduces an area of specialization or study to colleagues. This session will include a brief lecture and an illustration of the area's potential for further work. Discussions will follow engaging all participants. The following scholars and topics have been selected for 1984:

James Charlesworth, Princeton Theological
Seminary

Pseudepigrapha in the New Testament

J. Maxwell Miller, Candler School of Theology,
Emory University

Old Testament History and Archaeology

These will be held on Sunday, December 9, 8:00–10:00 p.m. The Charlesworth session will be in Private Dining Room 18 and the Miller session in Private Dining Room 17.



Mitchell Dahood Memorial Competition

This occasion marks the first award honoring a young scholar who has made a contribution to the discussions of Biblical Hebrew and Northwest Semitic languages. The Society of Biblical Literature and Doubleday jointly sponsor this occasion.

The award will be given and a portion of the paper presented on Monday, December 10, from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. in Parlor F. The first winner is

John Day, Oxford University
*Asherah in the Hebrew Bible and Northwest
Semitic Literature*

A Tribute to Samuel Sandmel: Lectures and Reception

1984 marks the publication of a special volume in honor of Samuel Sandmel: *Nourished with Peace: Studies in Hellenistic Judaism in Memory of Samuel Sandmel*, edited by Frederick E. Greenspahn, published by Scholars Press (\$23.95 list; \$15.95 member). In recognition of this occasion, the Society of Biblical Literature, of which Sandmel was a past president, and Scholars Press have devoted a special program unit to this area of study and Sandmel's contributions.

Lou H. Silberman, University of Arizona,
Presiding

Louis H. Feldman, Yeshiva University
*How Deeply Was Judaism Hellenized in the
Hellenistic-Roman Period?*

E. P. Sanders, McMaster University
*Hellenistic Judaism as the Matrix for Early
Christian Theology*

This session will take place Sunday, December 9 from 7:30-9:30 p.m. in the Monroe Room. A reception will follow in the SBL Executive Suite from 9:30-10:30. Admission will be by purchase of the Sandmel volume at the door at the special price of \$15.00.

Archives Session

A special session on the AAR-SBL Archives has been arranged by **Andrew Scrimgeour**, AAR/SBL Archivist. The session will take place on Sunday, December 9 from 3:45-5:15 p.m. in Montrose 3. All those interested in archival issues are invited.

Annual Business Meeting

All members are reminded and encouraged to attend the business meeting which will be held on Sunday, December 9 from 6:15 to 7:15 p.m. in the Wabash Parlor.



SBL 1984 SEMINAR PAPERS

A number of papers to be discussed at the Annual Meeting are available in advance of the meeting. Seminar and group members, interested auditors, and others who wish to participate in those sessions for which papers have been pre-published should order this volume of papers without delay. The volume may be purchased even by those not attending the sessions. An order form is provided in the front of this program. *SBL 1984 Seminar Papers* contains materials for the following sessions in the program:

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For this fifth Associates Program of Scholars Press, lecturers again have been secured to stimulate the thinking of persons with broad interests in religious studies, biblical studies, and theology. Although designed with the Scholars Press Associate members in mind, the lectures are open to the public and to all Annual Meeting registrants.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8

1:00 p.m.

WABASH PARLOR

John Dillenberger will present a lecture entitled *Theological Method and the Artistic Mode: Theology, the Arts, and the Visual Arts*.

John Dillenberger's scholarship has ranged among the areas of Reformation history, contemporary theology, religion and science, and religion and the arts. His recent work has focused on religion and the visual arts, and his publications include *Benjamin West: The Context of His Life's Work*; *Perceptions of the Spirit in 20th Century American Art*; and—just released by Scholars Press—*The Visual Arts and Christianity in America: The Colonial Period Through the 19th Century*. Dr. Dillenberger's lecture is co-sponsored by the Endowment for Visual Arts at the Graduate Theological Union, Berkeley, California.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9

10:00 a.m.

RED LACQUER ROOM

Martin E. Marty will lecture on *Irony, (fig.) and (lit.) in Modern American Religion*.

Martin E. Marty, Fairfax M. Cone Distinguished Service Professor of the History of Modern Christianity at the University of Chicago, has made substantial contributions to the field of religious studies as a teacher, scholar, lecturer, author, and editor. His numerous books include *Righteous Empire*, which won the National Book Award in 1972, and a recently published history of religion in America, *Pilgrims in Their Own Land*.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 10

8:00 p.m.

CRYSTAL ROOM

Giles Gunn will deliver a lecture on *The Literary and Cultural Study of Religion: Problems and Prospects*.

Giles Gunn, Professor of English and Religion at the University of Florida, has revealed broad scholarly talents in the study of religion. Those talents have led him as a teacher and author to examine the points where religion intersects with other dimensions of culture, especially literature. His books include *The Interpretation of Otherness*; *New World Metaphysics*; *The Bible and American Arts and Letters* (an SBL/Scholars Press publication); and the forthcoming *Orthodox Belief, Social Religion, and Civil Ritual*.

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The American Academy of Religion is a society of college and university professors and others engaged in teaching and research in the field of religion. Its purpose is to stimulate scholarship, foster research, and promote learning in the complex of disciplines that constitutes religion as a field of inquiry.

Publications of the Academy and the convening of annual national and regional meetings implement these aims. Publications include the quarterly *Journal of the American Academy of Religion* and monographs in the various series listed elsewhere in the following pages. The structure of the annual meeting of the Academy reflects the varied scholarly concerns of its members and provides for the development of both special interests and cross-disciplinary conversations in the general sessions, sections, groups, and seminars. These program units, formed in response to interests of the members, change to keep pace with movement in the field of religion.

The Academy is also a professional society keeping its membership informed of developing programs, newly available materials, and opportunities for study grants and research funds. The Academy is affiliated with the American Council of Learned Societies and the Council on the Study of Religion, and cooperates in the publication of the *CSR Bulletin*, a professional news magazine, and also in the publication of a job registry in the field of religion.

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The Academy expresses its thanks to all of its members who serve in national and regional positions. Without the voluntary time and energy expended by these persons there would be no annual meeting program, no regional programs, nor publications. The Academy's vitality and energy in setting and executing its agenda will depend in the future even more on the commitment of those who exercise leadership.

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The AAR accepts program unit proposals from any of its members. The proposals are evaluated by the Program Committee and approved or rejected by that body. In response to many requests for guidance in preparing proposals received in the national office, the statement below was formulated. The deadline for receipt of materials to be considered for 1985 will be December 20, 1984. Any proposal received after that time will be returned and considered at a future time, if resubmitted. Please send proposals in the form and number requested.

So You Want to Establish a New Program Unit for the AAR?

There are four authorized types of program units: sections, groups, seminars and consultations. Each exists for specific purposes and differs from the other three.

SECTIONS: These units are the most inclusive type of program unit. They are aimed at reflecting the major, continuing areas of academic interest of the members of the Academy. They address the continuing agenda imposed by the various sub-fields in the field of the study of religion. These units carry the greatest presumption of programmatic continuation, once they are established. Because these are allotted the most sessions and time at an annual meeting, and because the arrangements and responsibilities are the most inclusive, leadership in a section requires a very great commitment. The Program Committee screens all petitions to establish new sections with great care, and it rigorously reviews each section as it approaches the conclusion of its term.

GROUPS: These units are established to encourage the exploration of an emergent area of study or methodology, to cultivate the relation between the study of religion and a cognate discipline, or to pursue a long range and broad research project. More focused than **SECTIONS** and less restricted in participation than **SEMINARS**, **GROUPS** are expected to maintain some communication with their members between annual meetings and to experiment with the format of sessions at the annual meeting. A chief characteristic of a meeting of a **GROUP** shall be that it is a working session and that it shall be obviously connected with preceding and subsequent sessions through the foci of such sessions.

SEMINARS: These units are established to permit a limited number of participants to engage in very well defined research topics or projects. They are expected to eventuate in publication(s). They have a strictly limited duration (never more than five years) and are strictly limited initially to no more than twenty (20) participants who agree to continue actively the work of the seminar between annual meetings through correspondence, exchange of papers, bibliographies, etc. The session at the annual meeting allocated to a seminar shall be devoted to consideration of previously distributed papers, and no new papers will be presented at this session.

CONSULTATIONS: These units are decidedly exploratory opportunities to test the degree and breadth of interest in the membership of the academy in areas and topics of academic interest not then included in the concerns of existing **SECTIONS**, **GROUPS** or **SEMINARS**. This is the most frequently utilized initial form of a program unit en route to establishing a longer-term unit. The session at an annual meeting allocated to a **CONSULTATION** is open to all interested registrants at an annual meeting. Renewable for a second year upon the recommendation of the chairperson of the **CONSULTATION**, with the concurrence of the Chairperson of the Program Committee, the experience of a **CONSULTATION** may be the basis for subsequently authorizing a **SECTION**, a **GROUP** or a **SEMINAR**. Rarely will the Program Committee authorize the establishment of one of the other types of units without the evidence provided by two successful years of the work of a **CONSULTATION**.

With these distinctions in mind, anyone petitioning to establish a new program unit must submit the following information to the office of the Executive Director of the AAR well in advance of the regular meeting of the Program Committee, which usually occurs within two weeks after the preceding annual meeting.

1. Type and name of proposed unit;
2. Projection of the themes or topics which would be included in the first year of the unit's existence;
3. If a **SEMINAR** is proposed, a projection of the publication aspirations of the unit and a schedule of such publication plans;
4. If a **GROUP** or **SEMINAR**, a list of the names of members who are committed to participation therein;
5. A rationale statement which argues for the importance of the subject to be addressed by the unit;
6. The names of an appropriate number of persons who are willing to accept leadership responsibilities for the unit as members of its steering committee. It is assumed that, except in rare circumstances, the person(s) submitting the petition is(are) thereby indicating willingness to be designated as the Chairperson(s) of the new unit.
7. Twelve (12) copies of these materials must be submitted.

SOCIETY OF BIBLICAL LITERATURE



The object of the SOCIETY is to stimulate the critical investigation of the classical biblical literatures, together with other related literatures, by the exchange of scholarly research both in published form and in public forum. The SOCIETY endeavors to support those disciplines and subdisciplines pertinent to the illumination of the literatures and religions of the ancient Near Eastern and Mediterranean regions, such as the study of ancient languages, textual criticism, history, and archaeology.

The publications of the SOCIETY include the experimental work of seminars, journals and monographs. These publications, through SCHOLARS PRESS, encourage younger scholars, provide opportunities for many to share the results of their work and to make a major contribution to the advancement of humanistic learning.

The SOCIETY works cooperatively with related organizations. The continuing relationship at Annual Meetings with the American Academy of Religion and the American Schools of Oriental Research strengthens the work of all scholars. Affiliation with the American Council of Learned Societies and the Council on the Study of Religion enables the SOCIETY to speak in several important arenas. There is support and cooperation with affiliated organizations, such as the National Association of Professors of Hebrew, the International Organization for Septuagint and Cognate Studies, and the International Organization for Masoretic Studies. Several international organizations, as well as many non-North American members, enable the SOCIETY to better understand its global responsibilities.

The Executive Office of the SOCIETY is located at The Iliff School of Theology, 2201 South University Boulevard, Denver, CO 80210.

APPRECIATION

In the midst of sorting through stacks of abstracts, program schedules, lists of conflicts, special arrangements for sessions and menus, I have thought about the "good old days" meeting between Christmas and New Year's with a couple of hundred participants!! However, nostalgia does not overwhelm me when I see the side of the Annual Meeting Program which speaks of the *numerous members* who have painstakingly prepared papers; the *Chairs of Program Units* who judged the proposals; the *Editors* and *Authors* whose articles, translations and monographs have appeared; and the *Officers* and *Committees* who have offered time, energy and leadership. The SOCIETY counts on all its members to contribute. The Annual Meeting provides a special opportunity to express a word of appreciation to many people.

A special word of thanks must go to Professor Leander E. Keck, who retires this year as the Chair of the Research and Publications Committee, member of the Executive Committee and Program Committee. He has always been present when needed, a ready initiator of new projects and a guardian of the purposes of the SOCIETY. His efforts for our corporate interests deserve far more than the simple "thank you." I urge each of you to take a moment and express to him your individual words of appreciation.

I wish to thank the numerous institutions and administrators who with considerable understanding encourage their faculty and colleagues to assume active roles in the SOCIETY. Teaching and research, understanding the state of a discipline and challenging it to new venues require the partnership of academic institutions and learned societies. The SOCIETY OF BIBLICAL LITERATURE expresses its gratitude to all these institutions.

We want to thank the many independent scholars and persons outside the academy who invest their energy in our mutual task. As academic positions seem to vanish, more are required to look outside the academy for a means to continue their work. We thank you for your commitment to our mutual endeavors.

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Early Christian Apocalypticism

Adela Yarbro Collins, McCormick Theological Seminary

Sociology of the Monarchy

James W. Flanagan, University of Montana

Frank S. Frick, Albion College

Consultations

Acts

Joseph B. Tyson, Southern Methodist University

Bible in Ancient and Modern Media

Thomas Boomershine, United Theological Seminary

Black Biblical Studies

Thomas Hoyt, Jr., Hartford Seminary

Hebrews, Pastorals, and General Epistles

Dennis R. MacDonald, Iliff School of Theology

Literary Study of Rabbinic Literature

Richard S. Sarason, Hebrew Union College-Jewish
Institute of Religion, Cincinnati

Matthew

Charles Talbert, Wake Forest University

New Moulton-Milligan?

Leander E. Keck, Yale Divinity School

Philo of Alexandria

Earle Hilgert, McCormick Theological Seminary

Social History of Early Christianity

L. Michael White, Oberlin College

Dennis E. Smith, Oklahoma State University

Social Sciences and New Testament Interpretation

Robert Jewett, Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary

Study of Q

James M. Robinson, Institute for Antiquity and
Christianity, Claremont Graduate School

Welcome to the 1984 Annual Meeting

The Program indicates with striking force the labors of many in both organizations to whom appreciation is due. You will doubtless see many familiar persons and make new acquaintances as you energetically engage each other in scholarly conversations. We are especially appreciative of the work of our staff members in Syracuse and Denver and to the staff of Scholars Press for their work on this annual meeting. We expect four invigorating days as we come together in Chicago. This is an especially significant time in the life of the AAR as it marks a history stretching back over 75 years.

James B. Wiggins
Syracuse University
AAR Executive Director

Kent Harold Richards
The Iliff School of Theology
SBL Executive Secretary

PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

Friday, 7 December

- 8:30 am AAR/ Executive Committee
 11:00 am SBL/ Executive Committee
 SBL/ ASOR Damascus Advisory Committee
 SBL/ ASOR Trustees of the Albright Institute
 SBL/ ASOR Trustees of ACOR
 SBL/ ASOR Trustees of CAARI
 1:30 pm SBL/ ASOR Committee on Archaeological Policy
 SBL/ ASOR Tell el-Hesi Board Meeting
 2:00 pm AAR/ Board of Directors
 SBL/ ASOR Committee on Publications
 SBL/ Research and Publications Committee
 3:00 pm SBL/ *Semeia* Editorial Board
 5:30 pm SBL/ ASOR Tell el-Hesi Publication Planning
 7:30 pm SBL/ Conference of Regional Secretaries

Saturday, 8 December

- 8:00 am SBL/ ASOR Program Committee
 SBL/ *Semeia* Editorial Board
 8:30 am SBL/ ASOR Symposium on Economy and Society in
 the Middle Bronze Age of the Levant
 9:00 am AAR-SBL/ Registration
 AAR-SBL/ Exhibits
 AAR/ JAAR Editorial Board
 SBL/ ASOR Presentations I
 SBL/ ASOR Tell Safut Project
 10:00 am AAR/ Regional Officers Meeting
 SBL/ Council
 12 noon AAR-SBL/ Job Registry
 SBL/ ASOR Development Committee
 1:00 pm AAR/ Academic Study of Religion
 AAR/ Arts, Literature, and Religion
 AAR/ North American Religions
 AAR/ Philosophy of Religion
 AAR/ Religion in South Asia
 AAR/ Theology and Religious Reflection
 AAR/ Women and Religion
 AAR/ Currents in Contemporary Christology
 AAR/ Evangelical Theology
 AAR/ Platonism and Neoplatonism
 AAR/ War and Peace
 AAR-SBL/Scholars Press Associates Lecture:
 John Dillenberger
 SBL/ Synoptic Gospels
 SBL/ Israelite and Early Christian Wisdom
 SBL/ Structuralism and Exegesis
 SBL/ Israelite Prophetic Literature
 SBL/ The Bible in Ancient and Modern Media
 SBL/ Black Biblical Studies
 SBL/ Northwest Semitic Epigraphy
 SBL/ Social History of Early Christianity
 SBL/ History of Exegesis
 SBL/ ASOR Presentations II
 2:00 pm SBL/ ASOR Symposium on Archaeological
 Conservation
 SBL/ ASOR Symposium on Wadi al-Jubah
 Archaeological Project
 3:00 pm SBL/ ASOR Workshop on Byzantine Caesarea
 3:30 pm SBL/ Israelite and Early Christian Wisdom
 3:45 pm AAR/ Arts, Literature, and Religion
 AAR/ Comparative Studies in Religion
 AAR/ Ethics
 AAR/ History of Christianity
 AAR-SBL/ Philosophy of Religion and Structuralism
 and Exegesis
 AAR/ Religion and the Social Sciences
 AAR/ Theology and Religious Reflection
 AAR/ Afro-American Religious History and North
 American Religions
 AAR/ Buddhism
 AAR/ Quranic Studies
 AAR/ Ritual Studies
 AAR/ Academic Issues in Religious Publishing

- AAR/ 75th Anniversary Lecture: Sudhir Kakar
 SBL/ A New Moulton-Milligan?
 SBL/ Miracle Stories
 SBL/ Synoptic Gospels
 5:00 pm AAR/ 75th Anniversary Lecture:
 Eduardo Matos Moctezuma

- 6:30 pm AAR-SBL-SPA Reception
 7:00 pm SBL/ ASOR Presentations III
 SBL/ ASOR Trustees Meeting
 SBL/ ASOR Workshop: The Lahav Ecosystem
 8:00 pm AAR/ Plenary Address: William Bennett
 9:15 pm SBL/ Presidential Address: Roland Murphy
 9:30 pm AAR/ Plenary Address: Northrup Frye
 SBL/ ASOR Trustees Reception

Sunday, 9 December

- 8:00 am AAR-SBL/ Registration
 AAR-SBL/ Exhibits
 8:30 am AAR-SBL/ Job Registry
 SBL/ Literary Aspects of the Gospels and Acts
 SBL/ Biblical Law and Comparative Studies
 SBL/ The Bible in Ancient and Modern Media
 SBL/ Israelite Prophetic Literature
 SBL/ ASOR Special Session: Archaeology of Syria I
 9:00 am AAR/ Academic Study of Religion
 AAR/ Arts, Literature, and Religion
 AAR/ Ethics
 AAR/ History of Judaism
 AAR/ Religion and the Social Sciences
 AAR/ Religion in South Asia
 AAR/ Women and Religion
 AAR/ Chinese Religions
 AAR/ Narrative Interpretation and Theology
 AAR/ Nineteenth Century Theology
 AAR/ Eastern Christianity
 AAR-SBL/ National Endowment for the Humanities
 AAR/ 75th Anniversary Lecture: Philip Shen
 SBL/ Qumran
 SBL/ Acts
 SBL/ Hebrews, Pastorals and General Epistles
 SBL/ Linguistics and Biblical Hebrew
 SBL/ Philo of Alexandria
 SBL/ Pronouncement Stories
 SBL/ Pseudepigrapha Group
 10:00 am AAR-SBL/Scholars Press Associates Lecture:
 Martin E. Marty
 10:15 am AAR/ 75th Anniversary Lecture: Fritz Buri
 AAR/ 75th Anniversary Lecture: Gabriel Daly
 10:30 am SBL/ Miracle Stories
 11:45 am AAR/ Women's Caucus
 12 noon SBL/ ASOR Luncheon Meeting of Committee on
 Ancient Manuscripts
 1:00 pm AAR/ Academic Study of Religion
 AAR/ Comparative Studies in Religion
 AAR/ History of Christianity
 AAR/ History of Judaism
 AAR/ North American Religions
 AAR/ Philosophy of Religion
 AAR/ Women and Religion
 AAR/ Dietrich Bonhoeffer: Christianity, Church and
 State
 AAR/ New Religious Movements
 AAR/ Roman Catholic Modernism
 AAR/ Medical Ethics
 AAR/ Schleiermacher
 AAR/ Modern Christian Spirituality
 AAR/ 75th Anniversary Lecture: Wayne Booth
 SBL/ Literary Study of Rabbinic Literature
 SBL/ Biblical Criticism and Literary Criticism
 SBL/ Hebrew Scriptures and Cognate Literature
 SBL/ Social History of Early Christianity
 SBL/ Synoptic Gospels
 SBL/ International Organization for Septuagint and
 Cognate Studies
 SBL/ Theology of Hebrew Scriptures
 1:30 pm SBL/ ASOR Special Session: Archaeology of Syria II

Good Journey

2:15 pm AAR/ 75th Anniversary Lecture: Gustavo Gutiérrez
3:00 pm SBL/ National Association of Professors of Hebrew
SBL/ Pronouncement Stories

3:45 pm AAR/ Arts, Literature and Religion
AAR/ Comparative Studies in Religion
AAR/ Ethics
AAR/ History of Judaism
AAR/ Religion and the Social Sciences
AAR/ Religion in South Asia
AAR/ Women and Religion
AAR/ Islamic Studies
AAR/ Liberation Theology
AAR/ Narrative Interpretation and Theology
AAR/ Nineteenth Century Theology
AAR-SBL/ Archives and the Future of Research
AAR/ Theory of and Methods for the Study of Religion

AAR/ 75th Anniversary Lecture: Ali Mazrui
SBL/ Hebrews, Pastorals and General Epistles
SBL/ New Testament Textual Criticism
SBL/ Qumran

5:00 pm AAR/ 75th Anniversary Lecture: James Cone
6:15 pm AAR-SBL/ CSR Departmental Chairpersons Caucus
SBL/ Annual Business Meeting

7:30 pm AAR/ 75th Anniversary Celebration Banquet
SBL/ Women in the Biblical World
SBL/ Special Session: A Tribute to Samuel Sandmel
8:00 pm SBL/ ASOR Plenary Session: Gary O. Rollefson
SBL/ Lecture Discussion Series: James Charlesworth
SBL/ Lecture Discussion Series: J. Maxwell Miller
9:30 pm SBL/ Sandmel Reception
SBL/ ASOR Informal Meeting of Tell el-Hesi Staff

Monday, 10 December

8:00 am AAR-SBL/ Registration *(Museum)*
AAR-SBL/ Exhibits
SBL/ ASOR Breakfast
8:30 am AAR-SBL/ Job Registry
SBL/ Hellenistic Judaism
SBL/ Historical Jesus
SBL/ History and Literature of Early Rabbinic Judaism

SBL/ Pseudepigrapha Section
SBL/ New Testament Textual Criticism
9:00 am AAR/ Academic Study of Religion
AAR/ Comparative Studies in Religion
AAR/ History of Christianity
AAR/ History of Judaism
AAR/ North American Religions
AAR/ Philosophy of Religion
AAR/ Religion and the Social Sciences
AAR/ Buddhism
AAR/ Islamic Studies
AAR/ Ritual Studies
AAR/ Wesleyan Studies
AAR/ Business and Organizational Ethics
AAR/ Religion and Dream
AAR/ 75th Anniversary Lecture: Langdon Gilkey
SBL/ Pauline Epistles
SBL/ Study of Q
SBL/ Literary Aspects of the Gospels and Acts
SBL/ Narrative Research on the Hebrew Bible
SBL-ASOR/ Sociology of the Monarchy

9:30 am SBL/ Corporation of ASOR
10:00 am SBL/ National Association of Professors of Hebrew
SBL/ ASOR Presentations IV

10:15 am AAR/ 75th Anniversary Lecture: Rosemary Radford Buether

11:45 am AAR/ Women's Caucus
SBL/ Editors and Editorial Boards

12:30 pm AAR/ Program Unit Chairpersons
1:00 pm AAR/ Round Table Sessions
SBL/ Pauline Epistles
SBL/ Biblical Criticism and Literary Criticism
SBL/ Computer Assisted Research
SBL/ Early Christian Apocalypticism

SBL/ Fourth Gospel
SBL/ Greco-Roman Religions
SBL/ Historical Jesus
SBL/ History and Literature of Early Rabbinic Judaism
SBL-ASOR/ Sociology of the Monarchy
SBL/ Ugaritic Studies
SBL/ Rhetorical Criticism
SBL/ ASOR Symposium on Ancient Mediterranean Food Systems
SBL/ ASOR Reports on Current Excavations and Surveys

1:30 pm SBL/ National Association of Professors of Hebrew
2:30 pm AAR/ Presidential Address: Ray L. Hart
SBL/ ASOR Photogrammetry Workshop

3:30 pm SBL/ National Association of Professors of Hebrew
3:45 pm AAR/ Arts, Literature, and Religion
AAR/ Ethics

AAR/ History of Christianity
AAR/ North American Religions
AAR/ Religion in South Asia
AAR/ Theology and Religious Reflection
AAR/ Women and Religion
AAR/ Chinese Religions
AAR/ Platonism and Neoplatonism
AAR/ Quranic Studies
AAR/ Roman Catholic Modernism
AAR/ Kierkegaard
AAR/ Political Theology
SBL/ Old Testament Textual Criticism
SBL/ Nag Hammadi
SBL/ Centennial Publications Editorial Committee
SBL/ Mitchell Dahood Memorial Competition Lecture
6:30 pm AAR/ Annual Business Meeting
SBL/ Early Christian Apocalypticism
SBL/ How My Mind Has Changed (or remained the same): Jacob Neusner
SBL/ ASOR Members' Reception at Oriental Institute
SBL/ Social Sciences and New Testament Interpretation

4:00 pm
4:30 pm
6:30 pm
7:00 pm

8:00 pm AAR/ Plenary Address: Eric Voegelin
AAR-SBL/Scholars Press Associates Lecture: Giles Gunn
9:15 pm AAR/ Plenary Address: Paul Ricoeur

Tuesday, 11 December

8:00 am AAR-SBL/ Exhibits
SBL/ Program Unit Chairpersons
8:30 am AAR-SBL/ Job Registry
SBL/ Biblical Hebrew Poetry
SBL/ Structuralism and Exegesis
SBL-ASOR/ Biblical History and Archaeology
SBL/ ASOR Symposium on Kurban Hoyuk
9:00 am AAR/ Academic Study of Religion
AAR/ Ethics
AAR/ History of Christianity
AAR/ History of Judaism
AAR/ Philosophy of Religion
AAR/ Theology and Religious Reflection
AAR/ Afro-American Religious History
AAR/ Currents in Contemporary Christology
AAR/ Evangelical Theology
AAR/ Esotericism
AAR/ Religious Studies in the Nuclear Age
SBL/ Greco-Roman Religions
SBL/ Pauline Epistles
SBL/ Study of Q
SBL/ Aramaic Studies
SBL/ ASOR 1984 Abila Workshop
SBL/ Jewish and Early Christian Liturgy
SBL/ Social Roles of Prophecy in Israel
SBL/ Social Sciences and New Testament Interpretation
SBL/ Women in the Biblical World
SBL/ ASOR Presentations V

11:30 am AAR/ Program Committee
SBL/ Program Committee

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PRE-PROGRAM MEETINGS

**Friday
December 7**

MORNING

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

8:30-12:00

Ray L. Hart, University of Montana, Presiding

PARLOR A

AFTERNOON

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2:00-6:00

Ray L. Hart, University of Montana, Presiding

PARLOR A

**Saturday
December 8**

MORNING

JAAR EDITORIAL BOARD

9:00-10:00

Robert P. Scharlemann, University of Virginia, Presiding

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 6

REGIONAL OFFICERS MEETING

10:00-12:30

James B. Wiggins, Syracuse University, Presiding

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 8



PRE-PROGRAM MEETINGS

**Friday
December 7**

MORNING

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

11:00-1:00 *SBL EXECUTIVE SUITE*
Roland E. Murphy, Duke Divinity School, Presiding

DAMASCUS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

11:00-1:30 *PRIVATE DINING ROOM 5*
Giorgio Buccellati, University of California, Los Angeles,
Presiding

TRUSTEES OF THE ALBRIGHT INSTITUTE OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESEARCH

11:00-1:30 *PRIVATE DINING ROOM 6*
Joseph A. Callaway, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary,
Presiding

TRUSTEES OF THE AMERICAN CENTER OF ORIENTAL RESEARCH IN AMMAN

11:00-1:30 *PRIVATE DINING ROOM 7*
Gough Thompson, Jr., East-West Group, Ltd., Presiding

TRUSTEES OF THE CYPRUS AMERICAN ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE

11:00-1:30 *PRIVATE DINING ROOM 8*
Charles U. Harris, President, *Anglican Theological Review*,
Presiding

AFTERNOON

ASOR COMMITTEE ON ARCHAEOLOGICAL POLICY

1:30 *ASOR PRESIDENTIAL SUITE*
William G. Dever, University of Arizona, Presiding

TELL EL-HESI BOARD MEETING

1:30-5:00 *PARLOR E*
Kevin G. O'Connell, John Carroll University, Presiding

ASOR COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS

2:00-5:00 *PARLOR G*
Eric M. Meyers, Duke University, Presiding

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE

3:00-5:00 *SBL EXECUTIVE SUITE*
Leander E. Keck, Yale Divinity School, Presiding

SEMEIA EDITORIAL BOARD

5:30-10:00 *LASALLE 1*
J. Dominic Crossan, De Paul University, Presiding
Dinner meeting

EVENING

TELL EL-HESI PUBLICATION PLANNING WORKSHOP

6:30-10:30 *PARLOR G*
Valerie M. Fargo, University of Chicago, Presiding

CONFERENCE OF REGIONAL SECRETARIES

7:30-9:00 *SBL EXECUTIVE SUITE*
Donald L. Jones, University of South Carolina, Presiding

1984

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF RELIGION

The National Association of Biblical Instructors was founded in 1909. By action of its members the name was changed in 1964 to the American Academy of Religion.

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1973 Charles Long
1974 Christine Downing
1975 William May
1976 Preston Williams
1977 Schubert Ogden
1978 John Meagher
1979 Langdon Gilkey
1980 William Clebsch
1981 Jill Raitt
1982 Gordon Kaufman
1983 Wilfred Smith
1984 Ray Hart

AAR
75th
Anniversary



**Saturday
December 8**

MORNING

ASOR PROGRAM COMMITTEE

8:00-9:00 *ASOR PRESIDENTIAL SUITE*
James D. Muhly, University of Pennsylvania, Presiding
Breakfast meeting

SEMEIA EDITORIAL BOARD

8:00-10:00 *LASALLE 1*
J. Dominic Crossan, De Paul University, Presiding

COUNCIL

10:00-12:00 *PRIVATE DINING ROOM 9*
Roland E. Murphy, Duke Divinity School, Presiding
Buffet will follow the meeting in the SBL Executive Suite.

AFTERNOON

ASOR DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

12:00-2:00 *ASOR PRESIDENTIAL SUITE*
Shelby White, Presiding
Luncheon meeting

Saturday
Afternoon
December 8



AAR 1984 PROGRAM

A1 ACADEMIC STUDY OF RELIGION: SECTION

1:00-3:30 PARLOR C

1:00-2:30

Nicholas Piediscalzi, Wright State University, Presiding

Theme: *The Responsibility of the AAR for Public Education Religion Studies*

Panelists:

Wes Bodin, World Religions Curriculum Development Center

Nicholas Piediscalzi, Wright State University

Thayer Warshaw, Indiana University Institute on Teaching
the Bible in Secondary English

James B. Wiggins, Syracuse University

2:30-3:30

Denise Lardner Carmody, Wichita State University, Presiding

Theme: *Academic Publishing: How-to and How-not-to*

Panelists:

Sheryl Fullerton, Wadsworth Publishing Company

Kevin Lynch, Paulist Press

Frank Oveis, The Crossroad Publishing Company

A2 ARTS, LITERATURE, AND RELIGION: SECTION

1:00-3:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 11

Richard Forrer, Texas Christian University, Presiding

Theme: *Narrative, Metaphor, and Religious Meaning*

1:00

Phil Mullins, Missouri Western State College
Sacred Narrative and Its Images

Wesley Kort, Duke University

Modern Fiction and Human Time

Respondent:

Lynn Poland, University of Chicago Divinity School

2:00

Garrett Green, Connecticut College
Metaphor and Imagination

Eric Holzwarth, Syracuse University

Surface and Depth in Religious Experience and Language

M. Gregor Goethals, Rhode Island School of Design

Rendering Visible: An Aesthetic of Emptiness

Respondent:

Mary Gerhart, Hobart and William Smith Colleges

A3 NORTH AMERICAN RELIGIONS: SECTION

1:00-3:30 MONTROSE 7

Peter W. Williams, Miami University, Presiding

Theme: *Material Culture/Spiritual Culture*

Panelists:

Colleen McDannell, University of Colorado, Boulder

The Family Bible and the Evolution of Protestant Spirituality

Bernhard Lang, Johannes Gutenberg Universitat

Heaven on Stone: American Epitaphs and Cemetery Art in Anthropological Perspective

Joseph M. Murphy, Georgetown University

African Religious Shrines in the United States: Santeria

Patricia A. Harrington, La Salle College

Guadalupe and the Mexican National Consciousness

A4 PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION: SECTION

1:00-3:30 PARLOR A

William Wainwright, University of Wisconsin, Madison,
Presiding

Theme: *Rationality and Commitment*

F. Michael McLain, Southwestern at Memphis

The Cosmological Argument and the Principle of Sufficient Reason

William Lane Craig, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School

Divine Omniscience and Newcombe's Paradox

Edward Echeverria, Rhodes University

Commitment and Rational Justification

Laura Lyn Inglis and

Peter K. Steinfeld, University of Evansville

Objectivity and the Violation of the Hermeneutic Circle

A5 RELIGION IN SOUTH ASIA: SECTION

1:00-3:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 4

Glenn Yocum, Whittier College, Presiding

Theme: *Current and Recent Research: Reports and Reflections*

Bruce M. Sullivan, University of Chicago

The R̥ṣi of the Fifth Veda

Hal W. French, University of South Carolina

Pilgrimage in Your Own Back Yard: The Panchavati Re-Planted

M. H. Klaiman, La Trobe University, Australia

Secular Bases of Medieval Bengal Vaishnavism

Daniel P. Sheridan, Loyola University, New Orleans

Sridhara's Contribution to the Study of the Bhāgavata Purāṇa

David L. Haberman, University of Chicago

Translating the Bhaktirasāmṛtasindhu of Rūpa Gosvāmin



Saturday
Morning
December 8

SBL 1984 PROGRAM

S1 ASOR SYMPOSIUM ON ECONOMY AND SOCIETY IN THE MIDDLE BRONZE AGE OF THE LEVANT

8:30-12:00 MONTROSE 1

William G. Dever, University of Arizona, Presiding

8:30

Patricia Crawford, Boston University

*An Investigation of Middle Bronze Subsistence from
Botanical Remains at Tell el-Maskhuta, Egypt*

8:50

Patricia L. Fall, University of Arizona

*Middle Bronze Age Village Agriculture in the Jordan
Valley*

9:10

Mary C. Metzger, University of Alabama in Birmingham

*Archaeozoological Perspectives on the Middle Bronze
Age from Tell el-Hayyat*

9:30

Paula Wapnish, Smithsonian Institution, and

Brian Hesse, University of Alabama in Birmingham

*Organization of Animal Production at Tell Jemmeh in
the Middle Bronze Age*

9:50

Recess

10:10

Steven E. Falconer, University of Arizona

*Village Economy and Pottery Production in the Jordan
Valley*

10:30

E. B. Banning, University of Toronto

*Settlement Criteria in the Early Bronze Age of Northern
Palestine*

10:50

Wade R. Kotter, University of Arizona

*The Economic Role of Syro-Palestinian Cities During
the Middle Bronze Age*

11:10

Jonathan Mabry, University of Arizona

*Political and Economic Centralization in the Northern
Central Hill Country of Palestine During Middle
Bronze II*

11:30

Bonnie Magness-Gardiner, University of Arizona

*Seals and Sealings: Implications for the Development of
Political Economy in the Middle Bronze Age*

11:50

General Discussion

S2 ASOR PRESENTATIONS I. SETTLEMENT AND CITY PLANNING

9:00-12:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 17

Seymour Gitin, Albright Institute, Jerusalem, Presiding

9:00

Frank L. Koucky, College of Wooster, and

Robert H. Smith, College of Wooster

*Lake Beisan and Prehistoric Settlement in the Northern
Jordan Valley*

9:20

Kenneth W. Schaar, Louisiana Tech University

*House Form at Alalakh: An Indicator of Cultural
Interconnections*

9:40

Volkmar Fritz, Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz

The Amarna-House and Its Palestinian Derivates

10:00

P. M. Michele Daviau, University of Toronto

*The Impact of Terrain on Room Arrangement and
House Size in the Levant*

10:20

Recess

10:40

Kassem Toueir, Department of Antiquities and Museums,

Damascus

Traveling Settlements Along the Euphrates

11:00

Larry G. Herr

A Re-examination of Iron Age Storehouses

11:20

Mark Dornfeld, University of Toronto

*Subsistence Strategy in an Urban Setting—Samaria: A
Case Study*

11:40

Ze'ev Herzog, Tel Aviv University

*City Planning in Iron Age Israel: Methodology and
Typology*

S3 ASOR TELL SAFUT PROJECT CONSULTATION AND PUBLICATIONS WORKSHOP

9:00-12:00 MONTROSE 3

Donald H. Wimmer, Seton Hall University, Presiding

Participants:

Jeannette Ohlson, University of Gotenberg

Dorothea Ditchfield, University of Pennsylvania

John R. Lee, St. John Fisher College

Jennifer Groot

Saturday
Afternoon
December 8



**A6 THEOLOGY AND RELIGIOUS
REFLECTION: SECTION**

1:00-3:30 BURNHAM 1

Richard Gelwick, Stephens College, Presiding

Theme: *Postcritical Perspectives in Theology*

1:00

R. Melvin Keiser, Guilford College

*Phenomenology and Spiritual Maturity in the Tillichian
Magisterium*

1:40

John McCarthy, University of Scranton

The Name of God: A Hermeneutical Approach

2:20

Robert S. Michaelsen, University of California, Santa Barbara

*Singing the Lord's Song in a Strange Land: Land and
Meaning in America*

3:00

Ronald S. Cole-Turner, Michigan Technological University

The Problem of Tritheism in Moltmann

**A7 WOMEN AND RELIGION:
SECTION**

1:00-3:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 18

1:00-3:00

Joanne Carlson Brown, Pacific Lutheran University, Presiding

Theme: *Abortion Ethics*

Beverly W. Harrison, Union Theological Seminary, New York

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Katie Geneva Cannon, Episcopal Divinity School

Abortion Politics: The Lost Promise of Women's Lives

Daniel C. Maguire, Marquette University

Abortion as a Social Justice Issue

Susan Brooks Thistlethwaite, Chicago Theological Seminary

*Theology and Ethics: Proposal for a Broader Partnership
on Abortion Issues*

Sylvia Marcos, Harvard Divinity School

Abortion Issues: A Third World Perspective

3:00-3:30

Joanne Carlson Brown, Pacific Lutheran University, Presiding

Theme: *Feminist Historiography*

Margaret R. Miles, Harvard Divinity School

*"Was There a Renaissance for Women?": The Evidence
of Visual Image*

**A8 CURRENTS IN CONTEMPORARY
CHRISTOLOGY: GROUP**

1:00-3:30 CRYSTAL ROOM

Mark Kline Taylor, Princeton Theological Seminary,
Presiding

Theme: *Hegelian Studies and Contemporary Christology*

James Yerkes, Earlham School of Religion

Hegelian Christology in Contemporary Studies

Peter C. Hodgson, Vanderbilt Divinity School

*Hegel's Christology in Light of a New Edition of The
Consummate Religion*

Vitor Westhelle, Luther Northwestern Theological Seminary

Strauss, Bauer: Options for Contemporary Christology

Paul Lakeland, Fairfield University

The Influence of Hegel in Recent Christology

Respondents:

David Tracy, University of Chicago Divinity School

Charles A. Wilson, St. Olaf College

**A9 EVANGELICAL THEOLOGY:
GROUP**

1:00-3:30 MONTROSE 1

Gerald Sheppard, Union Theological Seminary, New York,
Presiding

Theme: *New Testament Ethics*

Allen Verhey, Hope College

*A Review of Richard Longenecker, Social Ethics For
Today*

Richard N. Longenecker, Wycliffe College, University of
Toronto

*A Review of Allen Verhey, The Great Reversal: Ethics
and the New Testament*

Respondents:

Stephen Charles Mott, Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary

Thomas W. Ogletree, Drew University

**A10 PLATONISM AND NEOPLATONISM:
GROUP**

1:00-3:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 8

John Peter Kenney, Reed College, Presiding

Theme: *Platonism and Gnostic Theology*

1:00-1:50

John D. Turner, University of Nebraska

*The Figure of Hecate and Dynamic Emanationism in
The Chaldaean Oracles, Sethian Gnosticism and
Neoplatonism*

1:50-2:40

Karen L. King, Occidental College

*Ontology and Epistemology in Nag Hammadi Tractate
XI.3 Allogenes*

2:40-3:30

Robert Michael Berchman, Brown University

*Arithmology as an Exegetical Tool: The Case of the
Tripartite Tractate*



Saturday
Afternoon
December 8

S4 SYNOPSIS GOSPELS SECTION

1:00-2:30

CLARK 10

Susan M. Praeder, Boston College, Presiding
1:00

Marla J. Selvidge, University of Dayton
Friends, Lovers, and Partners: Women in the Lucan Vision of Community

1:30

Edwin J. Johnston, Mercer University
Matthew's Taking Away the Disciples' Misunderstanding of the Feeding of the Five Thousand (Matthew 14:16-17)

2:00

Stephenson Brooks, Hamilton College
Pre-Matthean Traditions in Matthew 23 and the History of the Matthean Community

S5 ISRAELITE AND EARLY CHRISTIAN WISDOM SECTION

1:00-3:00

PARLOR B

Leo G. Perdue, Graduate Seminary, Phillips University, Presiding

1:00

Bruce V. Malchow, Sacred Heart School of Theology
Proverbs 27:23-29:27: A Manual for Future Monarchs

1:30

Raymond C. Van Leeuwen, Calvin College
The Sense of Proverbs 30:21-23 and the Problem of Interpretative Context in Wisdom Literature

2:00

Michael V. Fox, University of Wisconsin, Madison
Value Words in Qohelet

2:30

Fred Burnett, Anderson College
Wisdom Christologies in New Testament: Some Current Issues

S6 SP ASSOCIATES LECTURE

1:00-3:00

WABASH PARLOR

John Dillenberger, Berkeley, California
Theological Method and the Artistic Mode: Theology, the Arts, and the Visual Arts

Doug Adams, Pacific School of Religion, Presiding
Also presented under the auspices of the Endowment for Visual Arts at the Graduate Theological Union.

S7 STRUCTURALISM AND EXEGESIS SECTION

1:00-3:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 7

Hugh White, Rutgers University at Camden, Presiding
Theme: Levi-Strauss, Greimas, and Hartman in Biblical Exegesis: Contributions and Limitations

1:00

James B. Harrod
The Exodus Mythologem: A Structural Hermeneutic

1:30

Hal Cauthron, Trevecca Nazarene College
Some Fundamental Convictions of John 18 and 19: Results of a Structural Exegesis

2:00

Edward McMahon, Texas Christian University
Making Room for Space in Structuralist Exegesis

2:30

Edgar V. McKnight, Furman University
"Wording the Wound of Words": The Role and Function of Biblical Literature

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S8 ISRAELITE PROPHETIC LITERATURE SECTION

1:00-3:30

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 16

Marvin A. Sweeney, University of Miami, Presiding
1:00

James Limburg, Luther Northwestern Seminary
Sevenfold Structures in the Book of Amos

1:30

Patricia Shelley, Iliff School of Theology
Amos and Irony

2:00

Roy F. Melugin, Austin College
Form, Imagery, and Tone in Amos' Poetic Diction

2:30

Yehoshua Gitay, Wesleyan University
Isaiah: Prophet as Poet

3:00

Douglas Clark, Southwestern Adventist College
The Rhetorical Functions of Citations in the Book of Ezekiel

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**A11 WAR AND PEACE STUDIES:
CONSULTATION**

1:00-3:30 LASALLE 1

Bernard T. Adeney, New College for Advanced Christian Studies, Berkeley, Presiding

Theme: *War and Peace: Psychological, Biblical, Historical, and Social Methods of Analysis*

Panelists:

Ira Chernus, University of Colorado, Boulder
War as Myth: "The Show Must Go On"

Daryl Schmidt, Texas Christian University
The Biblical Hermeneutics on Peacemaking in the Bishops' Pastoral

Stephen E. Lammers, Lafayette College
William Temple and the Bombing of Germany

Lois K. Daly, Siena College
Nuclear Weapons and Gender Ideologies

Papers predistributed to Consultation members.

A business meeting of the Consultation will follow the discussion.

A11-SPA SP ASSOCIATES LECTURE

1:00-3:00 WABASH PARLOR

John Dillenger, Berkeley, California
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**A12 ARTS, LITERATURE,
AND RELIGION: SECTION**

3:45-6:15 LASALLE 2

Doug Adams, Pacific School of Religion, Presiding

Theme: *The Appropriation of the Bible in Art and Theology*

Jane Dillenger, Pacific School of Religion
The Imagery of God the Father in Western Art

K. M. Irwin, Graduate Theological Union
Using Biblical Critical Methods in the Interpretation of Visual Art Based on Scripture

Judith Rock, Graduate Theological Union
Biblical Themes on the Baroque Jesuit Stage

P. Joseph Cahill, University of Alberta
Religious Symbolism in J. S. Bach's Cantata 4: Christ lag in Todesbanden

**A13 COMPARATIVE STUDIES
IN RELIGION: SECTION**

3:45-6:15 LASALLE 3

Stephen Schmidt, Mundelein College, Presiding

Theme: *The Diffusion of the Baha'i Faith and Its Encounter with Other Religions*

Panelists:

Christopher Buck, University of British Columbia
A Unique Eschatological Interface: Baha'u'llah and Cross-Cultural Messianism

Susan Stiles, University of Arizona
Zoroastrian Conversions to the Baha'i Faith in Yazd, Iran

Anthony Lee, University of California, Los Angeles
The Establishment of a Religious Community: The Baha'i Faith in West Africa from 1950 to 1963

William Garlington, Mill Valley, California
The Baha'i Mass Movement in Mawla, India

Robert H. Stockman, Harvard Divinity School
The Baha'i Faith and the Bible in the United States, 1892-1912

A14 ETHICS: SECTION

3:45-6:15 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 8

Robin Lovin, University of Chicago Divinity School, Presiding

Theme: *The Legacy of Ernst Troeltsch*

Michael R. LaChat, Methodist Theological School in Ohio
Troeltsch on the Social Impact of the Doctrine of Predestination: Implications for Modern Ethics and Theology

Max A. Myers, St. Bonaventure University
The Essence of Christianity as Dialogue and the Constitution of Value in History

Richard Sherlock, Fordham University
Ernst Troeltsch and the Politics of Nihilism

**A15 HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY:
SECTION**

3:45-6:15 PARLOR A

Paul A. Dietrich, University of Montana, Presiding

Theme: *Death, Dying and Immortality in the History of Christianity*

Ellen Shanahan, Rosary College
Deification and Immortality in the Christian Hermetica

Robert Englert, Hofstra University
The Grieving Process in Bernard of Clairvaux and Dante

Kenneth E. Christopherson, Pacific Lutheran University
Death and New Life in Sermons of Norway's Greatest Reformation Bishops



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Afternoon
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**S9 THE BIBLE IN ANCIENT
AND MODERN MEDIA CONSULTATION**

1:00-4:00 BURNHAM 2

David M. Rhoads, Carthage College, Presiding

Theme: *The Bible in Oral and Manuscript Media: The Gospels*

1:00

Thomas E. Boomersshine, United Theological Seminary,
Dayton
*Peter's Denial as Story: Peter's Confession or Anti-
Petrine Polemic?*

1:30

Gilbert L. Bartholomew, Lancaster Theological Seminary
Feed My Lambs: John 23:15-22 as Oral Gospel

2:00

Walter J. Ong, St. Louis University
Mark as Text

3:00

Respondent:

Werner Kelber, Rice University

3:15

Panel Discussion: *Next Steps in Research on Biblical
Narrative in Oral and Manuscript Media*

Panelists:

Thomas E. Boomersshine
Gilbert L. Bartholomew
Walter J. Ong
Werner Kelber

**S10 BLACK BIBLICAL STUDIES
CONSULTATION**

1:00-4:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 9

John W. Waters, Interdenominational Theological Center,
Presiding

1:00

Charles B. Copher, Interdenominational Theological Center
African-Americans and Biblical Hermeneutics

1:45

Discussion

**S11 NORTHWEST SEMITIC
EPIGRAPHY GROUP**

1:00-4:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 6

Robert M. Good, Dartmouth College, Presiding

1:00

Agustinus Gianto, Harvard University
Some Notes on RES 367

1:45

Robert Ratner, Wellesley College
**taqtul—Third Masculine Singular Imperfect, Again*

2:30

Bruce Zuckerman, University of Southern California
The Nora Puzzle

3:15

James Davila, Harvard University
The Throne of Ashtart Inscription

**S12 SOCIAL HISTORY OF EARLY
CHRISTIANITY CONSULTATION**

1:00-4:00 DEARBORN 1

L. Michael White, Oberlin College, Presiding

Theme: *Social "Networks" in Early Christianity and Its
Environment*

Holland Hendrix, Barnard College, New York

*Patronage Networks in the Urban Environment: The
Evidence of Thessalonica*

Ronald Hock, University of Southern California

Intellectual Networks in Graeco-Roman Antiquity

Elizabeth Clark, Duke University

*Elite Networks and Heresy Accusations: Toward a Social
Description of the Origenist Controversy*

Response and Discussion



**A16 PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION:
SECTION/SBL STRUCTURALISM
AND EXEGESIS: SECTION**

3:45-6:15 MONTROSE 1

Gary Phillips, College of the Holy Cross, Presiding
Theme: *Speech-Act Theory in Religious Studies and Biblical Exegesis*

3:45

Ronald Grimes, Wilfrid Laurier University
How Writers Make Readers Do Rituals with Words

4:05

Gerald Larson, University of California, Santa Barbara
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4:25

Hugh White, Rutgers University
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**A17 RELIGION AND THE
SOCIAL SCIENCES: SECTION**

3:45-6:15 PARLOR G

Don S. Browning, University of Chicago, Presiding
Theme: *Object Relations Theory: Psychoanalytic Object Relations Theory and the Study of Religion* by John McDargh, University Press of America, 1983. X

Panelists:

Trevor Watt, Canisius College

Diane E. Jonte-Pace, John F. Kennedy University

Merle R. Jordan, Boston University

David H. Fisher, George Williams College, Presiding

Theme: *Perspectives on the Self*

David R. Crownfield, University of Northern Iowa
Self-Knowledge and Knowledge of God: Deconstructing Calvin

Mary Ellen Trahan, University of Virginia
Historical Relativism and Theological Conceptions of the Self

Respondents:

Lucy Bregman, Temple University

John McDargh, Boston College

**A18 THEOLOGY AND RELIGIOUS
REFLECTION: SECTION**

3:45-6:15 BURNHAM 1

David R. Mason, John Carroll University, Presiding

Theme: *Foundational Issues: Experience, Imagination, Technology*

3:45

Owen C. Thomas, Episcopal Divinity School
Theology and Experience: The New Chicago School

4:30

Kevin Lewis, University of South Carolina
The Answer of William Blake: A Resource Overlooked

5:15

Darrell J. Fasching, University of South Florida
Theology, Technology and Transcendence: Reflections on Jacques Ellul and Bernard Lonergan

**A19 AFRO-AMERICAN RELIGIOUS
HISTORY: GROUP/NORTH AMERICAN
RELIGIONS: SECTION**

3:45-6:15 BURNHAM 4

Samuel S. Hill, University of Florida, Presiding

Theme: *Martin Luther King, Jr.: Black Religion and the Transformation of Southern Culture*

Panelists:

Lewis V. Baldwin, Vanderbilt University

James H. Cone, Union Theological Seminary, New York

David J. Garrow, City College, City University of New York

Charles Regan Wilson, University of Mississippi

A20 BUDDHISM: GROUP

3:45-6:15 LASALLE 1

David Komito, Amherst College, Presiding

Theme: *Jungian Psychology and Buddhism*

Martin Kalff, The Jung Institute

Emergence of the Feminine in Buddhism and Jungian Psychology

Victoria Kennick Urubschuw, Drew University
The Alchemy of Spiritual Development: Symbols of Transformation in the Lives of the Vajrayana Saints

Eugene Pascal, New York Association for Analytical Psychology

The Art of Dream Interpretation among Buddhists in Asia

Harold Coward, University of Calgary

Jung's Attitude Toward Buddhism

Respondent:

David Komito, Amherst College



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**S13 HISTORY OF EXEGESIS
GROUP**

1:00-4:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 5

Susan E. Schreiner, Graduate Seminary, Phillips University,
Presiding

1:00

Jeremiah Unterman, Barry University

*"What have I done to you?": 1 Kings 19:20 in the
History of Interpretation*

1:25

Mary R. D'Angelo, Saint Thomas Theological Seminary

*"Neither Woman without Man nor Man without
Woman": 1 Corinthians 11:11 as an Interpretation of
Genesis 1:26-27*

1:50

Jacqueline A. Williams, College of William and Mary

*The Gospel of Truth: Witness to Second Century
Exegetical Traditions*

2:15

Everett Kalin, Christ Seminary-Seminex at Pacific Union
Seminary

*Re-examining New Testament Canon History: The
Canon of Origen*

2:40

Gregory A. Robbins, Wichita State University

*Peri tōn endiathēkōn graphōn: Sorting out Eusebius'
"Canon" Categories*

3:05

Recess

3:15

C. Thomas McCollough, Centre College

*Theodoret of Cyrus' Commentary on Daniel: The
Convergence of Tradition and Context*

3:40

Donald K. McKim, University of Dubuque Theological
Seminary

*Ramism as an Exegetical Tool for English Puritanism
and Used by William Perkins*

4:05

James T. Clemons, Wesley Theological Seminary

*Insights into Eighteenth-Century Exegesis: John
Wesley's Critical Use of Scripture*

Some of the papers in the above session are included in the
SBL 1984 Seminar Papers.

**S14 ASOR PRESENTATIONS II.
FROM ASSYRIA TO ISLAMIC SOCIETY:
ARCHAEOLOGY AND TEXTUAL ANALYSIS
IN THE LEVANT FROM IRON TO ISLAMIC AGES**

1:00-5:20 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 17

Pauline Albenda, Presiding

1:00

David Stronach, University of California, Berkeley

Reflections of Empire: Assyria and Persia in the Levant

1:20

W. Jack Bennett, Jr., Archaeological Assessments, Inc.

Tell el-Hesi in the Persian Period

1:40

Harold O. Forshey, Miami University

Potters' Marks and the Development of the Alphabet

2:00

David M. Jacobson, University of Chicago

*Pre-Islamic North Arabian Desert Arabs: Their Society in
Their Own Words*

2:20

David F. Graf, Montana State University

The Origin and Nature of the Nabataean Kingdom

2:40

Recess

3:00

Richard Simon Hanson, Luther College, Decorah

The Scribe and the Script of II Q Paleo Lev

3:20

Robert L. Hohlfelder, University of Colorado, Boulder

The Harbor Facilities of Strato's Tower

3:40

Zbigniew T. Fiema, University of Utah

*Stone-Masons, Sculptors and Architects—Remarks on
Some Epigraphic Evidence from the East (I-II Century
A.D.)*

4:00

Charles A. Kennedy, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State
University

The Eidoleion at Corinth (I Corinthians 8:10)

4:20

S. Thomas Parker, North Carolina State University

The Strata Diocletiana: A Roman Frontier Reconsidered

4:40

John F. Wilson, Seaver College, Pepperdine University

*Damascus and Galilee: The Capernaum Hoard and the
Umayyad Caliphate*

5:00

Doris Miller, New York University

The Lava Lands of Syria in Nabatean and Roman Times

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A21 QURANIC STUDIES: GROUP

3:45-6:15 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 7

Andrew Rippin, University of Calgary, Presiding

Juan E. Campo, University of California, Santa Barbara
*Language and Spatial Significance: The Discursive
Formation of Domestic Space in the Qur'an*

Abdulaziz A. Sachedina, University of Virginia
*The Question of "Guidance" and Its Implications in the
Qur'an*

Marcia K. Hermansen, San Diego State University
*The Concept of Person and Human Action in the
Qur'an*

Habibeh Rahim, Harvard University
*The Humanity of Prophet Muhammed as Reflected in
the Qur'an*

Muhammad S. Eissa, Northwestern University
Qur'an and Sira: Biographical Notes

Progress report on plans for the Calgary Conference on the
History of the Interpretation of the Qur'an, to be held at the
University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, Canada, April 1-4,
1985.

A22 RITUAL STUDIES: GROUP

3:45-6:15 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 11

Diana L. Eck, Harvard University, Presiding

Theme: *Transformative Rituals in India*

Paula Richman, Colby College
*Hindu Life-Cycle Rituals and Stages of Infancy in
Pillaitamil*

Brian Smith, Barnard College
*Ritual, Knowledge, and Being: Initiation and Veda
Study According to the Grhya Sūtras*

Bill Harman, DePauw University
The Marriage Saṃskāra: What It Is and What It Does

Michael Fisher, Western Washington University
*The Imperial Transformation: Coronation Rituals in a
Multi-Cultural Context*

Discussants:

Holly Reynolds, Wellesley College

David Knipe, University of Wisconsin

A23 ACADEMIC ISSUES IN RELIGIOUS PUBLISHING: CONSULTATION

3:45-6:15 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 4

James J. Heaney, The Westminster Press, Presiding

Theme: *Publishing the Theological Curriculum:
Responsibilities and Opportunities*

Panelists:

Judith Longman, S.P.C.K., London

Carey J. Gifford, Abingdon Press

Harold W. Rast, Fortress Press

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A24 75th ANNIVERSARY LECTURE

3:45-5:00 ADAMS ROOM

Sudhir Kakar, Center for the Study of Developing Societies,
Delhi, India

Religion and Psychotherapy: The Indian Experience

Wendy O'Flaherty, University of Chicago Divinity School,
Presiding

5:00-6:15 ADAMS ROOM

Eduardo Matos Moctezuma, Centro de Investigaciones y
Estudios Superiores en Antropología Social

*Templo Mayor of Tenochtitlan: Archaeology and
Symbolism in Mesoamerica*

Catherine Albanese, Wright State University, Presiding



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**S15 ASOR SYMPOSIUM
ON ARCHAEOLOGICAL CONSERVATION**

2:00-5:00 PARLOR F

Rosa Lowinger, Schussler & Lowinger, Inc., Presiding

2:00

Introduction

2:15

Barbara Hall, Oriental Institute, University of Chicago
Burial Environment and the Process of Degradation

2:45

Amy Rosenberg, Kelsey Museum, University of Michigan
The Role of the Conservator on the Site

3:15

Recess

3:30

Christine Del Re, University Museum, University of
Pennsylvania
Setting Up a Field Laboratory

4:00

Jean Mandell, Art Institute of Chicago
Packing and Storage of Objects

4:30

Christine Del Re and Rosa Lowinger
Selection of Conservation Personnel

**S16 ASOR SYMPOSIUM
ON WADI al-JUBAH
ARCHAEOLOGICAL PROJECT**

2:00-6:30 PARLOR H

Merilyn Phillips Hodgson, American Foundation for the
Study of Man, Presiding

2:00

Jeffrey A. Blakely, University of Pennsylvania
Introduction

2:15

Michael R. Toplyn, Harvard University
The Wadi al-Jubah Archaeological Survey

2:45

Albert Jamme, The Catholic University of America
Epigraphic Evidence in the Wadi al-Jubah

3:15

Abdu O. Ghaleb, University of Pennsylvania
*Stratigraphic Evidence from al-Jubah and Hajar at-
Tamrah*

3:45

Recess

4:00

William D. Glanzman, University of Pennsylvania
*Ceramic Technology in Ancient Qataban and Sheba:
Looks Aren't Everything*

4:30

Dan Rahimi, University of Pennsylvania
Microlithic Obsidian Industry in Iron Age Yemen

5:00

Laurie J. Tiede, University of Pennsylvania
*Literary and Artifactual Evidence for the Ancient South
Arabian Incense Trade*

5:30

James A. Sauer, University of Pennsylvania
*The Archaeological Remains in the Wadi al-Jubah and
Their Relationship to Near Eastern Archaeology*

6:00

Respondents:

Philip J. King, Boston College

James D. Muhly, University of Pennsylvania

**S17 ASOR WORKSHOP
ON BYZANTINE CAESAREA**

3:00-6:00

MONTROSE 3

Marie Spiro, University of Maryland, Presiding

**S18 ISRAELITE AND EARLY CHRISTIAN
WISDOM SECTION**

3:30-5:00

PARLOR B

John G. Gammie, University of Tulsa, Presiding

Theme: *The Identity of the Sage in the Persian and
Hellenistic Periods*

Panelists:

Joseph Blenkinsopp, University of Notre Dame
The Identity of the Sage in the Persian Period

Paul Hanson, Harvard Divinity School
The Identity of the Sage in the Ptolemaic Period

Michael Fishbane, Brandeis University
The Identity of the Sage in the Seleucid Period

**S19 A NEW MOULTON-MILLIGAN?
CONSULTATION**

3:45-5:45

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 1

Leander E. Keck, Yale Divinity School, Presiding

A discussion of the feasibility of preparing a new lexicon of the
papyri.

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A glance backward . . .

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1972	1-5 September	Los Angeles	CENTURY PLAZA
1973	8-11 November	Chicago	PALMER HOUSE
1974	24-27 October	Washington	WASHINGTON HILTON
1975	30 October-2 November	Chicago	PALMER HOUSE
1976	28-31 October	St. Louis	STOUFFER'S RIVERFRONT TOWERS
1977	28-31 December	San Francisco	SAN FRANCISCO HILTON & TOWER
1978	18-21 November	New Orleans	NEW ORLEANS MARRIOTT
1979	15-19 November	New York	STATLER HILTON
1980	5-9 November	Dallas	LOEWS ANATOLE
1981	19-22 December	San Francisco	SAN FRANCISCO HILTON & TOWER
1982	19-22 December	New York	NEW YORK HILTON
1983	19-22 December	Dallas	LOEWS ANATOLE

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1985	23-26 November	Anaheim	ANAHEIM HILTON
1986	22-25 November	Atlanta	MARRIOTT MARQUIS



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S20 MIRACLE STORIES GROUP

3:45-5:45 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 16

Dennis R. MacDonald, Iliff School of Theology, Presiding

Theme: *Reviews of Howard Clark Kee's Book, Miracle in The Early Christian World* X

3:45

Reviewers:

Eugene Gallager, Connecticut College

John Lown, Point Loma College

Susan Praeder, Boston College

4:45

Respondent:

Howard Clark Kee, Boston University

5:05

Discussion

**S21 STRUCTURALISM AND EXEGESIS
SECTION/AAR PHILOSOPHY OF
RELIGION: SECTION**

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S22 SYNOPTIC GOSPELS SECTION

3:45-5:15 CLARK 10

Earle Hilgert, McCormick Theological Seminary, Presiding

3:45

Norman Beck, Texas Lutheran College

Mark 5:9-17: A Subtle Anti-Roman Polemic?

4:15

John Kampen, Cincinnati, Ohio

After the Qumranic Torah: Matthew and Qumran Re-examined

4:45

Robert L. Mowery, Illinois Wesleyan University Libraries

A Switch in the Middle of a Book: Attributive Prepositional Phrases in the Synoptic Gospels and Acts

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A25

**RECEPTION
AAR/SBL/SP ASSOCIATES**

6:30-7:30

GRAND BALLROOM

General Reception. All registered participants invited.

A26

AAR PLENARY ADDRESSES

8:00

STATE BALLROOM

William Bennett, Chairman, National Endowment for the Humanities

Relentless Suboptimization and the Art of Soulcraft

Ray L. Hart, University of Montana, Presiding

9:15

STATE BALLROOM

Northrup Frye, University of Toronto

The Expanding World of Metaphor

James B. Wiggins, Syracuse University, Presiding



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S23

**RECEPTION
AAR/SBL/SP ASSOCIATES**

6:30-7:30

GRAND BALLROOM

General Reception. All registered participants invited.

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**ASOR PRESENTATIONS III.
CERAMICS AND MEDITERRANEAN
ARCHAEOLOGY**

7:00-10:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 17

Roger Boraas, Upsala College, Presiding

7:00

Trude Dothan, Hebrew University, Jerusalem

*Occupation Patterns in the Eastern Mediterranean at
the Beginning of the 12th Century B.C.: A Reassessment
in the Light of New Archaeological Evidence*

7:20

John F. Brug, Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary

The Quantitative Role of Philistine Ware

7:40

James Weinstein, Cornell University

*Trade in the East Mediterranean World
ca. 1600-1500 B.C.*

8:00

Recess

8:20

Albert Leonard, Jr., University of Missouri

Ugarit, Mycenae and Late Bronze Age Chronology

8:40

Eliezer D. Oren, Ben Gurion University of the Negev

A Phoenician Trading Colony (?) on the Border of Egypt

9:00

Brigitte W. Watkins, University of Chicago

*Iron Age Pottery in the Levant and on the Iberian
Peninsula: A Study in Culture Transmission*

9:20

Johnathan Tubb, British Museum

*Excavations in the Early Bronze Age IV Cemetery of
Tiwal esh-Sharqi (Jordan Valley)*

9:40

John S. Holladay, University of Toronto

New Dimensions in Ceramic Analysis

S25

ASOR TRUSTEES MEETING

7:00-9:30

PARLOR H

Elizabeth Moynihan, ASOR Chairperson of the Board,
Presiding

S26

**ASOR WORKSHOP:
THE LAHAV ECOSYSTEM—
FORMULATING THE RESEARCH CONCEPT**

7:00-10:00

MONTROSE 3

Joe D. Seger, Cobb Institute of Archaeology, Mississippi State
University, Presiding

Participants:

Mary Elizabeth Shutler, University of Wisconsin, Parkside

Steven Falconer, University of Arizona

Mark Laustrup, University of Nebraska at Omaha

Melinda Zeder, National Museum of Natural History

Karen E. Seger, University of Arizona

Oded Borowski, Emory University

Dan P. Cole, Lake Forest College

Harold Forshey, Miami University

John O'Hear, Cobb Institute of Archaeology, Mississippi State
University

S27

PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

8:00-9:00

RED LACQUER ROOM

Wayne Meeks, Yale University, Presiding

Roland Murphy, Duke Divinity School

Wisdom and Creation

S28

ASOR TRUSTEES RECEPTION

9:30-11:00

PARLOR F

Sunday
Morning
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**A27 ACADEMIC STUDY
OF RELIGION: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PARLOR C

9:00-10:30

John Carmody, Wichita State University, Presiding

Theme: *Teaching Biblical Materials*

Panelists:

John Carmody, Wichita State University

Denise L. Carmody, Wichita State University

Stuart Lasine, Wichita State University

Robert L. Cohn, Northwestern University

10:30-11:15

Stuart Lasine, Wichita State University, Presiding

Kathleen McGovern Gaffney, Xavier University of Louisiana

Images of God in the Hebrew and Christian Scriptures

11:15-11:30

Planning session for next year's meeting. All persons interested in the Academic Study of Religion are invited.

**A28 ARTS, LITERATURE,
AND RELIGION: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 CLARK 5

Diane Apostolos-Cappadona, George Washington University, Presiding

Theme: *Art, Literature, and the Contemporary Theological Imagination*

Panelists:

John Cobb, School of Theology at Claremont

Lawrence Cunningham, Florida State University

John Dillenberger, Berkeley, California

Langdon Gilkey, The University of Chicago Divinity School

Stephen Happel, Catholic University of America

David Tracy, The University of Chicago Divinity School

Each panelist will present a statement as to how the arts impinge upon or become involved in his doing of theology.

Discussion among the panelists will be followed by open discussion with the audience.

A29 ETHICS: SECTION

9:00-11:30 PARLOR G

Alan B. Anderson, Greensboro, North Carolina, Presiding

Theme: *The Future of Ethics: A 75th Anniversary Celebration*

Panelists:

Beverly W. Harrison, Union Theological Seminary, New York

Roger L. Shinn, Union Theological Seminary, New York

Preston N. Williams, Harvard Divinity School

**A30 HISTORY OF JUDAISM:
SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 7

Norbert M. Samuelson, Temple University, Presiding

Theme: *The Buber-Scholem Controversy*

9:00-9:50

Maurice Friedman, San Diego State University

Interpreting Hasidism: Buber versus Scholem

9:50-10:40

Arthur Waskow, Reconstructionist Rabbinical College

Topic to be announced

10:40-11:30

Steven Kepnes, Southern Methodist University

A Hermeneutic Approach to the Buber-Scholem Controversy

**A31 RELIGION AND THE
SOCIAL SCIENCES: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 8

Robert C. Fuller, Bradley University, Presiding

Theme: *Religion and the Social Sciences: A Historical and Methodological Retrospective*

Panelists:

Peter Homans, University of Chicago

One Hundred Years of Psychology and Religion, 1880s-1980s: An Intellectual History

John McDargh, Boston College

Reinterpreting Theology's Interest in the Social Sciences

Robert Segal, Louisiana State University

The Sociology of Religion: A Retrospective Analysis

**A32 RELIGION IN SOUTH
ASIA: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 4

Robert N. Minor, The University of Kansas, Presiding

Theme: *The Yoga Sūtras*

Participants:

Harvey Alper, Southern Methodist University

The Gods of Yoga and Their Vicissitudes

John Borelli, College of Mount Saint Vincent on the Hudson

How Many Yogas of the Yoga Sūtras?

Harold Coward, The University of Calgary

Āgama in the Yoga Sūtras

Christopher Chapple, The Institute for Advanced Study of World Religions and State University of New York, Stony Brook

The Syncretistic Asceticism of the Yoga Sūtra with Special Reference to the Discipline of Non-Violence

Klaus Klostermaier, University of Manitoba

Comments on Yoga Sūtra IV:29: . . . dharmamegha samādhiḥ



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**S29 LITERARY ASPECTS OF THE
GOSPELS AND ACTS GROUP**

8:30-10:30

PARLOR A

Norman R. Petersen, Williams College, Presiding

Susan Praeder, Boston College

*Jesus-Paul, Peter-Paul, and Jesus-Peter Parallelisms in
Luke-Acts: A History of Reader Responses*

Respondents:

Hendrikus Boers, Candler School of Theology, Emory
University

Charles H. Talbert, Wake Forest University

The paper presented in the above session is included in the
SBL 1984 Seminar Papers.

**S30 BIBLICAL LAW
AND COMPARATIVE STUDIES GROUP**

8:30-11:30

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 9

Tikva Frymer-Kensky, University of Michigan, Presiding

8:30

Rodney Hutton, Trinity Lutheran Seminary
Declarative Formulae

9:00

Stephen D. Ricks, Brigham Young University
The Formal Structure of Biblical Oaths

9:30

Recess

9:45

David P. Wright, University of California, Berkeley
*The Place of the Disposal, Exclusion and Restriction of
Impurity in the Priestly Writings*

Respondent:

Jacob Milgrom

10:15

Dale Patrick, Drake University
A New Look at Biblical Law

10:45

Respondent:

Tikva Frymer-Kensky, University of Michigan

**S31 THE BIBLE IN ANCIENT
AND MODERN MEDIA CONSULTATION**

8:30-11:30

BURNHAM 2

Walter Brueggemann, Eden Theological Seminary, Presiding
Theme: *The Bible in Television*

8:30

Martin E. Marty, University of Chicago Divinity School
*Briefings on the Intersections between Scholarship and
Television*

9:15

Robert Jewett, Garrett Evangelical Theological Seminary
*The Enemy in Biblical Literature and in American
History and Popular Culture*

10:00

Recess

10:15

Discussion on the formation of a Seminar on the Bible in
Ancient and Modern Media based on proposal published in
SBL 1984 Seminar Papers. Participants are encouraged to
bring research proposals.

**S32 ISRAELITE PROPHETIC
LITERATURE SECTION**

8:30-11:30

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 16

David L. Petersen, Iliff School of Theology, Presiding

8:30

John T. Willis, Abilene Christian University
Rod and Staff in Isaiah

9:00

Marvin A. Sweeney, University of Miami
*Redaction in the Book of Isaiah: The Structure, Purpose
and Setting of Isaiah 2-4*

9:30

Jack P. Lewis, Harding Graduate School of Religion
Archaeological Insights into the Exegesis of Nahum

10:00

J. David Pleins, University of Detroit
*Poverty in the Hebrew Prophets: The Social Critique of
Amos, Isaiah and Jeremiah*

10:30

C. Gilbert Romero, Archbishop Oscar Romero Center
*True vs. False Prophecy: Was Hananiah Shortchanged?
(Jeremiah 28)*

11:00

Prescott H. Williams, Jr., Austin Presbyterian Theological
Seminary
*The Formation of Isaiah 40-55: Anticipatory Worship
Toward a New Liturgy*



**A33 WOMEN AND RELIGION:
SECTION**

9:00-11:30 CRYSTAL ROOM

9:00-10:00

Ellen M. Umansky, Emory University, Presiding

Theme: *Women and Buddhism*

Rita M. Gross, University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire
*Yeshe Tsogyal: Enlightened Consort, Great Teacher,
Female Role Model*

Judith Simmer-Brown, Naropa Institute
Revival of the Full Ordination for Buddhist Nuns

10:00-11:30

Emily Culpepper, Harvard Divinity School, Presiding

Theme: *Mary Daly's Pure Lust*

Mary Daly, Boston College ~~X~~
Reflections on Pure Lust

Respondent:

Emily Culpepper, Harvard Divinity School

**A34 CHINESE RELIGIONS:
GROUP**

9:00-11:30 PARLOR E

Murray A. Rubinstein Baruch/CUNY, Presiding

Theme: *Tradition, Revolution and the Gospel in China,
1949-83*

Panelists:

Franklin Woo, Director, China Program, National Council,
Churches of Christ of the United States of America
*The Political Challenge to Protestantism and Chinese
Religion*

Teresa M-f Chu, Director, China Programme, The Canadian
Council of Churches
*Catholicism, Chinese Traditional Values and Marxist
Thought: A Search for a Common Ground*

Murray A. Rubinstein, Baruch/CUNY
*Hollow Center/Hungry Heart: Chinese Religion,
Christianity, and the Challenges of Modernity in
Contemporary Taiwan*

Discussant:

Paul Richard Bohr, Director, Midwest China Center

**A35 NARRATIVE INTERPRETATION
AND THEOLOGY: GROUP**

9:00-11:30 BURNHAM 4

Theme: *Narrative and Rationality*

9:00-10:15

George Hunsinger, New Brunswick Theological Seminary,
Presiding

David Ford, University of Birmingham, Birmingham,
England
*'The Best Apologetics is a Good Systematics.' The Place
of Narrative in Christian Systematic Theology*

Respondent:

Christopher Morse, Union Theological Seminary, New York
10:15-11:30

Joseph DiNoia, Dominican House of Studies, Washington,
D.C., Presiding

William Werpehowski, Villanova University
Ad hoc Apologetics

Respondent:

Wayne Proudfoot, Columbia University

Discussion will presume familiarity with the essays. To obtain
papers for both sessions in advance, please sent \$7.50 to Ronald
F. Thiemann, Department of Religion, Haverford College,
Haverford, PA 19041.

**A36 NINETEENTH CENTURY
THEOLOGY: GROUP**

9:00-11:30 PARLOR B

Peter C. Hodgson, Vanderbilt University, Presiding

Theme: *Schelling and His Influence on Nineteenth Century
Protestant and Catholic Theology*

Robert F. Brown, University of Delaware

John P. Clayton, University of Lancaster

Thomas F. O'Meara, University of Notre Dame

Robert P. Scharlemann, University of Virginia

Joseph A. Bracken, Xavier University

Seminar discussion of printed papers. Auditors welcome.
Papers for this and the second session of the Nineteenth
Century Theology Working Group are available in advance
for \$6 from Claude Welch, Graduate Theological Union, 2465
LeConte Avenue, Berkeley, CA 94709.

**A37 EASTERN CHRISTIANITY:
CONSULTATION**

9:00-11:30 PARLOR D

Sidney H. Griffith, The Catholic University of America,
Presiding

Theme: *The Rise of Monophysitism: Views from Syriac and
Coptic Sources*

James E. Goehring, Claremont Graduate School
*Chalcedonian Power Politics and the Demise of the
Pachomian Movement*

Susan Ashbrook Harvey, University of Rochester
*Remembering Pain: Syriac Historiography and the
Monophysite Separations*

David W. Johnson, The Catholic University of America
The "Monophysitizing" of the Copts: 451-642

Thomas Hurst, St. Mary's Seminary and University
Patriarch Timothy I and the Monophysites



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**S33 ASOR SPECIAL SESSION
ON THE ARCHAEOLOGY OF SYRIA I:
SYRIAN ARCHAEOLOGY
IN ITS HISTORICAL CONTEXT**

8:30-12:00 STATE BALLROOM

Giorgio Buccellati, University of California, Los Angeles,
Presiding

8:30

A. M. T. Moore, Yale University
The Prehistory of Syria

9:00

Giorgio Buccellati, University of California, Los Angeles
The Period and Kingdom of Khana

9:30

Rudolph Dornemann, Milwaukee Public Museum
*Tell Hadidi: One Bronze Age Site Among Many in the
Tabqa Dam Salvage Area*

10:00

Recess

10:15

Elizabeth Stone, State University of New York at Stony Brook,
and

Paul Zimansky, Boston University
*The Dark Age Transformation: 'Ain Dara and the
Hittite Legacy*

10:45

John M. Lundquist, Brigham Young University
*Tell Qarqur: Adaptation and Chronology in the
Northern Orontes Valley*

11:15

Oleg Grabar, Harvard University
Islamic Archaeology in Syria

11:45

General Discussion

S34 QUMRAN SECTION

9:00-11:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 6

Maurya P. Horgan, The Scriptorium, Presiding

9:00

Robert Eisenman, California State University, Long Beach
*"Bela'" as a Circumlocution for Herodians and "Be'iroi"
in the Temple Scroll*

9:40

Phillip Callaway, bei Brossel, Marburg, West Germany
The Temples of 4QFlor and 11QT

10:20

Carol Newsom, Candler School of Theology, Emory
University
*The Qumran Sabbath Shirot and the Origins of
Merkabah Mysticism*

**S35 NATIONAL ENDOWMENT
FOR THE HUMANITIES: CONSULTATION**

9:00-11:30

LASALLE 1

Richard Ekman, National Endowment for the Humanities,
Director of the Division of Education Programs,
Presiding

Theme: *Opportunities with the National Endowment for the
Humanities*

Programs in the several divisions of the NEH will be described
by representatives from the Endowment. Discussion of
procedures to be followed in submitting applications,
description of the kinds of proposals which have been funded
in the past, the openness of the NEH to proposals from
scholars in religion, and various other issues will be raised.

S36 ACTS CONSULTATION

9:00-12:00

LASALLE 2

Joseph B. Tyson, Southern Methodist University, Presiding

9:00

Joseph B. Tyson, Southern Methodist University
The Current Study of Acts

9:30

Robert L. Brawley, Memphis Theological Seminary
A Reconsideration of Acts 1:8 and the Program of Acts

10:00

John T. Carroll, Princeton Theological Seminary
Eschatology and Situation in Acts

10:30

David P. Moessner, Yale Divinity School
Paul in the Acts: Preacher of Repentance to Israel

11:00

Thomas L. Brodie, Aquinas Institute, St. Louis
*The Journey and Washing of Naaman (2 Kings 5:1-14)
as One Component in the Story of the Ethiopian (Acts
8:26-40)*

11:30

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**A38 NATIONAL ENDOWMENT
FOR THE HUMANITIES: CONSULTATION**

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A39 75th ANNIVERSARY LECTURES

9:00-10:15

ADAMS ROOM

Philip Shen, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
American Philosophy of Religion from an Asian Perspective

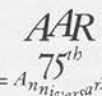
Schubert Ogden, Southern Methodist University, Presiding

10:15-11:30

ADAMS ROOM

Fritz Buri, University of Basel
American Philosophy of Religion from a European Perspective

Charley Hardwick, American University, Presiding



A40 75th ANNIVERSARY LECTURE

10:15-11:30

WABASH PARLOR

Gabriel Daly, Augustinian Priory, Dublin, Ireland
Catholicism and Modernity

George Gilmore, Spring Hill College, Presiding

A40-SPA SP ASSOCIATES LECTURE

10:00-11:30

RED LACQUER ROOM

Martin E. Marty, The University of Chicago Divinity School
Irony, (fig.) and (lit.) in Modern American Religion

Catherine Albanese, Wright State University, Presiding

A41 WOMEN'S CAUCUS

11:45-1:00

CRYSTAL ROOM

Lorine M Getz, Boston Theological Institute, Presiding

Rosemary Radford Ruether, Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary

Ross Kraemer, Princeton University

Business Meeting



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**S37 HEBREWS, PASTORALS AND
GENERAL EPISTLES CONSULTATION**

9:00-12:00 LASALLE 3

Dennis R. MacDonald, Iliff School of Theology, Presiding
9:00

Harold W. Attridge, Perkins School of Theology, Southern
Methodist University
The Structure of the Antitheses in Hebrews 8-10

9:30

Sophie Laws, John Carroll University
Community and Christology in Hebrews

10:00

Lincoln D. Hurst, University of California, Davis
*Eschatology and Platonism in Hebrews**

10:30

Peter H. Davids, Regent College
Jesus-Paraenesis in the Catholic Epistles

11:00

Norman R. Ericson, Wheaton College
Jude and 2 Peter: Common Source?

11:30

A brief meeting will follow to discuss the future of the
program unit.

*This paper is included in the *SBL 1984 Seminar Papers*.

**S38 LINGUISTICS AND BIBLICAL
HEBREW GROUP**

9:00-12:00 DEARBORN 1

Walter R. Bodine, Dallas Theological Seminary, Presiding
Discourse

9:00

Peter J. MacDonald, Ann Arbor, Michigan
Discourse Analysis and Biblical Interpretation

9:30

William J. Adams, Jr., Middle East Center, University of Utah
*Diachronic Development of the Structure of Narrative
and Exhortation Discourse in the Non-Biblical
Epigraphical Sources*

10:00

Recess

Semantics

10:15

Harold P. Scanlin, American Bible Society
A Semantic Domain Approach to Hebrew Lexicography

10:45

Archibald M. Woodruff, III
Etymology, Verb Valency, Case Grammar, and salom

11:15

Planning of next year's Program

Some of the papers in the above session are included in the
SBL 1984 Seminar Papers.

**S39 PHILO OF ALEXANDRIA
CONSULTATION**

9:00-12:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 11

Richard D. Hecht, University of California, Santa Barbara,
Presiding

Theme: *Symposium on Philo's De Sacrificiis*

Participants:

Robert G. Hamerton-Kelly, Stanford University
Richard D. Hecht, University of California, Santa Barbara
Earle Hilgert, McCormick Theological Seminary
Thomas H. Tobin, Loyola University, Chicago

Papers circulated previously. At the conclusion of the session
plans will be formulated for 1985.

S40 PRONOUNCEMENT STORIES GROUP

9:00-12:00 CLARK 10

Charles J. Reedy, Daemen College, Presiding

9:00

Vernon K. Robbins, Emory University
*A Rhetorical Typology for Classifying Pronouncement
Stories*

Respondents:

9:15

James R. Butts, Institute for Antiquity and Christianity,
Claremont

9:45

Thomas M. Conley, University of Illinois at Urbana-
Champaign

10:15

Rod Parrott, School of Theology at Claremont

10:45

Other Respondents

The paper in the above session is included in the *SBL 1984
Seminar Papers*

S41 PSEUDEPIGRAPHIA GROUP

9:00-12:00 MONTROSE 3

John J. Collins, De Paul University, Presiding

Panel Discussion on *The Old Testament Pseudepigrapha*
(Doubleday, 1983-84) edited by James H. Charlesworth.

Panelists:

James H. Charlesworth, Princeton Theological Seminary
Robert A. Kraft, University of Pennsylvania
Ross Kraemer, Medical College of Pennsylvania
George W. E. Nickelsburg, University of Iowa
James VanderKam, North Carolina State University



The Palmer House Lobby



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S42 SP ASSOCIATES LECTURE

10:00-11:30

RED LACQUER ROOM

Martin E. Marty, University of Chicago Divinity School

Irony (fig.) and (lit.) in Modern American Religion

Catherine Albanese, Wright State University, Presiding

S43 MIRACLE STORIES GROUP

10:30-12:30

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 1

Antoinette Wire, San Francisco Theological Seminary,
Presiding

John Lown, Point Loma College

Draft Catalogue of Greco-Roman Stories



**A42 ACADEMIC STUDY
OF RELIGION: SECTION**

1:00-3:30 PARLOR C
Jo Milgrom, Graduate Theological Union, Presiding
Theme: *A Hands-On Workshop: Not by Words Alone*
Biblical imagery, evoked from simple torn paper forms, will be linked to text and midrash. The technique teaches us how to join Bible study to ultimate religious concerns. Topic: *Genesis 22*.

**A43 COMPARATIVE STUDIES
IN RELIGION: SECTION**

1:00-3:30 LASALLE 1
Bruce Lawrence, Duke University, Presiding
Theme: *Rise and Decline in Comparative Perspective: A Cross-Cultural View of Apocalypticism*
William R. Darrow, Williams College
The Sense of the Future in Zoroastrianism and Manichaeism
James W. Laine, Connecticut College
Post factum Prophecies of the kali yuga in the Mahābhārata and the Kūrma Purāṇa
Michel Strickmann, University of California, Berkeley
Chinese Views of the End of the World
Jan Nattier Barbaro, Somerville, Massachusetts
Decline Without Rise: The Demise of Buddhism According to the Candragarbha-sūtra
Carole Myscowski, Loyola University
Sebastianism in Portugal and Brazil: Tracing the Tradition
Discussant:
Jan Nattier Barbaro, Somerville, Massachusetts

**A44 HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY:
SECTION**

1:00-3:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 8
Mary Walsh Meany, Siena College, Presiding
Theme: *Eastern Christianity*
John Meyendorff, St. Vladimir's Orthodox Theological Seminary
Church and State in the History of Eastern Christianity
Respondents:
Sidney Griffith, Catholic University of America
Reflections from an Oriental Christian Perspective
Clyde Crews, Bellarmine College
Reflections from a Western Christian Perspective

**A45 HISTORY OF JUDAISM:
SECTION**

1:00-3:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 5
David S. Ariel, Cleveland College of Jewish Studies, Presiding
Theme: *Judaism and Islam*
1:00-1:50
Gordon D. Newby, North Carolina State University
Arabic Sources and the History of Arabian Judaism
1:50-2:40
Steve Wasserstrom, University of Toronto
The Historical Problems of Isawiyya
2:40-3:30
David S. Ariel, Cleveland College of Jewish Studies
The Eastern Dawn of Wisdom: The Problem of the Relation Between Islamic and Jewish Mysticism

**A46 NORTH AMERICAN
RELIGIONS: SECTION**

1:00-3:30 MONTROSE 3
1:00-3:00
Charles H. Long, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Duke University, Presiding
Theme: *City and Stars in Mesoamerican Religions: Archaeoastronomy and the History of Religions*
Panelists:
Anthony F. Aveni, Colgate University
Astronomical Factors Employed in the Design and Orientation of Maya Cities
David Carrasco, University of Colorado, Boulder
Sky, Symbol, and the Great Aztec Temple: Order and Chaos
Irène S. Vásquez, Bunting Institute, Radcliffe College
Cosmological Situations: Conjunctions and Disjunctions between Archaeoastronomy and the History of Religions
3:00-3:30
Business Meeting



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**S44 ASOR LUNCHEON MEETING OF
COMMITTEE ON ANCIENT MANUSCRIPTS**

12:00-2:00 ASOR PRESIDENTIAL SUITE
Philip J. King, Boston College, Presiding
Luncheon meeting

**S45 LITERARY STUDY
OF RABBINIC LITERATURE**

1:00-3:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 9
Richard S. Sarason, Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of
Religion, Cincinnati, Presiding

1:00

Steven D. Fraade, Yale University
From Tradition to Commentary in Sifre Deuteronomy

2:00

Lewis M. Barth, Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of
Religion, Los Angeles
*Is There an Esoteric Exegesis in Early Rabbinic
Literature?*

Copies of the papers should be obtained in advance of the
session by writing to Richard S. Sarason, Hebrew Union
College, 3101 Clifton Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45220.

**S46 BIBLICAL CRITICISM
AND LITERARY CRITICISM SECTION**

1:00-4:00 WABASH PARLOR

William A. Beardslee, Claremont Graduate School, Presiding
Position papers will be presented by:

J. Dominic Crossan, De Paul University
Aphorism

Mary Ann Tolbert, Vanderbilt University
Parable

Werner H. Kelber, Rice University
Story

Respondents:

Carol Fontaine, Andover Newton Theological School

James G. Williams, Syracuse University

**S47 HEBREW SCRIPTURES AND
COGNATE LITERATURE SECTION**

1:00-4:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 16

Jo Ann Hackett, Occidental College, Presiding

1:00

David P. Wright, Brigham Young University
*The Laying on of Hands in the Bible and in Hittite
Literature*

1:30

Bernard F. Batto, University of Dallas
The Covenant of Peace and Its Sign

2:00

David W. Baker, University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg
*Leviticus 1-7 and the Punic Tariffs: A Form Critical
Comparison*

2:30

Gary A. Rendsberg, Canisius College
The Egyptian God Ra in the Bible

3:00

Ronald Hendel, Harvard University
*Of Demigods and the Deluge: Toward an Interpretation
of Genesis 6:1-4*

3:30

Robert A. Oden, Jr., Dartmouth College
The Clothing Episode in the Garden (Genesis 3:20-21)

**S48 SOCIAL HISTORY OF
EARLY CHRISTIANITY CONSULTATION**

1:00-4:00 DEARBORN 1

Dennis E. Smith, Oklahoma State University, Presiding

Theme: *Ancient Literature, Social Context, and Social
Description*

1:00

Richard I. Pervo, Seabury-Western Theological Seminary,
Evanston
Petronius and the Urban Environment of the Gospels

1:30

Robert Stoops, Western Washington University, Bellingham,
West Virginia
Patronage in the Acts of Peter

2:00

Recess

2:15

Stanley K. Stowers, Brown University
The Social Context of Epistolary Types

2:45

Discussion

3:15

Business meeting for members of the Consultation.



**A47 PHILOSOPHY
OF RELIGION: SECTION**

1:00-3:30 LASALLE 5

David Crownfield, University of Northern Iowa, Presiding

Theme: *The Philosophy of Religion Agenda* ✕

1:00-2:00

Panel: *American Philosophy of Religion in International Perspective: American Responses*

Panelists:

Andrew Burgess, University of New Mexico

Thomas Dean, Temple University

Carl Raschke, University of Denver

William Wainwright, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

Respondents:

Philip Shen, Chinese University of Hong Kong

Fritz Buri, University of Basel

2:00-3:00

Theme: *Cross-Cultural Philosophy of Religion*

Mary Ann Stenger, University of Louisville
Religious Knowledge and Truth: Insights from Gadamer

Gary Kessler, California State College, Bakersfield
Is Asian "Philosophy" Philosophy?

3:00-3:30

Business meeting

**A48 WOMEN AND RELIGION:
SECTION**

1:00-3:30 CRYSTAL ROOM

Susan Brooks Thistlethwaite, Chicago Theological Seminary,
Presiding

Theme: *Seventy-fifth Anniversary Panel: Theology/Theology: Issues, Resources*

Panelists:

Christine Downing, San Diego State University

Carol P. Christ, San Jose State University

Delores Williams, Fisk University

Judith Plaskow, Manhattan College

Elisabeth Schüssler Fiorenza, Episcopal Divinity School

**A49 DIETRICH BONHOEFFER:
CHRISTIANITY, CHURCH AND STATE:
GROUP**

1:00-3:30 BURNHAM 2

Geffrey B. Kelly, La Salle College, Presiding

Theme: *The Barmen Confession: Antecedents and Consequences*

1:00-2:15

Rolf Ahlers, Russell Sage College

*The Ethical Implications of Christocentric Theology:
Barmen II and V*

Respondents:

Guy C. Carter, Marquette University

Charles C. West, Princeton Theological Seminary

2:15-3:30

Steven Schroeder, Northwest Texas Clergy and Laity
Concerned, Amarillo

*Status Confessionis and Ideological Totalism: The
Limits of the Confessing Community and the Church's
Critical Role in Society*

Respondents:

Robin W. Lovin, University of Chicago

John D. Godsey, Wesley Theological Seminary

**A50 NEW RELIGIOUS
MOVEMENTS: GROUP**

1:00-3:30 PARLOR G

Joseph Bettis, Western Washington University, and
Timothy Miller, University of Kansas, Presiding

Conrad E. L'Heureux, University of Dayton
The New Religions and Personal Transformations

Tyler Hendricks, Unification Theological Seminary
*Universalist Opposition to the Presbyterian Revival of
1826 in Utica, New York*

Anthony Ugolnik, Franklin and Marshall College
*The Czar as Metaphor: The Russian Orthodox "Church
in Exile" as an American Religious Movement*

James R. Lewis, Syracuse University

Resources for the Teaching of New Religious Movements

**A51 ROMAN CATHOLIC
MODERNISM: GROUP**

1:00-3:30 CLARK 5

Ronald Burke, University of Nebraska at Omaha, Presiding

Theme: *Study of Catholic Modernism—State of the Art*

Gabriel Daly, Augustinian Priory, Dublin
Prospects and Retrospect

JoAnn Eigelsbach, Catholic University of America
Making Categories Fit: Reflections on Method

Panelists:

Gary Lease, University of California, Santa Cruz

Paul Misner, Marquette University

James C. Livingston, College of William and Mary

Wendell S. Dietrich, Brown University

Darrell Jodock, Muhlenberg College

Hans Rollmann, Memorial University of Newfoundland



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S49 SYNOPSIS GOSPELS SECTION

1:00-4:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 18

Jack Dean Kingsbury, Union Theological Seminary, Virginia,
Presiding

1:00

John R. Donahue, Jesuit School of Theology
The Gospel of Mark: Context and Community

2:00

Robert M. Fowler, Baldwin-Wallace College
*Re-defining the Synoptic Problem as a Problem of
Reception History*

2:30

Robert J. Karris, Catholique Theological Union
*Luke 8:26-39: Jesus, the Pigs, and Human
Transformation*

3:00

Edward C. Hobbs, Wellesley College
The Theological Price of Abandoning the Q-Hypothesis

3:30

George Howard, The University of Georgia
*The Place of Shem-Tob's Hebrew Matthew in the
Tradition of the First Gospel*

**S50 INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION
FOR SEPTUAGINT AND COGNATE STUDIES**

1:00-5:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 7

Albert Pietersma, University of Toronto, Presiding

1:00

Paul E. Dion, University of Toronto
*Early Evidence for the Ritual Significance of the "Base
of the Altar," Around Deuteronomy 12:27 LXX*

1:30

Leonard Greenspoon, Clemson University
Theodotion and His Community

2:00

Claude Cox, Brandon University
*Hexaplaric Materials Preserved in the Armenian
Translation of Exodus*

2:30

Robert Hiebert, University of Toronto
Paul of Tella and the So-called Syro-hexapla of Psalms

3:00

Walter R. Bodine, Dallas Theological Seminary
"Kaige" Text/Influence in Judges and Ruth

3:30

John R. Abercrombie, University of Pennsylvania
Manuscript Families in Ruth and the Historical Books

4:00

Business meeting

**S51 THEOLOGY OF HEBREW
SCRIPTURES SECTION**

1:00-5:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 17

Bruce C. Birch, Wesley Theological Seminary, Presiding

1:00

**Symposium: Patriarchy as an Issue in Old Testament
Theology**

Panelists:

Phyllis Trible, Union Theological Seminary, New York

John S. Kselman, Catholic University of America

Kathleen A. Farmer, United Theological Seminary, Dayton

Respondents:

Katharine Doob Sakenfeld, Princeton Theological Seminary

Bruce C. Birch, Wesley Theological Seminary

3:00

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3:30

Thomas M. Raitt, College of Wooster
*Modes of Religious Community in Classical Israel:
Convergence and Divergence*

4:00

Walter Brueggemann, Eden Theological Seminary
Theodicy in a Social Dimension

4:30

Bernhard Erling, Gustavus Adolphus College
*Theological Reflections on Norman K. Gottwald's
Account of Israel's Settlement in Canaan*

5:00

John G. Gammie, University of Tulsa
*"Holy Name" in Israelite Priestly, Prophetic and
Sapiential Literature*

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A52

**MEDICAL ETHICS:
CONSULTATION**

BURNHAM 1

1:00-3:30

Robert D. Reece, Wright State University, Presiding

Theme: *Religious Foundations of Medical Ethics*

1:00-1:45

William E. May, Georgetown University
Religious Medical Ethics

1:45-2:30

David Barnard, University of Texas Medical Branch
Meaning-Centered Medicine: Medical Ethics and the Study of Religion

Respondent:

David H. Smith, Indiana University

Discussion of paper distributed in advance. Paper available by writing author.

2:30-3:15

Garrett E. Paul, Gustavus Adolphus College
The Center of Value in Medical Ethics

Respondent:

David H. Smith, Indiana University

Discussion of paper distributed in advance. Paper available by writing author.

3:15-3:30

Business meeting

A53

**SCHLEIERMACHER:
CONSULTATION**

BURNHAM 4

1:00-3:30

Robert F. Streetman, Montclair State College, Presiding

Theme: *Schleiermacher after Barth: New Themes in Schleiermacher Studies*

A panel of authors of new studies will discuss: discoveries in Schleiermacher's *Jugendschriften*, Troeltsch and the theological heritage of Schleiermacher, new perspectives on *Christmas Eve*, and Schleiermacher's relation to women.

Panelists:

Albert L. Blackwell, Furman University

Sheila Briggs, University of Southern California

Ruth D. Richardson, Exhibitor, Edwin Mellen Press

Robert Williams, Hirma College

Walter E. Wyman, Jr., Whitman College

A54

**MODERN CHRISTIAN
SPIRITUALITY: SEMINAR**

LASALLE 2

1:00-3:30

Bradley Hanson, Luther College, Presiding

Theme: *Seventeenth-Century Spirituality*

1:00-2:15

Theme: *French Catholic Spirituality*

Wendy M. Wright, University of California, Santa Barbara
Jeanne de Chantal and the Spiritual Direction of the Daughters of the Visitation

C. Annice Callahan, Sacred Heart School of Theology
The Visions of Margaret Mary Alacoque from a Rahnerian Perspective

Florence M. Hayes, McGill University
Blaise Pascal—His Spirituality of Confrontation

2:15-3:30

Theme: *Protestant and Anglican Perspectives on Sanctification*

Eric Lund, St. Olaf College

The Problem of Religious Complacency in Seventeenth-Century Lutheran Spirituality

Diogenes Allen, Princeton Theological Seminary

The Christian Pilgrimage in George Herbert's "The Temple"

Charles Edwin Hambrick-Stowe

Loss and Hope in Seventeenth-Century New England Spirituality

Discussion of papers distributed in advance to seminar members. Others wishing copies may send \$5 to Bradley Hanson, Luther College, Decorah, IA 52101.

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A55 75th ANNIVERSARY LECTURES

1:00-2:15

ADAMS ROOM

Wayne Booth, University of Chicago

Systematic Wonder: The Rhetoric of Religion in 1984

Ted Estess, University of Houston, Presiding

2:15-3:30

ADAMS ROOM

Gustavo Gutiérrez, Catholic University, Lima

Liberation Theology: The Continuing Challenge

Frederick Herzog, Duke University, Presiding



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**S52 ASOR SPECIAL SESSION
ON THE ARCHAEOLOGY OF SYRIA II:
THE ORIGINS OF CITIES IN DRY-FARMING
MESOPOTAMIA IN THE THIRD MILLENNIUM B.C.**

1:30-6:00 STATE BALLROOM

Harvey Weiss, Yale University, Presiding

1:30

Introduction by Harvey Weiss
*Northern Syria and Northern Iraq in the Third
Millennium B.C.*

1:45

Dietrich Surenhagen, Heidelberg University
*The Dry Farming Belt: Late Uruk Period and
Subsequent Developments*

2:15

Paolo Matthiae, University of Rome
The Origins of Ebla

2:45

Winfried Orthmann, Universität des Saarlandes, Saarbrücken
The Origins and Development of Tell Chuera

3:15

Harvey Weiss, Yale University
The Origins of Tell Leilan

3:45

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4:00

Piotr Michalowski, University of Michigan
*Mental Maps and Ideology: The Early History of
Subartu*

4:30

Ignace J. Gelb, University of Chicago
Ebla and Lagash: Environmental Contrasts

5:00

Benjamin Foster, Yale University
*Agricultural Production in Third Millennium
Mesopotamia*

5:30

Robert McC. Adams, Smithsonian Institution
Urbanization in a Dry-Farming Environment

**S53 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
OF PROFESSORS OF HEBREW**

3:00-6:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 11

Albert T. Bilgray, University of Arizona, Presiding
Pre-session meeting of officers and Advisory Council.

S54 PRONOUNCEMENT STORIES GROUP

3:00-6:00 CLARK 10

Vernon K. Robbins, Emory University, Presiding
Theme: *Selecting Pronouncement Stories for a Study Edition*

**S55 AAR/SBL ARCHIVES
AND THE FUTURE OF RESEARCH**

3:45-5:15 MONTROSE 3

Milton J. Coalter, Jr., Ira T. Taylor Library, Iliff School of
Theology, Presiding

3:45

Ernest W. Saunders, Garrett Evangelical Theological
Seminary
The SBL History I Couldn't Write

4:15

Carolyn DeSwarte Gifford, General Commission on Archives
and History, United Methodist Church, Drew University
The Problems of Building a National Archive

4:45

Andrew D. Scrimgeour, AAR/SBL Archivist, Regis College
Library, Denver
*Preserving the History of the Learned Societies of
Religion in North America*

**S56 HEBREWS, PASTORALS AND
GENERAL EPISTLES CONSULTATION**

3:45-5:45 LASALLE 3

Ralph P. Martin, Fuller Theological Seminary, Presiding

3:45

Robert W. Wall, Seattle-Pacific University
2 Timothy 3:16 as Gnostic Polemic

4:15

Thomas Scott Caulley, Eastern New Mexico University
The Idea of Inspiration in 2 Timothy 3:1-17

4:45

R. Joseph Hoffmann, University of Michigan
Yet Again: Marcion and the Pastoral Epistles

5:15

Winsome Munro, Luther College
*Discussion of Recent Works on the Social World of the
Pastorals*

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**A56 ARTS, LITERATURE
AND RELIGION: SECTION**

3:45-6:15 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 9

3:45

Daniel Noel, Vermont College, Norwich University, Presiding

Theme: *Kierkegaard, Dostoevsky, and Nietzsche: Irony, Freedom, and the Play of Language*

Charles Campbell, Spring Arbor College

Turning Telescopes on Priests: Irony and Alienation in Kierkegaard and Brecht

William Hamilton, Portland State University

The Inquisitor's Argument

Jean Graybeal, Le Moyne College

Beyond Metaphysics and Metaphor: Nietzsche and "the Feminine"

Respondent:

David L. Miller, Syracuse University

Discussion

5:45

Business meeting

**A57 COMPARATIVE STUDIES
IN RELIGION: SECTION**

3:45-6:15 PARLOR F

Norman Girardot, Lehigh University, Presiding

Theme: *New Approaches to the Study of Mythology*

Panelists:

William Cassidy, Graduate Theological Union

Meaning and the Study of Myths

Christopher Vecsey, Colgate University

Tales of Two Nations

Carol LaHurd, University of Pittsburgh

Abraham, Ishmael, and the ʾId Al-adhā: A Study of Myth and Ritual

Diane Obenchain, Kenyon College

Mythic Thinking vs. Scientific Thinking

A58 ETHICS: SECTION

3:45-6:15 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 8

Robert S. Michaelsen, University of California, Santa Barbara, Presiding

Theme: *Environmental Ethics and Religious Imagination*

Panelists:

William French, University of Chicago Divinity School

Charles Headington, University of Chicago Divinity School

Joseph Sittler, Lutheran School of Theology, Chicago

Respondent:

J. Ronald Engel, Meadville/Lombard Theological School

**A59 HISTORY
OF JUDAISM: SECTION**

3:45-6:15 LASALLE 5

Richard Hecht, University of California, Santa Barbara, Presiding

Theme: *Judaisms and Their Messiahs*

3:45-5:00

George W. E. Nickelsburg, University of Iowa

Salvation Without and With a Messiah: Developing Beliefs in Works Ascribed to Enoch

5:00-6:15

Jonathan Goldstein, University of Iowa

Maccabees and Messiah

Respondent:

John J. Collins, De Paul University

**A60 RELIGION AND THE
SOCIAL SCIENCES: SECTION**

3:45-6:15 PARLOR G

Franklin I. Gamwell, University of Chicago, Presiding

Theme: *Process Philosophy and Forms of Economic Organization*

Robert C. Neville, State University of New York at Stony Brook

Beyond Production and Class: A Process Project in Economic Theory

Respondent:

Clark Kucheman, Claremont McKenna College

**A61 RELIGION
IN SOUTH ASIA: SECTION**

3:45-6:15 PARLOR A

H. Daniel Smith, Syracuse University, Presiding

Theme: *The Rāmāyaṇa: Texts and Contexts in North and South India*

Norvin Hein, Yale University

The Rāmcaritamānas in the Life of Kṛṣṇa Devotees: A Problem in the Dynamics of Faith

Linda Hess, University of California, Berkeley

The Rāmcaritamānas: Structures in the Poem and in the Mind of the Poet

Henry S. Heifetz, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Human and Superhuman in the Tamil

Kamparāmāyaṇam

Patricia Y. Mumme, University of Pennsylvania

Rāmāyaṇa Exegesis in Śrī-vaiṣṇavism: The Importance of Epic Incidents in Tenkalai Doctrine

Vasudha Narayanan, University of Florida

The Rāmāyaṇa in the Theology and Experience of the Śrī-vaiṣṇava Community

Discussant:

Harry M. Buck, Wilson College



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**S57 NEW TESTAMENT TEXTUAL
CRITICISM SECTION**

3:45-5:45

LASALLE I

Theme: *New Testament Textual Criticism and Bible
Translations*

3:45

Harold P. Scanlin, American Bible Society
*Bible Translations as a Means of Communicating
Textual Criticism to the Public*

4:15

Charles E. Wolfe, Hampstead, Maryland
The Use of Textual Variants in Homiletics

4:45

Robert F. Hull, Jr., Emmanuel School of Religion
*The Ring of Truth: Textual Criticism and Intuition in
The New Testament in Modern English*

5:15

Arthur L. Farstad, Dallas, Texas
*New Testament Textual Criticism and the King James
Tradition, with Special Consideration of the NKJV*

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QUMRAN SECTION

3:45-5:45

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 6

Paul J. Kobelski, The Scriptorium, Presiding

3:45

Lawrence H. Schiffman, New York University
*The Rule of Benedictions and Its Place in the Megillat
Ha-Serakhim*

4:25

Philip R. Davies, University of Sheffield, England
Why and How Often Did Essenes Marry

5:05

Eileen Schuller, Atlantic School of Theology, Halifax
*4Q380 and 4Q381: Two Manuscripts from Qumran
Cave 4*



**A62 WOMEN AND RELIGION:
SECTION**

3:45-6:15 CRYSTAL ROOM

3:45-5:45

Sharon Ringe, Methodist Theological School in Ohio,
Presiding

Theme: *Goddesses and Women in the Bible and Ancient Religions*

Karen Voss, Graduate Theological Union
From Chaos to Cosmos: An Analysis of the Enuma Elish

Tikva Frymer-Kensky, University of Michigan
Woman and Earth, Sex and Regeneration

Marymay Downing, Concordia University
Prehistoric Goddesses: The Cretan Challenge

Bernadette J. Brooten, Institut für ökumenische Forschung,
Tübingen
Romans 1:26 in the Context of Paul's Understanding of Male and Female

5:45-6:15

Sharon Ringe, Methodist Theological School in Ohio,
Presiding

Theme: *Feminism, Religion and Psychoanalysis*

Naomi R. Goldenberg, University of Ottawa
Moral Directions from Kleinian Theory

**A63 ISLAMIC STUDIES:
GROUP**

3:45-6:15 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 5

Yvonne Haddad, Hartford Theological Foundation, Presiding
Theme: *Mystical Studies*

Carl W. Ernst, Pomona College
Controversy over the Fusus of Ibn 'Arabi: The Faith of Pharaoh

Michael Sells, Haverford College
Ibn 'Arabi's Theory of Divine-Human Interfusion

William C. Chittick, State University of New York at Stony Brook
Eschatology in the School of Ibn al-'Arabi

Kevin Reinhart, Dartmouth College
Ibn 'Arabi: Faqih

J. Meric Pessagno, University of Connecticut at Stamford
Commentary: Placed in Tradition

**A64 LIBERATION THEOLOGY:
GROUP**

3:45-6:15

PARLOR H

Frederick Herzog, Duke University, and
Letty M. Russell, Yale University, Presiding
Theme: *Liberation Ecclesiology and Political Economy*
Panelists:

Katie G. Cannon, Episcopal Divinity School
John B. Cobb, Jr., School of Theology, Claremont
Norman K. Gottwald, New York Theological Seminary
Gustavo Gutiérrez, Catholic University, Lima
M. Douglas Meeks, Eden Theological Seminary
Discussion of previously circulated papers

**A65 NARRATIVE INTERPRETATION
AND THEOLOGY: GROUP**

3:45-6:15

BURNHAM 4

Theme: *Narrative and Rationality*

3:45-5:00

Thomas Tracy, Bates College, Presiding
John C. Hoffman, University of Windsor, Ontario
Story or Metaphor: The Core of Human Understanding

Respondent:

Sallie McFague, Vanderbilt University

5:00-6:15

Michael Goldberg, St. John's University, Collegeville,
Presiding

Stephen Sykes, University of Durham, England
The Grammar of Narrative and Making Sense of Life

Respondent:

James Wm. McClendon, The Church Divinity School of the Pacific

Discussion will presume familiarity with the essays. To obtain papers for both sessions in advance, please send \$7.50 to Ronald F. Thiemann, Department of Religion, Haverford College, Haverford, PA 19041.

**A66 NINETEENTH CENTURY
THEOLOGY: GROUP**

3:45-6:15

CLARK 5

Darrell Jodock, Muhlenberg College, Presiding
Theme: *Theological Assessments of Biblical Authority in the Nineteenth Century*

Marcia Bunge, University of Chicago
James T. Burtchaell, University of Notre Dame
Davis Perkins, Fortress Press
Warren McWilliams, Oklahoma Baptist University
Steve R. Gordy, Moravian College

Seminar discussion of printed papers. Auditors welcome. Papers for this and the first session of the Nineteenth Century Theology Working Group are available in advance for \$6 from Claude Welch, Graduate Theological Union, 2465 LeConte Avenue, Berkeley, CA 94709.

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**A67 AAR/SBL ARCHIVES
AND THE FUTURE OF RESEARCH:
CONSULTATION**

3:45-5:15 **MONTROSE 3**
Milton J. Coalter, Jr., Ira J. Taylor Library, Iliff School of
Theology, Presiding

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Ernest W. Saunders, Garrett Evangelical Theological
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Carolyn DeSwarte Gifford, General Commission on Archives
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The Problems of Building a National Archive

4:45
Andrew D. Scrimgeour, AAR/SBL Archivist, Regis College
Library, Denver
*Preserving the History of the Learned Societies of
Religion in North America*

**A68 THEORY OF AND METHODS
FOR THE STUDY OF RELIGION:
CONSULTATION**

3:45-6:15 **MONROE ROOM**

3:45-5:15
Edmund F. Perry, Northwestern University, Presiding
Theme: *Constructive Developments in Theory and
Method—Reviewing the State of the Art: Recent
Achievements, Present Horizons, Emerging Possibilities*
Panelists:

Walter H. Capps, University of California, Santa Barbara
Thomas J. Dean, Temple University
Jacob Neusner, Brown University
Wendy O'Flaherty, University of Chicago Divinity School
Charles E. Vernoff, Cornell College
Donald Wiebe, Trinity College, University of Toronto

5:15-6:15
Charles E. Vernoff, Cornell College, Presiding
Theme: *Constructive Developments in Theory and
Method—Exemplifying the Continuing Reflection: Ongoing
Responses and New Approaches*

Panelists:
Jorunn J. Buckley, University of North Carolina at
Greensboro
Gary W. Davis, Saginaw Valley State College
William E. Paden, University of Vermont
Arvind Sharma, University of Sydney

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A69 75th ANNIVERSARY LECTURES

3:45-5:00 **ADAMS ROOM**

Ali Mazrui, University of Michigan
Religion and Politics in Black Africa

Charles Long, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
and Duke University, Presiding

5:00-6:15 **ADAMS ROOM**

James Cone, Union Theological Seminary, New York
Black Theology in American Religion

Charles Long, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
and Duke University, Presiding

**A70 CSR DEPARTMENTAL
CHAIRPERSONS CAUCUS**

6:15-7:15 **PRIVATE DINING ROOM 16**

Charles Reynolds, University of Tennessee, Presiding
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7:30-9:30 PM

RED LACQUER ROOM

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF RELIGION

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CELEBRATION BANQUET

Master of Ceremonies: **Ray L. Hart**, AAR President 1984

Recognition of: Past Presidents, Executive Directors, JAAR Editors

Address: *Myths, Mentalities and Religion*

Charles Long, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and
Duke University

Award: **Mircea Eliade**, for Distinguished Contributions to the
Study of Religion

Presentation: **Joseph Kitagawa**, University of Chicago

Response: **Mircea Eliade**, University of Chicago

Musical Performance by Quartet for Piano, Oboe, Violin and Cello:
"Ritual Compass"

Composed and Directed by **Frank Burch Brown**,
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

Dinner by reservation only:

Reservations may be made with registration for the Annual
Meeting. A form is provided in the front of this Program.

All are welcome.



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S59 ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

6:15-7:15

WABASH PARLOR

Roland E. Murphy, Duke Divinity School, Presiding

**S60 CSR DEPARTMENTAL
CHAIRPERSONS CAUCUS**

6:15-7:15

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 16

Charles Reynolds, University of Tennessee, Presiding

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**S61 WOMEN IN THE BIBLICAL
WORLD SECTION**

7:30-9:30

CRYSTAL ROOM

Bernadette J. Brooten, Institute for Antiquity and
Christianity, Claremont, Presiding

7:30

Research Reports and Informal Exchange on "Women in the
Biblical World"

Open Session

8:30

Sharon H. Ringe, Methodist Theological School in Ohio
*A Gentile Woman's Story (Mark 7:24-30; Matthew
15:21-28)*

9:00

Joseph Sievers, Fordham University
The Role of Women in the Hasmonean Dynasty

**S62 SPECIAL SESSION:
A TRIBUTE TO SAMUEL SANDMEL**

7:30-9:30

MONROE ROOM

Louis H. Silberman, Department of Oriental Studies,
University of Arizona, Presiding

Louis H. Feldman, Yeshiva University, New York City
*How Deeply Was Judaism Hellenized in the Hellenistic-
Roman Period?*

E. P. Sanders, McMaster University
*Hellenistic Judaism as the Matrix for Early Christian
Theology*

S63 SANDMEL RECEPTION

9:30-10:30

SBL EXECUTIVE SUITE

All Annual Meeting participants are invited. Admission will be
by purchase of the newly published volume in honor of
Sandmel, *Nourished with Peace: Studies in Hellenistic
Judaism in Memory of Samuel Sandmel*, edited by Frederick
E. Greenspahn (Scholars Press), at the special price of \$15.00.

S64 ASOR PLENARY SESSION

8:00-9:30

STATE BALLROOM

Edward F. Campbell, McCormick Theological Seminary,
Presiding

Gary O. Rollefson, San Diego State University
The Early Neolithic Community of 'Ain Ghazal (Jordan)

S65 LECTURE DISCUSSION SERIES

8:00-10:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 18

John J. Collins, De Paul University, Presiding

James Charlesworth, Princeton Theological Seminary
Pseudepigrapha in the New Testament

S66 LECTURE DISCUSSION SERIES

8:00-10:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 17

John H. Hayes, Candler School of Theology, Emory
University, Presiding

J. Maxwell Miller, Candler School of Theology, Emory
University
Old Testament History and Archaeology

**S67 ASOR INFORMAL MEETING
OF TELL el-HESI STAFF,
VOLUNTEERS, AND FRIENDS**

9:30-12:00

ASOR PRESIDENTIAL SUITE

Roger W. Anderson, University of Chicago, Presiding

Monday
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**A72 ACADEMIC STUDY
OF RELIGION: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 5

9:00-10:00

Kathleen McGovern Gaffney, Xavier University of Louisiana,
Presiding

Theme: *Connaturality: A Pedagogical Principle*

Andrew Tallon, Marquette University
Love and the Accusing Heart in I John

10:00-11:30

Walter Capps, University of California, Santa Barbara,
Presiding

Theme: *Ecumenism, Current Issues, and the Academic Study
of Religion*

Panelists:

Diana Eck, Harvard University
Richard Gelwick, Stephens College
Paul Misner, Marquette University

**A73 COMPARATIVE STUDIES
IN RELIGION: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PARLOR F

Rodney L. Taylor, University of Colorado, Boulder, Presiding

Theme: *Scripture: Authority and the Word*

William Graham, Harvard University
The Oral/Aural Character of Scripture

Miriam Levering, University of Tennessee at Knoxville
The Ambiguity of Ching: Scripture or Classic?

James Fitzgerald, University of Tennessee at Knoxville
*The Mahabharata as Fifth Veda: The Mahabharata's
Conception of Itself*

Discussants:

Gregory Schopen, Indiana University
Rodney Taylor, University of Colorado, Boulder

**A74 HISTORY OF
CHRISTIANITY: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 7

Peter I. Kaufman, University of North Carolina at Chapel
Hill, Presiding

Theme: *Zwingli and Zürich at 500 Years*

E. J. Furcha, McGill University
*Zwingli's Early Reforms: Between the Scylla of the
Status Quo and the Charybdis of Spiritual Radicalism*

Mary G. Winkler, University of Texas Medical Branch
Zwinglian Doctrine and the Portraiture of Hans Asper

Timothy George, The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary
The Presuppositions of Zwingli's Baptismal Theology

**A75 HISTORY OF JUDAISM:
SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 4

Zev Garber, Los Angeles Valley College, Presiding

Theme: *Post-Holocaust Reflection*

9:00-9:50

Michael Oppenheim, Concordia University
*Jewish Thought After the Holocaust: Arthur Cohen and
Emil Fackenheim*

9:50-10:40

Susan E. Shapiro, Syracuse University
*Recovering the Sacred: Hermeneutical Problems and
Resources for Post-Holocaust Reflection*

10:40-11:30

Joseph A. Edelheit, Valparaiso University
*Thinking About Those Who Are Thinking About the
Unthinkable*

**A76 NORTH AMERICAN
RELIGIONS: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 6

9:00-11:15

William J. Hynes, Regis College, Presiding

Theme: *The Empirical Strand in American Religious
Thought*

Henry Samuel Levinson, University of North Carolina at
Greensboro
*American Religious Empiricisms and the Philosophical
Tradition*

John Corrigan, University of Virginia
*The Roots of the Empirical Strand in American
Religious Thought*

Thomas A. Byrnes, Illinois Benedictine College
*H. Richard Niebuhr and the "Chicago School" of
Empirical Theology*

Respondent:

William Dean, Gustavus Adolphus College

11:15-11:30

Caucus for the Formation of a Consultation on American
Religious Empiricism



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S68 ASOR BREAKFAST

Ticket Admission

8:00-9:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 17

James D. Muhly, University of Pennsylvania, Presiding

James A. Sauer, University of Pennsylvania
Opening Remarks

David M. McCreery, American Center of Oriental Research
in Amman
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S69 HELLENISTIC JUDAISM GROUP

8:30-11:30 PARLOR B

Abraham Terian, Andrews University, Presiding

8:30

Kenneth S. Sacks, University of Wisconsin, Madison
*Rhetorical Approaches to Greek History Writing in the
Hellenistic Period*

Respondent:

Earle Hilgert, McCormick Theological Seminary

9:15

Arthur J. Droge, The University of Chicago
*The Interpretation of the History of Culture in
Hellenistic-Jewish Historiography*

Respondent:

Carl R. Holladay, Candler School of Theology, Emory
University

10:00

Phillip Sigal, University of Michigan
*Manifestations of Hellenistic Historiography in Select
Judaic Literature*

Respondent:

Shaye Cohen, Jewish Theological Seminary of America

10:45

David J. Wilmot, University of Chicago
*The Copper Scroll of Qumran (3Q15) and the Graeco-
Roman Temple Inventories*

Respondent:

John Strugnell, Harvard Divinity School

Some of the papers in the above session are included in the
SBL 1984 Seminar Papers.

S70 HISTORICAL JESUS SECTION

8:30-11:30 MONTROSE 3

John Miller, University of Toronto, Presiding

8:30

Irvin Batdorf, United Theological Seminary
*Interpreting Jesus Since Bultmann: Selected Paradigms
and Their Hermeneutic Matrix*

Respondent:

Bernard B. Scott, St. Meinrad School of Theology

9:15

Bruce J. Malina, Creighton University
Jesus as Charismatic Leader?

Respondent:

John H. Elliott, University of San Francisco

Batdorf's paper is included in the *SBL 1984 Seminar Papers*.
Malina's paper appeared in *Biblical Theology Bulletin*, April,
1984.

10:00

Theme: *Jesus' Resurrection: History and Theology*

William L. Craig, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School
The Physicality of the Resurrection Appearances

David P. Polk, Brite Divinity School, Texas Christian
University

*Tensions Between History and Theology: Jesus'
Resurrection*

Clayton Sullivan, University of Southern Mississippi
*The Two-Document Hypothesis and Realized
Eschatology*

**S71 HISTORY AND LITERATURE OF
EARLY RABBINIC JUDAISM SECTION**

8:30-11:30 PARLOR E

Alan J. Avery-Peck, Newcomb College, Tulane University,
Presiding

8:30

Roger Brooks, Notre Dame University
*Images of Rich and Poor: Social Responsibility in the
Mishnah's Laws of Support for the Poor*

9:06

Baruch M. Bokser, Dropsie College
Limiting the Excesses of Piety: An Halakhic Approach

9:42

Stuart S. Miller, University of Connecticut
From Tiberias to Sepphoris . . .

10:12

Jack Lightstone, Concordia University
Society and Heresiology in Ancient Judaism

10:48

Ori C. Soltes, Cleveland College of Jewish Studies
The Torah Niche: From Temple Mount to Mihrab

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**A77 PHILOSOPHY
OF RELIGION: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 16

Carl Raschke, University of Denver, Presiding

9:00-10:15



Theme: *Perspectives on Foucault*

Luther Martin, University of Vermont

*Technologies of the Sacred: Some Implications of Michel
Foucault's Work for the Study of Religion*

David Fisher, George Williams College

Foucault's Self

10:15-11:30

Theme: *The 19th Century Criticizes the 20th*

Alan Olson, Boston University

Hegel's Critique of Enlightenment

Stephen Dunning, University of Pennsylvania

Kierkegaard and Contemporary Hermeneutics

**A78 RELIGION AND THE
SOCIAL SCIENCES: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 8

Albert Outler, Southern Methodist University, Presiding

Theme: *Parapsychology and Religion*

Gordon Melton, Institute for Study of American Religion

Parapsychology: Its Use and Abuse in Religion

K. Ramakrishna Rao, Andhra University and Foundation for
Research on the Nature of Man

The Interface Between Parapsychology and Religion

James A. Hall, Isthmus Institute and UTHSC at Dallas

*Synchronicity: A Jungian Perspective on ESP and
Religion*

Respondents:

David Griffin, Center for Process Studies

Robert Moore, Chicago Theological Seminary

A79 BUDDHISM: GROUP

9:00-11:30 DEARBORN 1

Arvind Sharma, University of Sydney, Presiding

Theme: *Buddhist Perspectives on Nagel's "The Possibility of
Altruism"*

Leah Zahler, University of Virginia

*Objective Reasons for Altruism and the Cultivation of
the Mind of Enlightenment*

Donald S. Lopez, Jr., Middlebury College

Śāntideva's Argument for Altruism

Alan L. Miller, Miami University, Ohio

Altruism by Accident?

Business meeting of the Buddhism Group to follow this panel.

**A80 ISLAMIC STUDIES:
GROUP**

9:00-11:30 MONTROSE 7

Sheila McDonough, Concordia College, Presiding

Theme: *Areas of Research*

John Renard, St. Louis University

*Jesus and the Other Gospel Figures in the Writings of
Jalāl ad-Dīn Rūmī*

Thomas A. Idinopulos, Miami University, Ohio

The Sanctity of Jerusalem in Islamic Tradition

Joel Mlecko, Indiana University of Pennsylvania

Islam and Political Structures

Dale Stover, University of Nebraska at Omaha

Orientalism: Understanding the Otherness of Islam

**A81 RITUAL STUDIES:
GROUP**

9:00-11:30 LASALLE 1

Ruth Katz, Florida State University, Presiding

Theme: *Dance: Ecstasy and Order*

Ali S. Asani, Harvard University

Music and Dance in the Work of Jalāluddīn Rūmī

Donna M. Wulff, Brown University

Dance in Bengali Vaishnava Padavali Kirtan

Linda Bennett-Elder, Florida State University

*Dance in the Judaeo-Christian Traditions: The Song of
the Sea, The Hymn of Jesus, and the Paschal Pilota
Dance*

Steven A. Marini, Wellesley College

Laboring in the Spirit: Sacred Dance and the Shakers

**A82 WESLEYAN STUDIES:
GROUP**

9:00-11:30 PARLOR C

Richard P. Heitzenrater, Southern Methodist University,
Presiding

Theme: *Bicentennial Reflections on Early Methodism*

Ted A. Campbell, Methodist Theological School in Ohio

*John Wesley and Conyers Middleton on God and
History*

Randy L. Maddox, Sioux Falls College

Responsible Grace, the Key to Wesleyan Theology

John R. Tyson, Houghton College

*Charles Wesley's Theology of Redemption: A Study in
Structure and Method*

J. Steven O'Malley, Oral Roberts University

The Legacy of the Otterbeins



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S72 PSEUDEPIGRAPHIA SECTION

8:30-11:00 DEARBORN 2

James C. VanderKam, North Carolina State University,
Presiding

8:30

H. Dixon Slingerland, Hiram College
*The Nature of Nomos (Law) within the Testaments of
the Twelve Patriarchs*

9:00

G. Tom Milazzo, Emory University
Apocalypticism and Death

9:30

Randall D. Chesnutt, Duke University
Jewish Proselytism and the Conversion of Asenath

10:00

R. Theodore Lutz, University of Toronto
Composition of the Book of the Watchers

**S73 NEW TESTAMENT TEXTUAL
CRITICISM SECTION**

8:30-11:45 LASALLE 3

Eldon Jay Epp, Case Western Reserve University, Presiding

8:30

Thomas C. Geer, Jr., Abilene Christian University
*Manuscripts 383 and 614 and the So-Called Western
Text of Acts*

9:00

Reuben J. Swanson, Camarillo, California
A Wholistic Approach to Textual Readings

9:30

William L. Petersen, Utrecht, The Netherlands
*New Evidence for the Question of the Diatessaron's
Original Language*

10:00

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10:15

J. Ramsey Michaels, Southwest Missouri State University
Two Majority Readings in 1 Peter 4

10:45

Zane C. Hodges, Dallas Theological Seminary
*Important New Readings in the Majority Text New
Testament*

11:15

Joseph M. Alexanian, Trinity College in Illinois
*The Armenian Version in Luke and the Early History of
the Gospel Text*

S74 PAULINE EPISTLES SECTION

9:00-11:15 LASALLE 2

Robin Scroggs, Chicago Theological Seminary, Presiding
Theme: *Psycho-Social Influences on Paul's Thought*

9:00

Terrance Callan, Athenaeum of Ohio
Toward a Psychological Portrait of Paul

9:30

Albert C. Sundberg, Jr.
Paul: A Christian Jonah?

10:00

Recess

10:15

Robert Hodgson, Southwest Missouri State University
*Superstition and Politics in Julio-Claudian Rome: A
Background for Romans 13:1-7*

10:45

Karl A. Plank, Davidson College
*Between Protest and Proclamation: A Paradoxical Paul
in an Unredeemed World*

**S75 STUDY OF Q
CONSULTATION**

9:00-11:30 PARLOR G

James M. Robinson, Claremont Graduate School, Presiding
Theme: *Q and Wisdom Traditions*

Robert Miller

The Rejection of the Prophets in Q (11:47-51; 13:34-35)

John Kloppenborg, Toronto, Canada
Q and Ancient Sayings Collections

Ron Cameron, Wesleyan University
*Gospels of Thomas 46 and 78 and their Q Parallels
(7:28.24-25)*

Howard Clark Kee, Boston University
Wisdom Tradition and Christology in Q

Helmut Koester, Harvard Divinity School
*The Synoptic Sayings Source and Wisdom Sayings of
Jesus*

The theme will be discussed on the basis of relevant Q texts,
previous publications by participants, and contributions
prepared for this session and distributed to the mailing list
prior to the meeting.

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**A83 BUSINESS AND
ORGANIZATIONAL ETHICS: CONSULTATION**

9:00-11:30 BURNHAM 2

William W. May, University of Southern California, Presiding
Theme: *Contribution of Theological Analysis to Business and Organizational Ethics*

9:00-10:00

Charles McCoy, Pacific School of Religion
The Corporation as Moral Agent

10:00-10:30

David P. Schmidt, De Paul University
Corporate Management and Policy Formation from the Perspective of Theological Ethics

10:30-11:00

William W. May, Chair

Panel: *A Case Analysis from Different Religious Perspectives*

11:00-11:30

Business meeting

**A84 RELIGION AND DREAM:
CONSULTATION**

9:00-11:30 BURNHAM 1

Patricia Cox Miller and
David L. Miller, Syracuse University, Presiding

Theme: *The Hermeneutical Significance of Dream for Religious Studies*

Panel discussion of *Dreams, Illusion, and Other Realities* by
Wendy O'Flaherty X

Panelists:

Sudhir Kakar, Senior Fellow of the Centre for the Study of
Developing Societies

William C. Doty, University of Alabama

Charles H. Long, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
and Duke University

Respondent:

Wendy O'Flaherty, University of Chicago Divinity School

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A85 75th ANNIVERSARY LECTURES

9:00-10:15

ADAMS ROOM

Langdon Gilkey, University of Chicago
Issues Inherited and Before Us

Roger D. Haight, Regis College, Toronto, Presiding

10:15-11:30

Rosemary Radford Ruether, Garrett Evangelical Theological
Seminary

Theology and Feminism: A Future Together?

Sharon Welch, Harvard Divinity School, Presiding

A86 WOMEN'S CAUCUS

11:45-1:00

MONTROSE 1

Lorine M. Getz, Boston Theological Institute, Presiding

Rosemary Radford Ruether, Garrett Evangelical Theological
Seminary

Ross Kraemer, Princeton University

Business meeting



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**S76 LITERARY ASPECTS OF THE
GOSPELS AND ACTS GROUP**

9:00-11:00

PARLOR A

Norman R. Petersen, Williams College, Presiding

Robert C. Tannehill, Methodist Theological School in Ohio
*The Composition of Acts 3-5: Narrative Development
and Echo Effect*

Respondents:

Donald Juel, Luther-Northwestern Seminary

Mary Ann Tolbert, Vanderbilt Divinity School

The paper presented in the above session is included in the
SBL 1984 Seminar Papers.

**S77 NARRATIVE RESEARCH ON THE
HEBREW BIBLE GROUP**

9:00-12:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 9

Miri Amihai Collins, Cornell University, Presiding

9:00

Antony F. Campbell, Jesuit Theological College, Melbourne
*The Reported Story: Midway Between Oral Performance
and Literary Art*

9:30

Joel Rosenberg, Tufts University
*Narrative, Political History, and Institutional Matrices:
Treachery in 2 Samuel 11*

10:00

Naomi Steinberg, Columbia University
*The Function of the Trickster Role in the Maintenance
of Social Equilibrium*

10:30

J. P. Cheryl Exum, Boston College
The Tragic Vision of Biblical Narrative

11:00

Thomas B. Dozeman, New York
Spatial Form, Repetition, and the Sinai Narrative

11:30

Ann M. Vater Solomon, Western Illinois University
*The Structure of the Chronicler's History: A Key to the
Organization of the Pentateuch*

Respondent:

George W. Coats, Lexington Theological Seminary

**S78 SOCIOLOGY OF THE
MONARCHY SEMINAR**

9:00-12:00

PARLOR H

Frank S. Frick, Albion College, Presiding

9:00

Keith W. Whitlam, University of Stirling, Scotland
Robert B. Coote, San Francisco Theological Seminary
The Emergence of Israel

Respondents:

Peter Machinist, University of Arizona

S. Dean McBride, Jr., Garrett Evangelical Seminary

10:30

Frank Crusemann, Kirchliche Hochschule Bethel, Federal
Republic of Germany
Taxation in the Monarchy

Respondents:

Phyllis Bird, Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist
University

Bernhard Lang, Johannes Gutenberg University, Federal
Republic of Germany

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S79 CORPORATION OF ASOR

9:30-11:30

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 18

James A. Sauer, University of Pennsylvania, Presiding

**S80 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF
PROFESSORS OF HEBREW**

10:00-12:00

BURNHAM 4

Gilead Morahg, University of Wisconsin, Presiding

10:00

J. Gordon Harris, North American Baptist Seminary
Humor in Hebrew Wisdom: The Fool as a Comic

10:40

Carol Diamant, State University of New York at Purchase
The First Hebrew Newspaper and Its Significance

11:20

Rena Lee Kofman, Queens College, City University of New
York
The Uprooted Protagonist in Israel Fiction



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**S81 ASOR PRESENTATIONS IV.
SETTLEMENTS AND SURVEY**

10:00-1:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 17

James D. Muhly, University of Pennsylvania, Presiding

10:00

Thomas Levy, Negev Museum, Beersheba
*Social Change During the Chalcolithic Period in
Palestine: A Negev Perspective*

10:20

John Huehnergard, Harvard University
*Syrian Akkadian in the Late Bronze Period: A Study in
Dialectology*

10:40

Burton MacDonald, St. Francis Xavier University, and
Andrew Dearman, Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary
Wadi el Hasa Archaeological Survey, Southern Jordan

11:00

Fredric R. Brandfon, Stockton State College
The Final Iron Age Occupation at Beth Shemesh

11:40

Avraham Biran, Hebrew Union College
*Anathoth and Aroer: Problems in the Identification of
Biblical Sites*

12:00

Howard P. Goldfried, California State University, Sacramento
Tel Dor 1980-1984: Summary and Prospects

12:20

David Merling, Andrews University
*An Analysis of Charles Warren's Explorations Between
Na'ur and Khuraybat as Suq*

12:40

Alison M. McQuitty, British Institute for Archaeology and
History at Amman
*Ethnoarchaeological Contribution to the Beit Ras/Irbid
Regional Project*

**S82 EDITORS AND EDITORIAL
BOARDS**

11:45-1:00 CHICAGO ROOM

Leander E. Keck, Yale Divinity School, Presiding

Luncheon meeting

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**PROGRAM UNIT
CHAIRPERSONS**

12:30-2:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 7

James B. Wiggins, Syracuse University, Presiding

All program unit chairpeople are urged to attend this meeting, or to send a substitute from the unit's steering committee.

- Agenda: 1. New unit planning materials
2. Discussion of 2½-hour session format and problems
3. Feedback/suggestions

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ROUND TABLE SESSIONS

1:00-2:30

RED LACQUER ROOM

Please make reservations in advance on the form in the front of this Program. Papers may be picked up at the Information Desk.

William J. Abraham, Seattle-Pacific University
E Pluribus Unum: Towards a Definitive Definition of Evangelicalism

Debra Campbell, Gettysburg College
Hannah Whitall Smith (1832-1911): Female Incarnation of the Third Great Awakening

Dale Cannon, Western Oregon State College
Ways of Being Religious

Santosh N. Desai, St. John's University
Hindu Religion and Poverty

Mara E. Donaldson, Lafayette College
The Happy Ending Cannot Come in the Middle of the Story: Ursula Le Guin's A Wizard of Earth Sea

James Evans, Colgate Rochester Divinity School
The Recovery of Sacred Myth: Toni Morrison's Song of Solomon

Robert C. Fuller, Bradley University
The Psyche as Symbol: Popular Psychology and the Aesthetic Strand of American Religious Thought

George Garrelts, Mercyhurst College, and
Charles B. Ketchum, Allegheny College
A discussion of the film *Wise Blood* to be shown on Sunday night at 9:30 p.m. (See page 00.)

Gilbert G. Hardy, University of Dallas
The Fallenness and Recovery of Man in the Monastic Rules of Benedict of Nursia and Dogen Zenji

Winston L. King, Madison, Wisconsin
Theravada: No-Self's Implicit Selfhood

Sanford Krolick, Colorado School of Mines
In Illo Tempore Aborigine: On Time and Myth

Julia B. Mitchell, Ball State University
The Dancing Web: Fritjof Capra as Modern Day Alchemist

Ann-Janine Morey, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale
Passion and the Religious Heart

Eric Mount, Centre College
Juxtaposed Worlds and Myths in the Novels of Toni Morrison

Tokiyuki Nobuhara, Claremont Graduate School

Portraying "Authentic Existence": Toward Creative Uses of the Analogy of Attribution Duorum Ad Tertium for Comparative Philosophy of Religion

Joseph L. Price, Whittier College, and

Kathleen A. Cordes, Whittier College

Creation and Re-Creation: The Mythos of the Meso Ball Game

Kathryn Rabuzzi, Syracuse, New York

Gay Literature: Source of Some Competing Images of the Cultural Imagination

Michael L. Raposa, Sacred Heart University

Boredom and the Religious Imagination

Robert V. Smith, Colgate University

Faith, Fanaticism, and Doubt

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**PLENARY SESSION:
PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS**

2:30-3:30

STATE BALLROOM

Ray L. Hart, University of Montana

To Be and Not To Be: Sit autem sermo (logos) vester, est, est: non, non . . .

Wendy O'Flaherty, University of Chicago Divinity School,
Presiding

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**ARTS, LITERATURE,
AND RELIGION: SECTION**

3:45-6:15

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 7

Ann-Janine Morey, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale,
Presiding

Theme: *New Approaches and New Texts in Arts, Literature, and Religion*

3:45

Part I: *Approaches*

Ralph Norman, University of Tennessee at Knoxville

The Logic of Literary Contradiction: A Critique of Bloom's Psychologism

Tim Nuveen, Graduate Theological Union

Michael Polanyi's MEANING and the Habit of Truth in Art and Religion

4:45

Part II: *Texts*

Alan Berger, Syracuse University

Liturgical Literature: Promise or Peril? Cynthia Ozick and the Holocaust

Joan Leonard, Emory University

Muriel Spark's Aesthetic: Parables of "Slender Means"

Rowland A. Sherrill, Indiana University, Indianapolis

Homo Viator: The Religious Significance of the New American Pícaro

Respondent:

Robert Detweiler, Emory University

What is a Sacred/Secular Text?



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S83 PAULINE EPISTLES SECTION

1:00-3:00 LASALLE 2

Robin Scroggs, Chicago Theological Seminary, Presiding

1:00

George Carras, Mansfield College, Oxford

Paul's Critique of Judaism: Romans 2 and 3 Considered

1:30

Charles A. Wanamaker, University of Cape Town

God's Agent in Pauline Thought

2:00

Jeffrey S. Siker, Dayton, New Jersey

Death with Christ to Sin: An Exegesis of Romans 6:5-11

2:30

Ben Witherington, III, Ashland Theological Seminary

Pauline Eschatology—Exorcising the Ghost of Schweitzer

**S84 BIBLICAL CRITICISM
AND LITERARY CRITICISM SECTION**

1:00-4:00 PARLOR C

James G. Williams, Syracuse University, Presiding

1:00

Theme: *Literary Method in "History-Like" Narrative*

Burke O. Long, Bowdoin College

Literary Artistry in "Historical" Narratives from the Book of Kings

John Van Seters, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

The Plagues of Egypt: Ancient Tradition or Literary Invention?

Robert C. Culley, McGill University

The Stories of Achan and the Conquest of Ai

2:30

Recess

2:40

Theme: *The Feminine Personage in Biblical Narrative*

Susan Niditch, Amherst College

Narrative Transformations and Author-Audience Expectations: A Comparative Study of the Wife-As-Sister Tales

E. T. A. Davidson, State University of New York at Oneonta

Intricacy, Design, and Cunning in the Book of Judges

Alice Keefe, Syracuse University

The Levite and His Concubine: An Allegory of Israel

Response:

Esther Fuchs, University of Texas at Austin

Approaches to Women in Biblical Narrative and Biblical Criticism

**S85 COMPUTER ASSISTED
RESEARCH GROUP**

1:00-4:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 8

Robert A. Kraft, University of Pennsylvania, Presiding

1:00

Theme: *Focus on Microcomputing*

Tzvee Zahavy and Associates, University of Minnesota

Homebrew Hebrew: Using the Micro from Right to Left

John R. Abercrombie, University of Pennsylvania

Introducing Your Microcomputer to the Mainframe: Uploading, Downloading and the Interface Problem

2:00

Recess

2:15

Theme: *Reports from the Projects*

Paul A. Miller, Director, and

Donald A. Carson

GRAMCORD: A Project Update

Theodore Bergren, University of Pennsylvania

The Septuagint Tools Project—An Update: The Morphology Analyzed Bank

Benjamin Wright, University of Pennsylvania

The Textual Variant Files

Other Brief Reports:

John Hurd, University of Toronto

Van Parunak, University of Michigan

Richard Whitaker, IBYCUS

Raymond Martin, Wartburg Theological Seminary

3:30

Discussion and Planning Session

**S86 EARLY CHRISTIAN
APOCALYPTICISM SEMINAR**

1:00-4:00 PARLOR B

Adela Yarbro Collins, McCormick Theological Seminary, Presiding

1:00

Martha Himmelfarb, Princeton University

Hekhalot Themes and the Question of Genre in Early Christian Apocalypses

2:00

Anitra Bingham Kolenkow, Berkeley, California

Asceticism, Apocalypticism, and Alternatives in the Early Church

Respondent:

David Aune, St. Xavier College, Chicago

3:00

Howard Clark Kee, Boston University

The Social Setting of Mark as Apocalyptic Community

Some of the papers in the above session are included in the SBL 1984 Seminar Papers.

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ETHICS: SECTION

3:45-6:15

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 9

Thomas A. Shannon, Worcester Polytechnic Institute,
Presiding

Theme: *The U.S. Catholic Bishops on Economic Life: A Critique*

Panelists:

David Hollenbach, Weston School of Theology
Clark Kucheman, Claremont McKenna College
Dennis P. McCann, De Paul University

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**HISTORY
OF CHRISTIANITY: SECTION**

3:45-6:15

MONTROSE 1

Martin E. Marty, University of Chicago Divinity School,
Presiding

Theme: *The History of Doctrine and the Reformation: Responses to Jaroslav Pelikan's Reformation of Church and Dogma (1300-1700)* X

Panelists:

Scott H. Hendrix, Lutheran Theological Seminary,
Philadelphia
Jill Raitt, University of Missouri
Timothy George, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary
John W. O'Malley, Weston School of Theology
Respondent:
Jaroslav Pelikan, Yale University

A93

**NORTH AMERICAN
RELIGIONS: SECTION**

3:45-6:15

PARLOR A

Melvin B. Endy, Jr., Hamilton College, Presiding

Theme: *Global Religious Village in the United States: Buddhism, Hinduism, and Islam Today*

Panelists:

Buddhism:

Charles S. Prebish, Pennsylvania State University
Reginald Ray, Naropa Institute

Hinduism:

John Y. Fenton, Emory University
Vasudha Narayanan, University of Florida

Islam:

Newell S. Booth, Miami University

A94

**RELIGION IN SOUTH
ASIA: SECTION**

3:45-6:15

CLARK 5

3:45-5:45

Jack Hawley, University of Washington, Presiding
Theme: *Santoshi Ma, the Film Goddess*

Michael Brand, Harvard University

An Introduction to Santoshi Ma: Textual Origins and Media Transmission

Jack Hawley, University of Washington

A "Walk-Through" of the film Jai Santoshi Ma (with videocassette clips)

Stanley N. Kurtz, Harvard University

The Goddess's Dispute in Jai Santoshi Ma

Kathleen M. Erndl, University of Wisconsin, Madison

The Absorption of Santoshi Ma into the Punjabi Goddess Cult

Discussant:

Wendy O'Flaherty, University of Chicago Divinity School

5:45-6:15

Business meeting

A95

**THEOLOGY AND RELIGIOUS
REFLECTION: SECTION**

3:45-6:15



CRYSTAL ROOM

Charles Winquist, California State University, Chico,
Presiding

Theme: *Critical Responses to Langdon Gilkey's Presentation*

Panel:

Harvey Cox, Harvard Divinity School
Schubert M. Ogden, Southern Methodist University
Leo J. O'Donovan, Weston School of Theology

The panel's presentations will comprise the first hour of the session, with an hour and a half remaining for open discussion.

A96

**WOMEN AND RELIGION:
SECTION**

3:45-6:15

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 17

Judith Plaskow, Manhattan College, Presiding

Theme: *Body, Nature, Eros, Roots: Women's Spiritual Visions*

Susan Bruno, Harvard Divinity School

Sexuality and Female Religious Experience: The Erotic Spirituality of Teresa of Avila

Kristin Herzog, Durham, North Carolina

Spirituality and Sense of Community in Women's Autobiographies

Lynn Ross-Bryant, Lakewood, California

The Sacrality of the Ordinary in the Works of Annie Dillard

T. Drorah Setel, Temple Beth Zion, Buffalo, New York

"You Shall Be Holy Because I Am Holy": Feminist Approaches to Separation and Unity in Jewish Theology

June O'Connor, University of California, Riverside

Sensuality, Spirituality, Sacramentality



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S87 FOURTH GOSPEL SECTION

1:00-4:00

PARLOR F

D. Moody Smith, Duke Divinity School, Presiding

1:00

Craig A. Evans, Trinity Western College

Obduracy and the Lord's Servant: Some Observations on the Use of the Old Testament in the Fourth Gospel

1:30

Jeffrey Staley, Graduate Theological Union

The Structure of St. John's Prologue: Its Form and Function in the Gospel Narrative

2:00

W. D. Domeris, University of Cape Town

The Holy One of God: A Study of John 6:69

2:30

Gail R. O'Day, Eden Theological Seminary

Now We Know that You Know Everything . . . (John 16:30): Insiders and Outsiders in the Fourth Gospel

3:00

Charles Homer Giblin, Fordham University

Confrontations in John 18:28-19:16a

3:30

Urban C. von Wahlde, Loyola University of Chicago

Two Theological Conceptions of the Ministry of Jesus in the Johannine Gospel and Epistles: ERGON and ENTOLE

S88 GRECO-ROMAN RELIGIONS GROUP

1:00-4:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 6

1:00-2:30

John Helgeland, North Dakota State University, Presiding

1:00

Morton Smith, Columbia University

Salvation in Magic and in Paul

2:30-4:00

Larry J. Alderink, Concordia College, Presiding

2:30

Gail A. Paterson Corrington, Pennsylvania State University

Power and the Man of Power

3:15

Luther H. Martin, University of Vermont

Those Elusive Eleusinian Mystery Shows

Some of the papers in the above session are included in the SBL 1984 Seminar Papers

S89 HISTORICAL JESUS SECTION

1:00-4:00

MONTROSE 3

Paul W. Hollenbach, Iowa State University, Presiding

1:00

Panel: Jesus and the Gospel: Tradition, Scripture, and the Canon by **William Farmer**

Panelists:

Ben Meyer, McMaster University

A. Durwood Foster, Pacific School of Religion

William Farmer, Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University

2:30

Panel: Conflict, Holiness, and Politics in the Teachings of Jesus by **Marcus Borg**

Panelists:

W. D. Davies, Texas Christian University

David Rhoads, Carthage College

Marcus Borg, Oregon State University

Open discussion

S90 HISTORY AND LITERATURE OF EARLY RABBINIC JUDAISM SECTION

1:00-4:00

PARLOR E

Alan J. Avery-Peck, Newcomb College, Tulane University, Presiding

1:00

Robert Berchman, Brown University

Rabbinic Syllogistic: The Case of Mishnah/Tosefta Tohorot (1:1-4) and the Leviticus Rabbah

Respondent:

Martin Jaffe, University of Virginia

1:50

Ben Zion Wacholder, Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion

The Concept of "Two Torahs" in Early Judaism

Respondent:

Lawrence Schiffman, New York University

2:40

Barbara Geller-Nathanson, Clark University

A Fourth Century Palestinian Jewish Revolt

3:10

David J. Halperin, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Ascension or Invasion: Implications of the Heavenly Journey in Ancient Judaism

3:40

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**A97 CHINESE RELIGIONS:
GROUP**

3:45-6:15 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 1

The Chinese Religions Group has generously yielded one of the sessions allocated by the Program Committee in order for those interested in Korean religions to be included in the program.

Jung Young Lee, University of North Dakota, Presiding

Theme: *Christianity in Korea*

Keith Crim, Westminster Press

Hulbert's "The Passing of Korea": *Early Missionaries and Korean Culture*

Kang-Nam Oh, University of Regina

Christianity and Religious Pluralism in Korea

Chan-Hie Kim, School of Theology at Claremont

Why Christianity Is Rapidly Expanding in Korea

Discussants:

Robert Neville, State University of New York at Stony Brook

Sang Hyun Lee, Princeton Theological Seminary

**A98 PLATONISM
AND NEOPLATONISM: GROUP**

3:45-6:15 LASALLE 1

Jay Bregman, University of Maine, Presiding

Theme: *Plotinus and the Gnostics*

3:45-4:35

Christos Evangelou, Emory University

Plotinus on the Gnostic Use and Abuse of Plato

4:35-5:25

Harold Remus, Wilfrid Laurier University

Plotinus and Gnostic Thaumaturgy

5:25-6:15

Achilles Avraamides, Iowa State University

Non-Philosophical Explanations for Plotinus' Philosophical Originality

**A99 QURANIC STUDIES:
GROUP**

3:45-6:15 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 4

William A. Graham, Harvard University, Presiding

A. H. Mathias Zahniser, Asbury Theological Seminary

The Death of Jesus in Surat al-Nisa': An Inductive Analysis

Andrew Rippin, University of Calgary

Al-Zarkashi and al-Suyuti on the Function of the "Occasion of Revelation" Material

Mahmoud M. Ayoub, University of Toronto

The Principle of Taqiyyah in the Qur'an and the Tafsir Tradition

Mustansir Mir, University of Michigan

Some Features of Sayyid Qutb's Qur'an Commentary

Progress report on plans for establishing an international journal of Quranic Studies.

Discussion of current needs in Quranic Studies and a proposal for the future of the Quranic Studies Group.

**A100 ROMAN CATHOLIC
MODERNISM: GROUP**

3:45-6:15 LASALLE 3

3:45-5:45

John Root, Illinois Institute of Technology, Presiding

Theme: *The Political Dimensions of Modernism*

Gary Lease, University of California, Santa Cruz

Bismarck, Hohenlohe and the Vatican: The Beginnings of Modernism

Lawrence F. Barmann, St. Louis University

Friedrich von Hügel's Ideas and Activities as Modernism and as More Than Modernism

Respondents:

Gabriel Daly, Augustinian Priory, Dublin

Hans Rollmann, Memorial University of Newfoundland

5:45-6:15

Hans Rollmann, Memorial University of Newfoundland, Presiding

Theme: *North American Resources in Roman Catholic Modernism*

George Gilmore, Spring Hill College
State of the Project



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S91 **SOCIOLOGY OF THE
MONARCHY SEMINAR**

1:00-4:00 PARLOR H

James W. Flanagan, University of Montana, Presiding

Moshe Elat, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
Economic Relations in the Monarchy

Larry Stager, The Oriental Institute, University of Chicago
Agriculture in the Monarchy

Respondents:

Volkmar Fritz, Johannes Gutenberg University, Federal
Republic of Germany

Walter E. Rast, Valparaiso University

Carol Meyers, Duke University

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SBL 1984 Seminar Papers.

S92 **UGARITIC STUDIES GROUP**

1:00-4:00 DEARBORN I

Dennis Pardee, University of Chicago, Presiding

1:00

Simon B. Parker, Boston University
Ugaritic Narrative Literature

Respondent:

Edward L. Greenstein, Jewish Theological Seminary of
America

2:00

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2:10

Bruce Zuckerman, University of Southern California, and
Mark S. Smith, St. Paul Seminary

*Reports of the West Semitic Photographic Archive
Project*

3:40

Business meeting

S93 **RHETORICAL CRITICISM
SECTION**

1:00-5:30 MONTROSE 7

Alan J. Hauser, Appalachian State University, Presiding

1:00

J. Kenneth Kuntz, The University of Iowa
Rhetorical-Critical Perspectives on the Gideon Traditions

1:30

Jared J. Jackson, Pittsburgh Theological Seminary
*"Churl" Is His Name, and Churlish His Behavior"—the
Syntax of I Samuel 25*

2:00

William A. Young, Westminster College
A Temptation Type Scene in the Tanak?

2:30

Rod Duke, Emory University
*The Chronicler's Emplotment: David and Solomon as a
Paradigm*

3:00

Francis Landy
*Rhetorical Stratagems and Symbolic Inversions in
Isaiah 19*

3:30

Edwin C. Webster, St. John's Church, Kenner, Louisiana
A Rhetorical Analysis of Isaiah 66

4:00

Charles T. Davis, III, Appalachian State University
The Stephen Narrative

4:30

Duane F. Watson, Duke University
*Rhetorical Criticism and Its Implications for the
Question of the Unity of Philippians*

5:00

Alan J. Hauser, Appalachian State University
*Two Songs of Victory: A Comparison of Exodus 15 and
Judges 5*

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A101 KIERKEGAARD: CONSULTATION

3:45-6:15

LASALLE 2

Sylvia Walsh, Clark College, Presiding

3:45

Theme: *Kierkegaard on Theology*

Niels Thulstrup, University of Copenhagen

Kierkegaard's Concepts of the Absurd, Paradox, and Nonsense

David J. Gouwens, Texas Christian University

Kierkegaard's Understanding of Doctrine

5:00

Theme: *The Critical Study of Kierkegaard's Philosophy of Religion*

Robert L. Perkins, Stetson University

Ways of Reading Johannes Climacus

Critical Discussions of:

The Logic of Subjectivity by Louis P. Pojman and

Kierkegaard's "Fragments" and "Postscript" by

C. Stephen Evans

Reviewers:

John Donnelly, University of San Diego

Abraham H. Khan, Trent University

Respondents:

Louis P. Pojman, University of Mississippi

C. Stephen Evans, St. Olaf College

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**POLITICAL THEOLOGY:
CONSULTATION**

3:45-6:15

WABASH PARLOR

Vernon J. Gregson, Loyola University, New Orleans,
Presiding

Theme: *The Political Theology of Johann B. Metz*

Johann B. Metz, University of Munster

Political Theology: Retrospect and Prospect

Panelists:

Francis Schüssler Fiorenza, Catholic University of America

Rebecca S. Chopp, University of Chicago

Roberto S. Giozueta, Loyola University, New Orleans

Matthew L. Lamb, Marquette University



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**S94 ASOR SYMPOSIUM ON
ANCIENT MEDITERRANEAN FOOD SYSTEMS**

1:00-6:30 DEARBORN 3

Oystein S. LaBianca, Andrews University, Presiding

Part I: General

1:00

Giraud V. Foster, Johns Hopkins Medical School
*Young Sheep and Goat: Evidence for Ritual Springtime
Kill Practices in the Mediterranean During the Iron Age*

1:35

Aileen G. Baron, California State University, Fullerton
*Subsistence Strategies and Iron Age Adaptations at Tel
'Ira in the Northern Negev*

2:10

Miriam Chernoff, Brandeis University
*A Method for Reconstructing the Social Organization of
Agriculture*

2:45

Mitchell S. Rothman, University of Pennsylvania
*Institutional Responses to Risk in Southern
Mesopotamian Agriculture*

3:20

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Part II: Transhumance in Transjordan

3:40

Donald O. Henry, University of Tulsa
Transhumant Patterns in Southern Jordan

4:15

Ilse Köhler-Rollefson, Yarmouk University, Jordan
Animal Exploitation at Neolithic 'Ain Ghazal

4:50

Jack R. Harlan, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Up and Down Moab

5:25

Oystein S. LaBianca, and
Lawrence T. Geraty, Andrews University
*Sedentarization and Nomadization: Toward an Agenda
for Future Research in Central Jordan*

6:00

Respondents:

Dennis Baley, Kenyon College

Philip Mayerson, New York University

Joseph Green, University of Chicago

**S95 ASOR REPORTS ON
CURRENT EXCAVATIONS AND SURVEYS**

1:00-6:00 LASALLE 5

Kevin G. O'Connell, John Carroll University, Presiding

1:00

Gary O. Rollefson, San Diego State University, and
Alan H. Simmons, University of Kansas
*Third Archaeological Campaign at PPNB 'Ain Ghazal
(Jordan), 1984*

1:20

Lawrence T. Geraty, Andrews University
*Madaba Plains Project: The Initial Season at Tell el-
Umeiri*

1:40

Roger S. Boraas, Upsala College
*Archaeological Expedition to Khirbet Iskander and Its
Vicinity: The 1984 Season*

2:00

Thomas L. McClellan, University of Melbourne
El-Qitar: A Late Bronze Age Fortress on the Euphrates

2:30

William G. Dever, University of Arizona
*Gezer Revisited: The 1984 Season in the Solomon Gate,
City Wall and Palace*

3:00

Jeffrey A. Blakely, University of Pennsylvania
Wadi al-Jubah Archaeological Project, 1984

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3:40

Michael D. Coogan, Harvard University
Excavations at Numeira (Jordan), 1983

4:00

Yoram Tsafir, Hebrew University, Jerusalem
*The Excavation at the Fortress of Sartaba-Alexandria in
Relation to Josephus' Descriptions*

4:20

Lindley Vann, University of Maryland
*Excavations in the Harbor of Herod the Great at
Caesarea Maritima: The 1984 C.A.H.E.P. Season*

4:40

Bert DeVries, Calvin College
Excavations at Umm el-Jimal, Summer, 1984

5:00

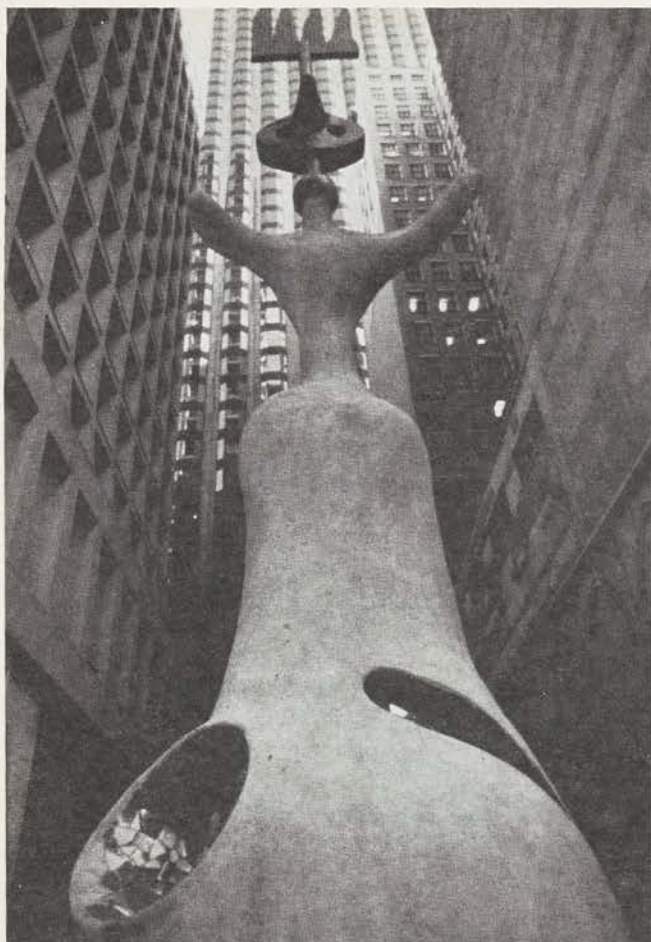
Cherie G. Lenzen, American Center of Oriental Research
The Beit Ras/Irbid Project: Regional Survey

5:20

W. Harold Mare, Covenant Theological Seminary
*The 1984 Abila of the Decapolis Excavation and
Regional Survey*

5:40

Carol Redmount, University of Chicago
Wadi Tumilat Archaeological Survey 1983



"Miro's Chicago", one of Chicago's major outdoor sculptures, is located in the Brunswick Building Plaza, Dearborn and Washington Streets, across from the Picasso Sculpture in the Daley Center Plaza. The sculpture of concrete, ceramics and bronze was unveiled on April 20, 1981, Joan Miro's eighty-eighth birthday.

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Alexander Calder's 53 foot high stabile "Flamingo", one of Chicago's famous plaza sculptures, is located in the Federal Plaza, Dearborn Street between Adams and Jackson.

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The Chicago Picasso-Daley Center Plaza, the first of Chicago's now extensive collection of outdoor sculptures. Photo credit: Ron Schramm / Chicago Convention and Tourism Bureau



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**S96 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
OF PROFESSORS OF HEBREW**

1:30-3:30 **BURNHAM 4**
Zev Garber, Los Angeles Valley College and University of
California, Presiding

1:30

Yair Mazor, University of Wisconsin, Madison
*A Structural Approach to the Art of Rhetoric of Biblical
Poetry: A Study of Hosea 5, 1-10*

2:15

Harry M. Orlinsky, Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of
Religion, New York
*The Land in the Bible: Cornerstone of the Covenant
Between God and Israel*

**S97 ASOR PHOTOGRAMMETRY
WORKSHOP**

2:30-5:00 **PARLOR C**
Thomas W. Beale, Harvard University, and
Richard J. Saley, Harvard University, Presiding
Participants:

Malcolm Horsnell, McMaster University
Albert Leonard, University of Missouri
Thomas Longstaff, Colby College
John Lundquist, Brigham Young University
Burton MacDonald, St. Xavier University

**S98 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
OF PROFESSORS OF HEBREW**

3:30-6:00 **BURNHAM 4**

3:30-5:00

Albert T. Bilgray, University of Arizona, Presiding
Annual meeting

5:00-6:00

Albert T. Bilgray, University of Arizona, Presiding
Post-session meeting of officers and Advisory Council.

**S99 OLD TESTAMENT TEXTUAL
CRITICISM SECTION**

3:45-5:15 **PRIVATE DINING ROOM 5**
P. Kyle McCarter, University of Virginia, Presiding

3:45

Robert T. Anderson, Michigan State University
*A Reevaluation of Jean Morin as a Prime Catalyst in
Modern Textual Criticism*

4:15

Gary Chamberlain, University of Dubuque Theological
Seminary
Text Criticism and Lexicography

4:45

Steve L. McKenzie, Southwestern College at Memphis
The Chronicler's Text of Kings

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SBL 1984 Seminar Papers.

S100 NAG HAMMADI SECTION

3:45-6:15 **DEARBORN 2**

Bentley Layton, Yale University, Presiding

3:45

Charles W. Hedrick, Southwest Missouri State University
*Beyond the Consensus: The Hidden Treasure Parable in
Thomas and Matthew*

4:15

Marvin Meyer, Ferrum College
The Apocryphon of John and Greek Mythology

4:45

Michael A. Williams, University of Washington
*Providence, Fate and Free Will in the Apocryphon of
John*

5:15

John Turner, University of Nebraska
Sethian Gnosticism and the Johannine Tradition

5:45

Douglas M. Parrott, University of California, Riverside
*Jewish and Neopythagorean Elements in Euginos
(III, 3 and V, 1)*

**S101 CENTENNIAL PUBLICATIONS
EDITORIAL COMMITTEE**

4:00-6:00 **SBL EXECUTIVE SUITE**

Kent Harold Richards, Iliff School of Theology, Presiding

**S102 MITCHELL DAHOOD
MEMORIAL COMPETITION LECTURE**

4:30-5:30 **PARLOR F**

David Noel Freedman, University of Michigan, Presiding

John Day, Oxford University
*Asherah in the Hebrew Bible and Northwest Semitic
Literature*

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A102a

**AAR ANNUAL
BUSINESS MEETING**

6:30-7:30

RED LACQUER ROOM

Ray L. Hart, University of Montana, Presiding

Any items to be added to the agenda must be posted at the Information Desk and copies submitted to Ray L. Hart or James B. Wiggins at least 24 hours in advance of the call to order.

A103

AAR PLENARY ADDRESSES

8:00

RED LACQUER ROOM

Eric Voegelin, The Hoover Institution, Stanford University

Quod Deus Dicitur: The Relation Between Theology and Philosophy

Thomas J. J. Altizer, State University of New York at Stony Brook, Presiding

9:15

RED LACQUER ROOM

Paul Ricoeur, University of Chicago

Evil, A Challenge to Philosophy and/or Religion

Mary Gerhart, Hobart and William Smith Colleges, Presiding

A103-SPA

**SP ASSOCIATES
LECTURE**

8:00-9:15

CRYSTAL ROOM

Giles Gunn, University of Florida

The Literary and Cultural Study of Religion: Problems and Prospects

Ray L. Hart, University of Montana, Presiding



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**S103 EARLY CHRISTIAN
APOCALYPTICISM SEMINAR**

7:00-9:00 PARLOR B

Leonard Thompson, Lawrence University, Presiding

Theme: *Discussion of Adela Yarbro Collins's Book: Crisis and Catharsis: The Power of the Apocalypse*

Panelists:

David Barr, Wright State University

Bernard McGinn, University of Chicago

Wayne Meeks, Yale University

Respondent:

Adela Yarbro Collins, McCormick Theological Seminary

**S104 HOW MY MIND HAS CHANGED
(or remained the same)**

7:00-9:00 STATE BALLROOM

W. D. Davies, Texas Christian University, and Professor Emeritus, Duke University, Presiding

Jacob Neusner, Brown University

Reflections on Judaism: The Evidence of the Mishnah and Judaism in Society: The Evidence of the Yerushalmi

Respondents:

A. T. Kraabel, Luther College

Anthony J. Saldarini, Boston College

Jacob Neusner's paper is included in the *SBL 1984 Seminar Papers*

**S105 ASOR MEMBERS' RECEPTION
AT ORIENTAL INSTITUTE,
UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO**

Ticket Admission

7:00-10:00

Guided tour of Oriental Institute Museum. Buses depart Palmer House Hotel for Oriental Institute at 6:30 p.m. Participation by ticket purchased in advance from the ASOR Office, 4243 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104. Also open to all AAR/SBL Annual Meeting registrants.

**S106 SOCIAL SCIENCES
AND NEW TESTAMENT
INTERPRETATION CONSULTATION**

7:00-10:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 17

John Pilch, Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, Presiding

Theme: *Mark 7:1-23 in the Light of Social Scientific Models*

Mary Douglas, Northwestern University, Guest Moderator

7:00

Elizabeth Struthers Malbon, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

The Narrative Context of Mark 7

7:15

O. C. Edwards, Jr., Seabury-Western Theological Seminary
Mark 7 and Ricoeur's Symbolism of Evil

7:30

Bruce Malina, Creighton University
Mark 7 and Conflict Analysis

7:45

Jerome Neyrey, Weston School of Theology
Symbolic Analysis of Mark 7

8:00

Panel Discussion

O. C. Edwards, Jr.

Bruce Malina

Elizabeth Struthers Malbon

Jerome Neyrey

9:00

General Discussion

9:50

Summary of Major Issues

Mary Douglas, Northwestern University

S107 SP ASSOCIATES LECTURE

8:00-9:30 CRYSTAL ROOM

Giles Gunn, University of Florida

The Literary and Cultural Study of Religion: Problems and Prospects

Ray L. Hart, University of Montana, Presiding

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**A104 ACADEMIC STUDY
OF RELIGION: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 MONTROSE 1

9:00-10:30

Robert Stivers, Pacific Lutheran University, Presiding

Theme: *The Case of the Barmen Declaration*

Case Teacher:

Jack Rogers, Fuller Theological Seminary

Respondent:

Arthur Cochrane, University of Dubuque Theological Seminary

Copies of the case for study prior to the discussion may be obtained from: The Association for Case Study Teaching, P.O. Box 243, Simsbury, CT 06070.

Recommended background reading: Arthur C. Cochrane, *The Church's Confession Under Hitler*, Philadelphia: The Westminster Press, 1962.

10:30-11:30

Robert and Alice Evans, Plowshares Institute, Presiding

Theme: *Pedagogies for Peace and Justice*

Panelists:

William B. Kennedy, Union Theological Seminary, New York

Joseph C. Hough, School of Theology at Claremont

Kosuke Koyama, Union Theological Seminary, New York

A105 ETHICS: SECTION

9:00-11:30 CLARK 5

Barbara Hilkert Andolsen, Rutgers University, Presiding

Theme: *Feminist and Political Ethics*

Mary Pellauer, St. Paul, Minnesota

The Habit of Force: Violence Against Women

Respondent:

Lois Gehr Livezey, Princeton Theological Seminary

Paul Wiebe, Wichita State University

Justice in the City of Truth

Respondent:

Alan B. Anderson, Greensboro, North Carolina

Glenn R. Bucher, College of Wooster

Christian Political Realism after Niebuhr: The Case of John C. Bennett

Respondent:

Stephen G. Post, Mercy College of Detroit

**A106 HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY:
SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PARLOR H

Thomas Ogletree, Drew Theological School, Presiding

Theme: *Habermas and Historical Inquiry*

Mary Potter, United Theological Seminary of the Twin Cities

His Christianity and Hers: Feminism, Historiography, and Christianity

Charles Davis, Concordia University, Montreal

The Narrative Structure of Historical Knowledge and the Continuity of Religious Traditions

Charles Strain, De Paul University

On the Use and Abuse of History: Habermas, Troeltsch, and the Concept of Cultural Synthesis

Dennis McCann, De Paul University

Praxis and Religious Historiography: Klebsch, Dussell, and Habermas

Respondents:

Susan Shapiro, Syracuse University

Mary Knutsen, University of Chicago

**A107 HISTORY OF JUDAISM:
SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 5

9:00-11:00

Zev Garber, Los Angeles Valley College, Presiding

Theme: *Methodologies in Teaching about Judaism*

9:00-9:40

Christine Athans, St. Paul Seminary

Teaching about Judaism in a Christian Seminary

9:40-10:20

Herbert W. Basser, Queen's University

Methodologies in Teaching about Midrash

10:20-11:00

S. Daniel Breslauer, University of Kansas

Jewish Literary Themes in the Teaching of Judaica

11:00-11:30

William S. Green, University of Rochester, Presiding

Theme: *Business Meeting: Planning for 1985*

**A108 PHILOSOPHY
OF RELIGION: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 9

Thomas Dean, Temple University, Presiding

Theme: *Difference, Contradiction, Absence, Transgression*

Mark C. Taylor, Williams College

Family Questions: Derrida on Hegel

Thomas Bridges, Montclair State College

Habermas, Kierkegaard, and the Pragmatics of Existential Communication

Walter Lowe, Emory University

Presence and Absence in Modern Theology

James Buchanan, University of Montana

The Rhetorics of Transgression/Appropriation: Metaphoricity and the Religious Dimension



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S108

**PROGRAM UNIT
CHAIRPERSONS**

8:00-9:00

PARLOR F

Kent Harold Richards, Iliff School of Theology, Presiding
Breakfast meeting

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**BIBLICAL HEBREW
POETRY SECTION**

8:30-11:30

DEARBORN 1

Elaine R. Follis, Principia College, Presiding
8:30

David Noel Freedman, University of Michigan
Poetry and Prose in Amos

Respondent:

P. Kyle McCarter, Jr., University of Virginia
9:30

Michael Patrick O'Connor, Ann Arbor, Michigan
The Pseudo-sorites in Hebrew Verse

10:00

Sylvia Scholnick, College of William and Mary
Poetry in the Courtroom: Job 38-41

10:30

Theodore Hiebert, Gustavus Adolphus College
The Use of Inclusion in Habakkuk 3

11:00

David Clines, University of Sheffield, England
*The Parallelism of Greater Precision: Some Examples
from Second Isaiah*

S110

**STRUCTURALISM AND
EXEGESIS SECTION**

8:30-11:30

WABASH PARLOR

J. Dominic Crossan, De Paul University, Presiding

Theme: *Discussion of Paul's Faith and the Power of the
Gospel by Daniel Patte*

Panelists:

8:30

J. Christian Beker, Princeton Theological Seminary

8:50

Bernard Brandon Scott, St. Meinrad School of Theology

9:10

Respondent:

Daniel Patte, Vanderbilt University

9:30

Discussion

Theme: *Discussion of Jesus, Symbol-Maker of the Kingdom by
Bernard Brandon Scott*

Panelists:

10:00

John R. Donahue, Jesuit School of Theology, Berkeley

10:20

Gary Phillips, College of the Holy Cross

10:40

Respondent:

Bernard Brandon Scott, St. Meinrad School of Theology

11:00

Discussion

S111

**BIBLICAL HISTORY
AND ARCHAEOLOGY**

8:30-12:00

LASALLE 5

J. Maxwell Miller, Candler School of Theology, Emory
University, Presiding

8:30

Gary Anderson, Harvard University
*Beersheba and the Patriarchs: An Archaeological
Reconstruction Reconsidered*

9:00

James K. Hoffmeier, Wheaton College
*The "Arm" of God Versus the "Arm" of Pharaoh in the
Exodus Narrative*

9:30

Gerald L. Mattingly, Johnson Bible College
Late Bronze Age Moab and the Exodus/Conquest

10:00

Diana Edelman, University of Chicago
The "Ashurites" of Eshbaal's State (2 Samuel 2:9)

10:30

Saul M. Olyan, Harvard University
*The Reform Cult of Jeroboam and the Asherah of
Samaria*

11:00

John W. Betlyon, Smith College
*The Provincial Government of Persian Period Judea and
the Yehud Coins*

11:30

Discussion

Tuesday
Morning
December 11



**A109 THEOLOGY AND
RELIGIOUS REFLECTION: SECTION**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 18

Denise Carmody, Wichita State University, Presiding
Theme: *Critical Responses to Rosemary Radford Ruether's Presentation*

Panel:

Sallie McFague, Vanderbilt University
Edward Braxton, Calvert House, University of Chicago
George Lindbeck, Yale University

The panel's presentations will comprise the first hour of the session, with an hour and a half remaining for open discussion.

**A110 AFRO-AMERICAN
RELIGIOUS HISTORY: GROUP**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 6

James M. Washington, Union Theological Seminary, New York, Presiding

Theme: *The Black Church and the Reconstruction of Southern Culture After the Civil War*

Jualynne E. Dodson, Union Theological Seminary, New York
Feminism Among Southern African Methodist Episcopal Church Women, 1865-1900

Katharine L. Dvorak, Franklin and Marshall College
"Ride On, King Jesus!": Religious Motivations in the Post-Civil War South

Milton C. Sernett, Syracuse University
"On Liberty's Ground": The Transformation of the Religious Landscape Among Tennesseans, 1860-1890

**A111 CURRENTS IN CONTEMPORARY
CHRISTOLOGY: GROUP**

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 7

Terence J. Martin, St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, Presiding

Theme: *Philosophical Resources for Contemporary Christology*

Panel:

Rolf Ahlers, Russell Sage College
Hegel's Theological Atheism

Lewis Ford, Old Dominion University
Christ as the Transformation of God by Jesus

William C. Placher, Wabash College
Process, Liberation, and the Work of Christ

Hans Schwartz, University of Regensburg
The Tensions Between Historical Contingency and Universality in Recent Process Christologies

Joseph Prabhu, California State University, Los Angeles
Hegel's Christology: Mediation Between Left and Right Hegelians

This will be a discussion of papers published in the Christology Newsletter. You may write Charles A. Wilson at St. Olaf's College in Northfield, MN, for copies.

**A112 EVANGELICAL THEOLOGY:
GROUP**

9:00-11:30 BURNHAM 1

Donald W. Dayton, Northern Baptist Theological Seminary, Presiding

Theme: *Ecumenism and the Evangelical Theological Traditions (Retrospective-Pro prospective)*

Panel:

Cecil M. Robeck, Jr., Fuller Theological Seminary
From the Perspective of the Society for Pentacostal Studies

David Cubie, Mount Vernon Nazarene College
From the Perspective of the Wesleyan Theological Society

Richard Pierard, Indiana State University
From the Perspective of the Evangelical Theological Society

Respondents:

Jeffrey Gros, Director of the Commission of Faith and Order, National Council of the Churches of Christ

Krister Stendahl, Harvard Divinity School

A113 ESOTERICISM: CONSULTATION

9:00-11:30 LASALLE 1

James S. Cutsinger, University of South Carolina, Presiding

Theme: *Esoteric Anthropology*

John E. Collins, Wake Forest University
Esoteric Cognition and Neuroscientific Models of the Brain

Joscelyn Godwin, Colgate University
Magi, Masters, and Professors

Sheldon R. Isenberg, University of Florida, and
Gene R. Thursby, University of Florida

Evolutionary and Devolutionary Orientations in Esoteric Anthropology

Respondent:

Seyyed Hossein Nasr, George Washington University



Tuesday
Morning
December 11

**S112 ASOR SYMPOSIUM ON
KURBAN HOYUK: THE CHICAGO
TURKISH EUPHRATES SALVAGE PROJECT**

8:30-1:00 DEARBORN 3

Guillermo Algaze, University of Chicago, and
Bruce Verhaaren, University of Chicago, Presiding

8:30

Michael L. Ingraham, Towson State University
Introduction to Kurban Hoyuk and the Karababa

8:55

T. J. Wilkinson, Lincoln, U.K.
Kurban Hoyuk: The Archaeological and Landuse Survey

9:20

Michael L. Ingraham, Towson State University
*The Archaeological Stratigraphy of "Area A" at Kurban
Hoyuk: Results and Problems*

9:45

Bruce Verhaaren, University of Chicago
Area D: A Late Third Millennium Settlement

10:10

Guillermo Algaze, University of Chicago
*Kurban Hoyuk: The Chalcolithic-Early Bronze
Transition*

10:35

Recess

10:55

Mary Evins, University of Chicago
Kurban Hoyuk Ceramics: Archaeometric Analyses

11:20

Mary MacDonald, University of Western Ontario
A Study of Kurban Hoyuk Lithics

11:45

Naomi F. Miller, Washington University at St. Louis
Vegetation and Plant Use at Kurban Hoyuk

12:10

Gil Stein, University of Pennsylvania, and
Patricia Wattenmaker, University of Michigan
*Archaeological Perspectives on Pastoral Production in
the Karababa*

12:35

Leon Marfoe, University of Chicago
Summary

**S113 GRECO-ROMAN RELIGIONS
GROUP**

9:00-11:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 8

Stephen Benko, California State University, Fresno, Presiding

9:00

Peter Marshall, Zadok National Study Centre, Australia
Hybrids Not Gnostics in Corinth

9:40

C. Robert Phillips, III, Lehigh University
Did the Romans Have a Religion?

10:20

James D. Tabor, University of Notre Dame
*"First-Born Among Many Brothers . . .": A Pauline
Notion of Apotheosis?*

The papers in the above session are included in the *SBL 1984
Seminar Papers*.

S114 PAULINE EPISTLES SECTION

9:00-11:00 LASALLE 2

Robin Scroggs, Chicago Theological Seminary, Presiding

9:00

Steve Kraftchick, Candler School of Theology, Emory
University
*The Appeal to Ethos and Pathos in Galatians—6:1-10 as
an Example*

9:30

N. T. Wright, McGill University
The Seed and the Mediator in Galatians 3

10:00

William O. Walker, Jr., Trinity University
Evidences of Interpolation in the Pauline Letters

10:30

Mark Kiley, St. Jerome's College, Waterloo, Ontario
Paul's Financial Transactions on Behalf of the Mission

**S115 STUDY OF Q
CONSULTATION**

9:00-11:30 PARLOR G

James M. Robinson, Claremont Graduate School, Presiding
**Theme: Reconstruction of the Q Text: Q 3-4 (The Preaching
of John and the Temptation of Jesus)**

Harry Fleddermann, College of St. Thomas
*John and the Coming One (Matthew 3:11-12//Luke
3:16-17)*

Leif Vaage
Q 4

Included in the *SBL 1984 Seminar Papers* are the Work Sheets
prepared for use in this session and the papers by Harry
Fleddermann and Leif Vaage. Reconstructions of the Q text
will be circulated to the mailing list prior to the session by
Arland Jacobson, John Kloppenborg, Leif Vaage and Ronald
Worden.

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A114 RELIGIOUS STUDIES
IN THE NUCLEAR AGE: CONSULTATION

9:00-11:30



LASALLE 3

Ira Chernus, University of Colorado, Boulder, Presiding

Theme: *Understanding Nuclearism*

G. Clarke Chapman, Moravian College

Approaching Nuclearism as a Heresy

Walter Noyalis, Anna Maria College

Doing the Truth: Peacemaking as a Hopeful Activity

Daniel C. Noel, Vermont College

The Nuclear Horror and the Hounding of Nature:

Listening to Images from Religion, Literature, and

Jungian Psychology

Respondent:

Gordon Kaufman, Harvard Divinity School

A115 PROGRAM COMMITTEE

11:30-1:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 1

James B. Wiggins, Syracuse University, Presiding



Tuesday
Morning
December 11

S116 ARAMAIC STUDIES SECTION

9:00-11:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 11

E. G. Clarke, University of Toronto, Presiding

9:00

S. A. Kaufmann, Hebrew Union College, Cincinnati, and

W. S. Morrow, University of Toronto

*On Dating the Aramaic-Akkadian Bilingual Inscription
from Tell Fakhariyah*

9:30

P. E. Dion, University of Toronto

The New Stela Found at Sultaniye Köy near Dascyleion

10:00

M. J. Bernstein, Yeshiva University, New York

*Oaths and Vows in the Targumim: Semantics and
Exegesis*

10:30

B. Grossfeld, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

*The Derivative Meaning of the Particle Beth in
Compound Constructions throughout the Targums*

Respondent:

W. E. Aufrecht, University of Lethbridge, Alberta

**S117 ASOR 1984 ABILA
WORKSHOP**

9:00-12:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 4

W. Harold Mare, Covenant Theological Seminary, Presiding

Participants:

Michael J. Fuller, Washington University

John J. Davis

Horace Hummel

Reuben G. Bullard

Neathery Batsell-Fuller

**S118 JEWISH AND EARLY
CHRISTIAN LITURGY GROUP**

9:00-12:00 PARLOR E

Lawrence E. Frizzell, Seton Hall University, Presiding

Theme: *Studies in Gospels, Paul and Jewish Tradition*

9:00

Asher Finkel, Seton Hall University

*The Meaning and Use of Jesus' Prayer in Matthew and
in Luke*

9:30

Steven Scherrer, Maryknoll School of Theology

*Matthew's View of the Psalmic 'anawim as Reflected in
the Beatitudes*

10:00

Gerald S. Sloyan, Temple University

*Jewish Ritual of the First Century C.E. and Sacramental
Behavior*

10:30

Lawrence E. Frizzell, Seton Hall University

The Curse in St. Paul

11:00

Tzvee Zahavy, University of Minnesota

Rabbinic Prayer in the Time of Early Christianity

11:30

Discussion

**S119 SOCIAL ROLES OF
PROPHECY IN ISRAEL GROUP**

9:00-12:00 BURNHAM 4

Gene M. Tucker, Candler School of Theology, Emory
University, Presiding

9:00

Frank S. Frick, Albion College

Socio-economics, Archaeology, and the Eighth Century

10:00

John Andrew Dearman, Austin Presbyterian Theological
Seminary

Prophecy, Property, and Politics

Discussion

11:00

Theme: *A Critical Appraisal of M. Silver's Prophets and
Markets*

Brian Kovacs, Phillips University

W. Boyd Barrick, Ohio Northern University

Some of the papers in the above session are included in the
SBL 1984 Seminar Papers.

**S120 SOCIAL SCIENCES
AND NEW TESTAMENT
INTERPRETATION CONSULTATION**

9:00-12:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 16

John Howard Schütz, University of North Carolina at Chapel
Hill, Moderator

Theme: *Pauline Churches in Social-Scientific Perspective*

9:00

Joe Edward Barnhart, North Texas State University

Pauline Christianity: A Sociocultural Shift

9:25

Robert Jewett, Garrett Evangelical Theological Seminary

The Thessalonian Church as a Millenarian Movement

9:45

Critical Respondents:

Karl Paul Donfried, Smith College

James M. Reece, St. John's University

10:05

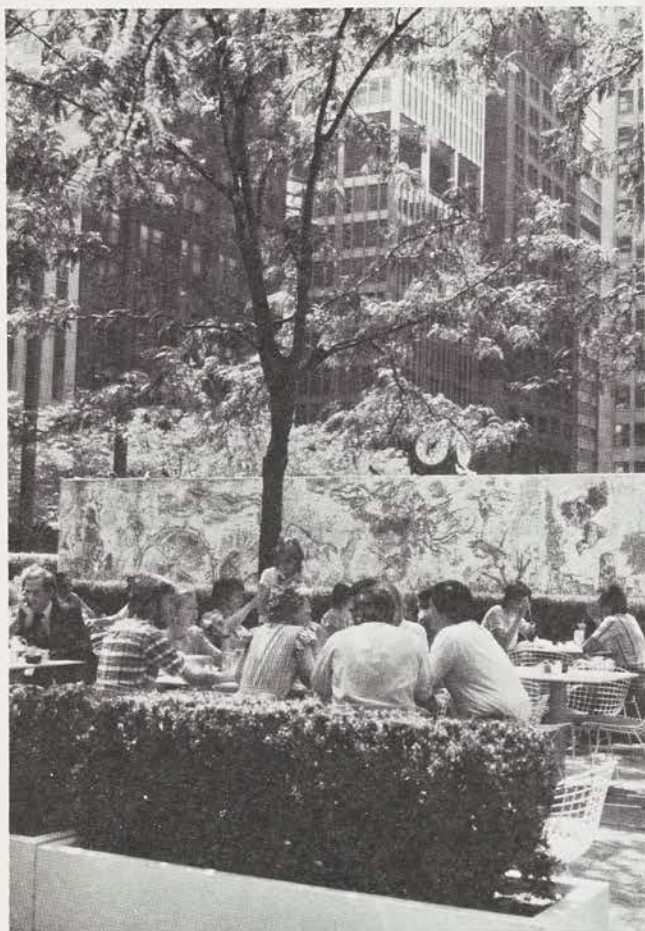
General Discussion

11:05

Summary of Major Issues

11:15

Discussion of the Status of the Consultation in 1985.



During Summer the Dearborn Street Cafe allows visitors to enjoy "The Four Seasons" mosaic by Marc Chagall, located in the First National Bank Plaza on Dearborn and Monroe Streets. The mosaic was presented to Chicago by Chagall in 1974. The piece, which took two years to create, contains 128 sections and depicts nature and its seasonal changes.

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The Water Tower, Chicago's most famous landmark, was one of the few buildings to survive the Great Chicago Fire of 1871. The Neo-Gothic Water Tower was designed by W. W. Boyington. Located on Michigan Avenue between Chicago Avenue and Pearson Street, it has been restored and now serves as a Visitor Information Center. The Center is open daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and across the street in the Water Tower Pumping Station, visitors can enjoy "Here's Chicago" a multi-media portrait of Chicago from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.

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Morning
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**S121 WOMEN IN THE
BIBLICAL WORLD SECTION**

9:00-12:00 CRYSTAL ROOM

9:00-10:30

Elisabeth Schüssler Fiorenza, Episcopal Divinity School,
Cambridge, Presiding

Theme: *Galatians 3:26-28 Reconsidered*

Panelists:

Dennis R. MacDonald, Iliff School of Theology
*On Using Galatians 3:26-28 to Reconstruct Pre-Pauline
Attitudes Toward Female/Male Relations*

Winsome Munro, Luther College, Decorah
Sexual Politics in Galatians

10:30-12:00

Catherine Kroeger, University of Minnesota, Presiding
10:30

Duane L. Christensen, American Baptist Seminary
of the West
*Hulda and the Men of Anathoth**

11:00

Esther Fuchs, University of Texas, Austin
Biblical Daughters and the Biblical Narrative

11:30

Tikva Frymer-Kensky, The University of Michigan
*Abigail and Delilah: Changing Aspects of the Fear of
Women*

*This paper is included in the *SBL 1984 Seminar Papers*.

**S122 ASOR PRESENTATIONS V.
ANTHROPOLOGY AND ANCIENT MATERIALS**

9:00-12:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 17

Stuart Swiny, Cyprus American Archaeological Research
Institute, Presiding

9:00

Patricia Paice, University of Toronto
*Stratigraphic Analysis of a Tell Site Using a Matrix
System*

9:20

Judith R. Weinstein, University of Pennsylvania
*Metallographic and Compositional Analyses of EC I-MC
III Copper and Bronze Objects from Vryi tou Barba,
Lapithos*

9:40

Lynne C. George, University of Toronto
*Metallurgy in Syria and Mesopotamia in the Second
Millennium B.C.*

10:00

Gillian R. Bentley, Smithsonian Institution and University of
Chicago
*Teeth and Tombs: Analyzing Social Structure from the
Mortuary Data at Bab edh-Dhra*

10:20

Recess

10:40

J. Kenneth Eakins, Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary
The Bedouin Cemetery at Tell el-Hesi

11:00

John R. Spencer, John Carroll University
Early Bronze Age Animal Figurines from Tell el-Hesi

11:20

A. John Gwinnett, State University of New York at Stony
Brook, and

Leonard Gorelick, State University of New York at Stony
Brook

*The Methods Used to Finish a Cast Glass Vessel from
Syria or Assyria, ca. 800-700 B.C.: An Experimental
Perspective*

11:40

Carol Meyer
Byzantine and Umayyad Glass from Jerash, Jordan

12:00

Joan M. Todd, San Jose State University
*Recognition and Analysis of Amber Artifacts in the
Ancient Near East*

S123 PROGRAM COMMITTEE

11:30-2:00 SBL EXECUTIVE SUITE

Kent Harold Richards, Iliff School of Theology, Presiding
Luncheon meeting

ADDITIONAL MEETINGS

Friday
Afternoon/Evening
December 7

PERSON, CULTURE, AND RELIGION

2:00-5:00

PARLOR B

Robert Moore, Chicago Theological Seminary, Presiding

Theme: *Symposium on Depression in the Academy*

Mary Jo Meadow, Mankato State University

Loss of Spirit, Loss of Ego: Depression, Helplessness and Transcendence

Respondents:

William E. Johnston

Gwen Laurie Wright

Stephen C. Simmer

8:00-10:00

PARLOR B

William Johnson Everett, Saint Francis Seminary

OIKOS Workshop on Family, Church and Work

Friday
Evening
December 7

THE NORTH AMERICAN PAUL TILLICH SOCIETY

8:00-10:00

WABASH PARLOR

Seminar

Roy D. Morrison II, Wesley Theological Seminary, Presiding

Theme: *Paul Tillich: The Chicago Years*

Panelists:

Jerald Brauer, University of Chicago Divinity School

Langdon Gilkey, University of Chicago Divinity School

Saturday
Morning
December 8

NATIONAL COUNCIL ON RELIGION AND PUBLIC EDUCATION

8:30-12:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 11

Annual Meeting

COUNCIL ON GRADUATE STUDIES IN RELIGION

9:00-11:30

PARLOR E

Business meeting

INSTITUTE FOR BIBLICAL RESEARCH

9:00-12:00

PARLOR H

9:00

Report from the Chair: Edwin Yamauchi, Miami University

The Tyndale Project on Miracles: Diseases, Demons, and Exorcisms

10:15

Break with coffee and doughnuts

10:30

Invited lecturer: Margaret Howen, Western Kentucky University

Biblical Narrative in Archaeological Perspective

THE NORTH AMERICAN PAUL TILLICH SOCIETY

9:00-12:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 7

Seminar

Theo Junker, Chairperson of the French Paul Tillich Society

Bert Hummel, former member of the German Paul Tillich Society

ADDITIONAL MEETINGS

Saturday Morning December 8

PERSON, CULTURE AND RELIGION

9:00-12:00

PARLOR B

9:00-10:30

Aarne Sirala, Wilfrid Laurier University, Presiding

David Barnard, Institute for the Medical Humanities,

University of Texas

*Cooperative Functions of Psychology and Religion:
Methodology for a Small Planet*

Guy B. Hammond, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State
University

The Recovery of Conscience

Stuart Charme, Rutgers University

*A Ticket to Ride: Reflections on Bourgeois Civility,
Jewish Marginality, and Existential Authenticity*

10:30-11:30

David H. Fisher, George Williams College, Presiding

Theme: *Work in Progress*

POLANYI SOCIETY

9:00-12:00

PARLOR A

Annual meeting

RELIGIOUS STUDIES REVIEW

9:00-12:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 1

Editorial Board meeting

SOCIETY FOR THE PHILOSOPHY OF CREATIVITY

9:00-12:00

PARLOR F

Annual meeting

Sunday Morning December 9

THE NORTH AMERICAN PAUL TILlich SOCIETY

11:30-1:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 5

Business meeting

Ronald Stone, President

Roy D. Morrison II, Vice President

John J. Carey, Secretary-Treasurer

Sunday Evening December 9

MOVIE: WISE BLOOD

9:30

ADAMS ROOM

George Garrelts, Mercyhurst College, Presiding

Monday Morning December 10

COLLEGE THEOLOGY SOCIETY

11:30-2:30

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 3

Board of Directors meeting

INTERNATIONAL BONHOEFFER SOCIETY, ENGLISH SECTION

11:30-1:00

PARLOR D

General Business meeting

Clifford J. Green, Hartford Seminary, President

F. Burton Nelson, North Park Theological Seminary,
Vice-President

Geffrey B. Kelly, La Salle College, Secretary

J. Patrick Kelley, Lynchburg College, Treasurer

Tuesday Afternoon December 11

QUARTERLY REVIEW

3:30

PARLOR C

Editorial Board

FOOD AND BEVERAGE FUNCTIONS

BREAKFASTS

Saturday
Morning
December 8

**THE NORTH AMERICAN
PAUL TILlich SOCIETY**

7:30-8:30

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 5

Annual breakfast meeting of the Board of Directors.

Sunday
Morning
December 9

EMORY UNIVERSITY

7:30

PARLOR F

Breakfast. Please write Professor Max Miller, 202 Bishops Hall, Emory University, Atlanta, GA 30322 for reservations by November 16, 1984.

**INSTITUTE OF ECUMENICAL RESEARCH,
COLLEGEVILLE, MINNESOTA**

7:30

PARLOR H

Alumnae Breakfast

Monday
Morning
December 10

FULLER THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

7:00-8:30

LASALLE 5

Breakfast

CURRENTS IN CONTEMPORARY CHRISTOLOGY

7:00-9:00

PARLOR D

Breakfast

TRINITY SEMINARY

7:00-9:00

CRYSTAL ROOM

Breakfast

NINETEENTH-CENTURY THEOLOGY

7:00-9:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 11

Breakfast and business meeting.

**LUTHERAN PROFESSORS OF THEOLOGY
AND GRADUATE STUDENTS**

7:30-9:00

WABASH PARLOR

Breakfast conference.

AMERICAN SCHOOLS OF ORIENTAL RESEARCH

8:00-9:30

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 17

Breakfast. Ticket admission. Contact ASOR, 4243 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104.

Tuesday
Morning
December 11

**JOINT Ph.D. PROGRAM,
NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY /
GARRETT EVANGELICAL THEOLOGICAL
SEMINARY**

7:00-9:00

PARLOR A

Breakfast

FOOD AND BEVERAGE FUNCTIONS

LUNCHEONS

Saturday
Afternoon
December 8

**COUNCIL ON GRADUATE STUDIES
IN RELIGION**

11:30-1:00

Annual Meeting and Luncheon

PARLOR G

Sunday
Afternoon
December 9

**INSTITUTE FOR ANTIQUITY
AND CHRISTIANITY**

12:00-2:00

Luncheon

PARLOR F

Monday
Afternoon
December 10

UMC-NEH CONSULTATION

11:30-2:15

Luncheon

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 11

**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BAPTIST
PROFESSORS OF RELIGION**

11:30-1:30

Annual meeting and luncheon.

CRYSTAL ROOM

**UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY,
NEW YORK CITY**

12:00-1:30

Alumni/ae and friends luncheon

CLARK 5

RELIGIOUS STUDIES REVIEW

12:15-2:00

Luncheon meeting of Advisory Committee

BURNHAM 2

**HEBREW UNION COLLEGE-JEWISH INSTITUTE
OF RELIGION**

12:30

Annual graduate school alumni luncheon.

PARLOR A

FOOD AND BEVERAGE FUNCTIONS

DINNERS

Friday
Evening
December 7

INSTITUTE FOR BIBLICAL RESEARCH

7:00

PARLOR H

Banquet

8:30

Annual IBR Lecture: Carl Armerding, Regent College
Old Testament Criticism and Evangelical Theology

Monday
Evening
December 10

RESTORATION QUARTERLY

6:15-8:00

PARLOR H

Annual Dinner

PRINCETON SEMINARY ALUMNI/AE

6:15-8:30

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 18

Dinner

Sunday
Evening
December 9

AAR 75th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION BANQUET

7:30-9:30

RED LACQUER ROOM

All are welcome. Dinner by reservation only. Reservations may be made with registration for the Annual Meeting. A form is provided in the front of this program.

RECEPTIONS

Saturday Evening December 8

AAR/SBL/SP ASSOCIATES

6:30-7:30 GRAND BALLROOM
General reception. All registered participants welcome.

NINETEENTH CENTURY THEOLOGY WORKING GROUP

9:00-11:00 NINETEENTH CENTURY
THEOLOGY SUITE
Social hour.

TRUSTEES OF THE AMERICAN SCHOOLS OF ORIENTAL RESEARCH

9:30-11:00 PARLOR F
Reception

Sunday Evening December 9

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO DIVINITY SCHOOL

4:00-6:00 ON CAMPUS AT UNIVERSITY
OF CHICAGO DIVINITY SCHOOL
Alumni/ae Reception. Transportation to be provided.

MEMBERS OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)

5:00-8:00 PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
(USA) SUITE
Reception for members and faculty of related institutions.

UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME

5:30-7:00 UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME SUITE
Department of Theology reception

Sunday Evening December 9

CHICAGO CLUSTER OF THEOLOGICAL SCHOOLS

6:15-7:30 PARLOR B
Reception

SOCIETY FOR VALUES IN HIGHER EDUCATION

9:00-11:30 SOCIETY FOR VALUES
IN HIGHER EDUCATION SUITE
Reception for Fellows

X BOSTON THEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE

9:30-11:00 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 6
Reception

HARTFORD SEMINARY

9:30 PRIVATE DINING ROOM 9
Reception in honor of its 150th Anniversary, alumni and friends welcome.

X HARVARD DIVINITY SCHOOL

9:30-11:00 WABASH PARLOR
Reception

SANDMEL RECEPTION

9:30-10:30 SBL EXECUTIVE SUITE
All Annual Meeting participants are invited. Admission will be by purchase of the newly published volume in honor of Sandmel, *Nourished with Peace: Studies in Hellenistic Judaism in Memory of Samuel Sandmel*, edited by Frederick E. Greenspahn (Scholars Press), at the special price of \$15.00.

TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

9:30-11:00 TEXAS CHRISTIAN
UNIVERSITY SUITE
Informal reception in honor of Dr. David Grant on the publication of his book, *God the Center of Value: Value Theory in the Theology of H. Richard Niebuhr*.

RECEPTIONS

Monday
Evening
December 10

THE ASSOCIATION FOR CASE TEACHING

6:00

ASSOCIATION FOR CASE
TEACHING SUITE

Reception and Annual Meeting

VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY

6:00

VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY SUITE

Reception

TANTUR ALUMNAE/I

6:15-8:00

PRIVATE DINING ROOM 16

Lecture followed by reception.

William Klassen, Dean of Interfaith Academy of Peace,
Ecumenical Institute for Theological Research, Tantur.
God of Peace as a Biblical Designation

ASOR MEMBERS' RECEPTION

7:00-10:00

ORIENTAL INSTITUTE,
UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

Guided tour of Oriental Institute Museum. Buses depart
Palmer House Hotel for Oriental Institute at 6:30 p.m.
Participation by ticket purchased in advance from the ASOR
Office, 4243 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104. Also open
to all AAR/SBL Annual Meeting registrants.

WESTMINSTER PRESS

7:00-9:30

WESTMINSTER PRESS SUITE

Reception

DUKE UNIVERSITY

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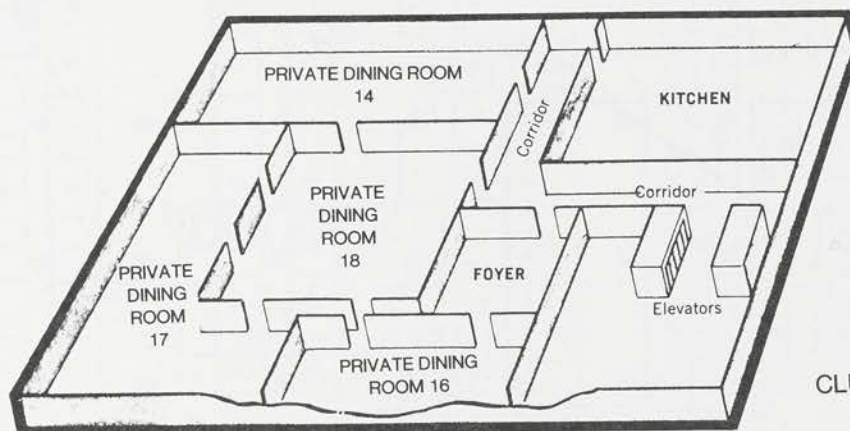
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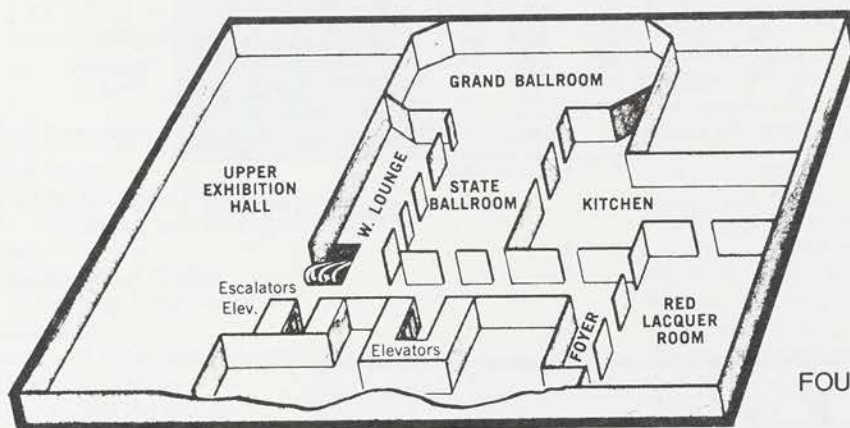
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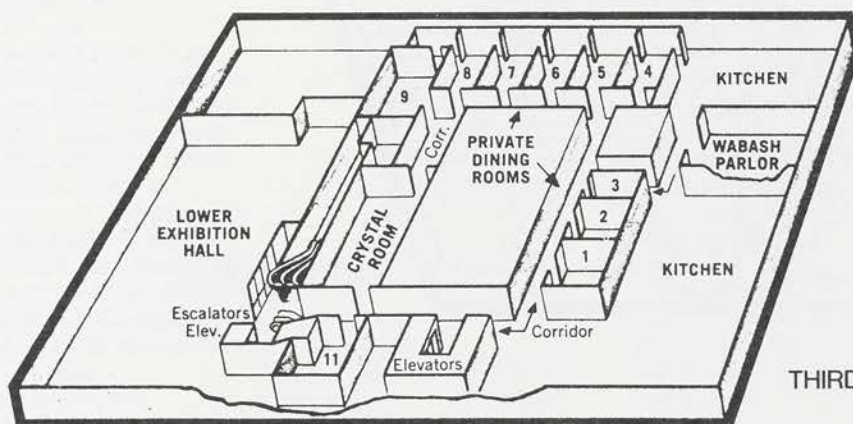
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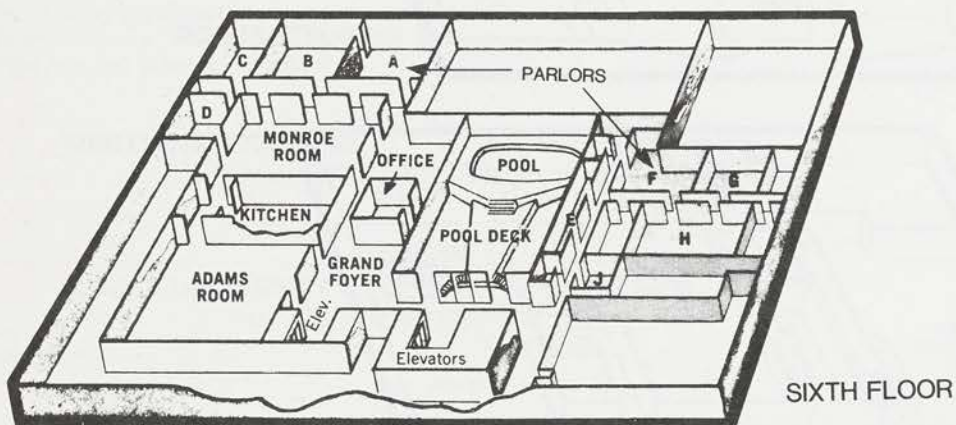
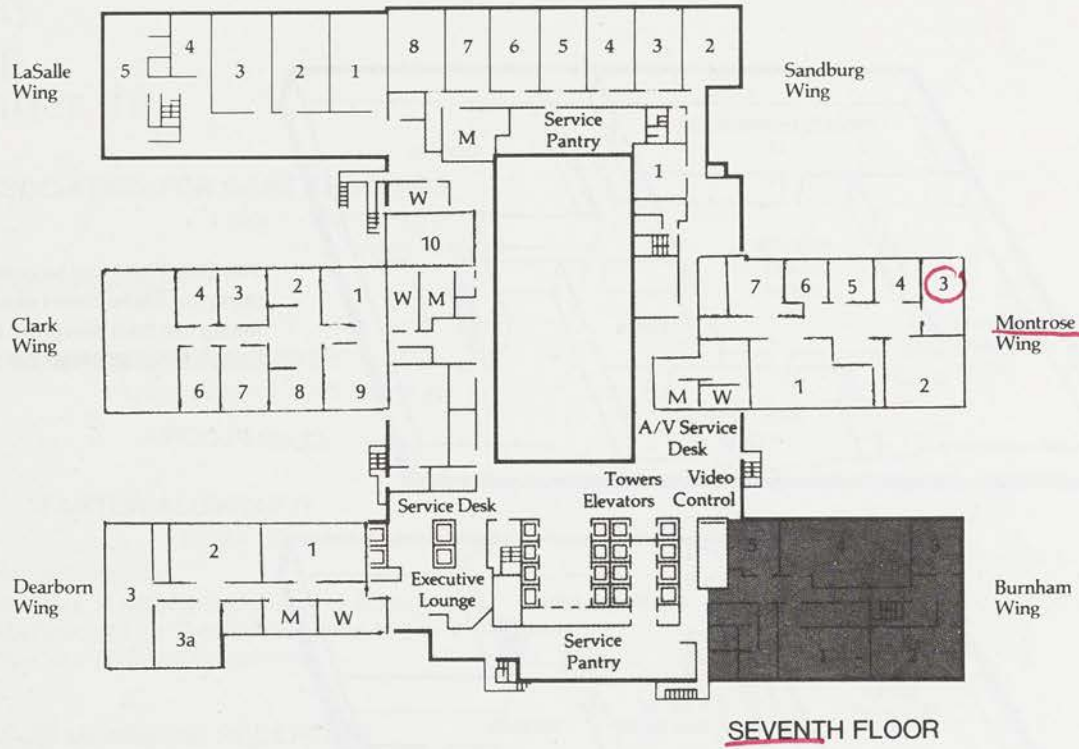


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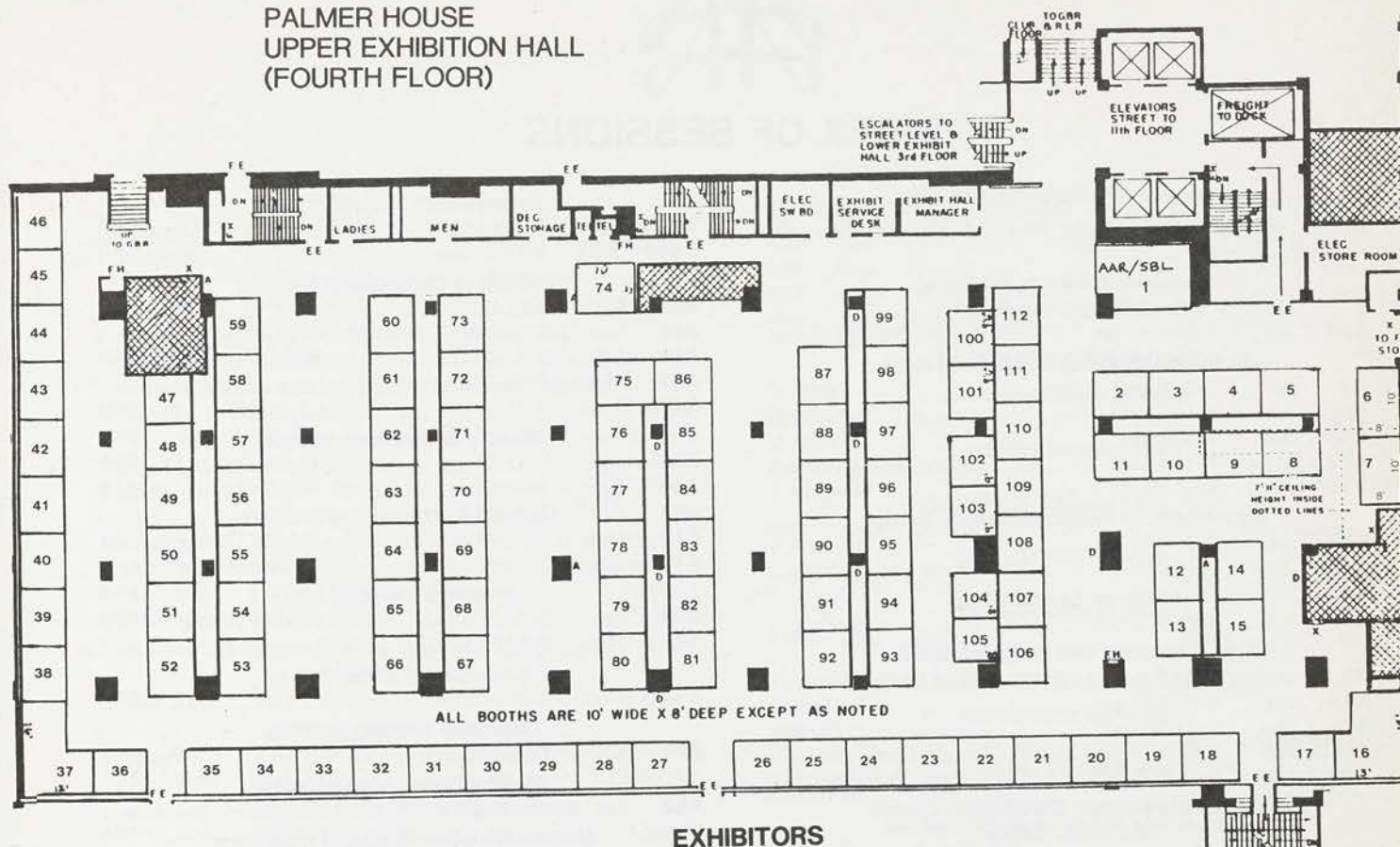


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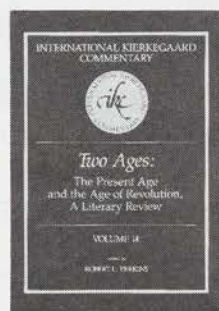


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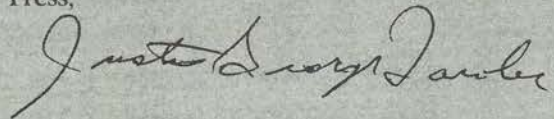
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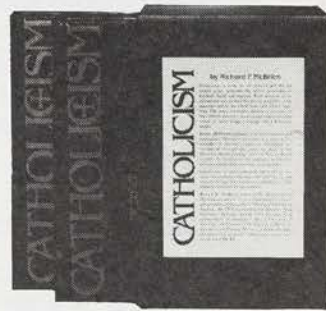
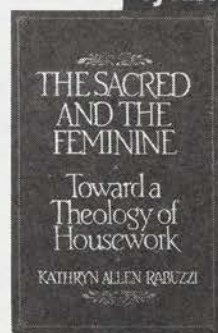
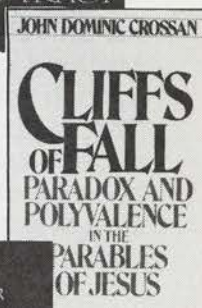
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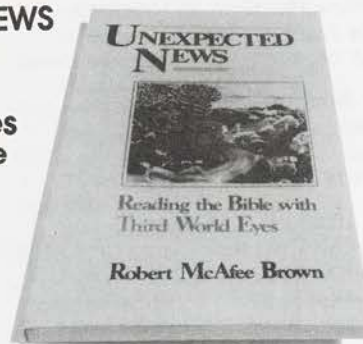
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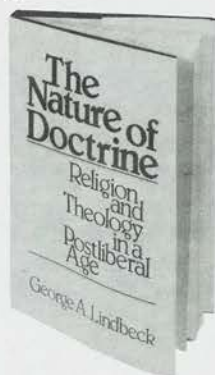
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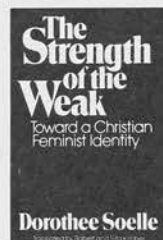


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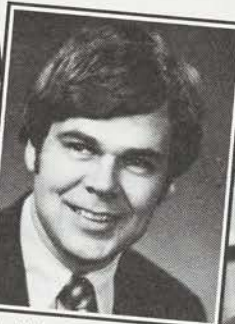
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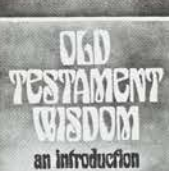
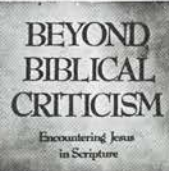
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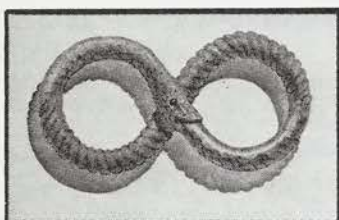
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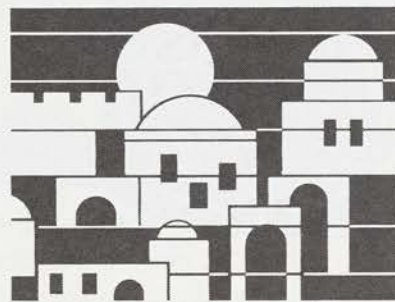
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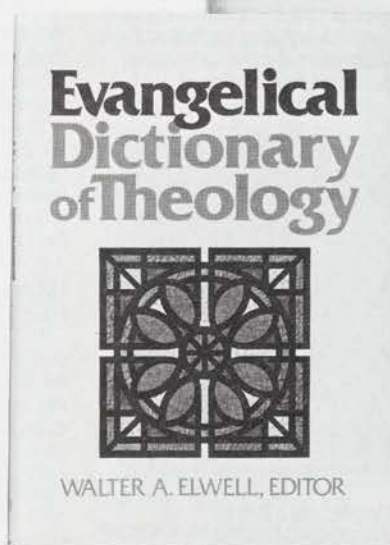
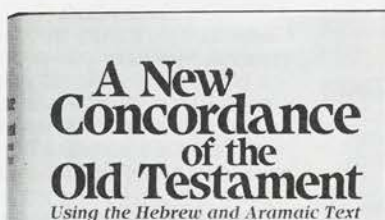
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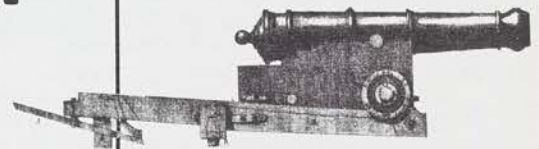
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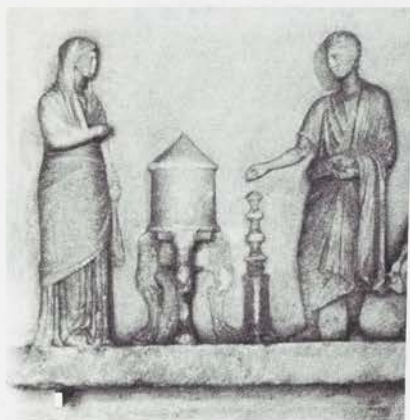
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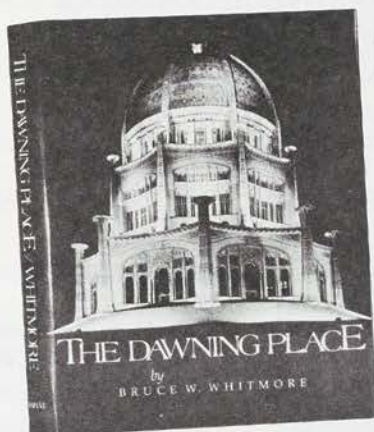
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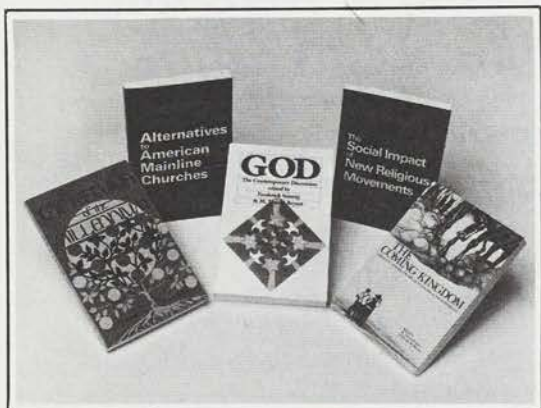
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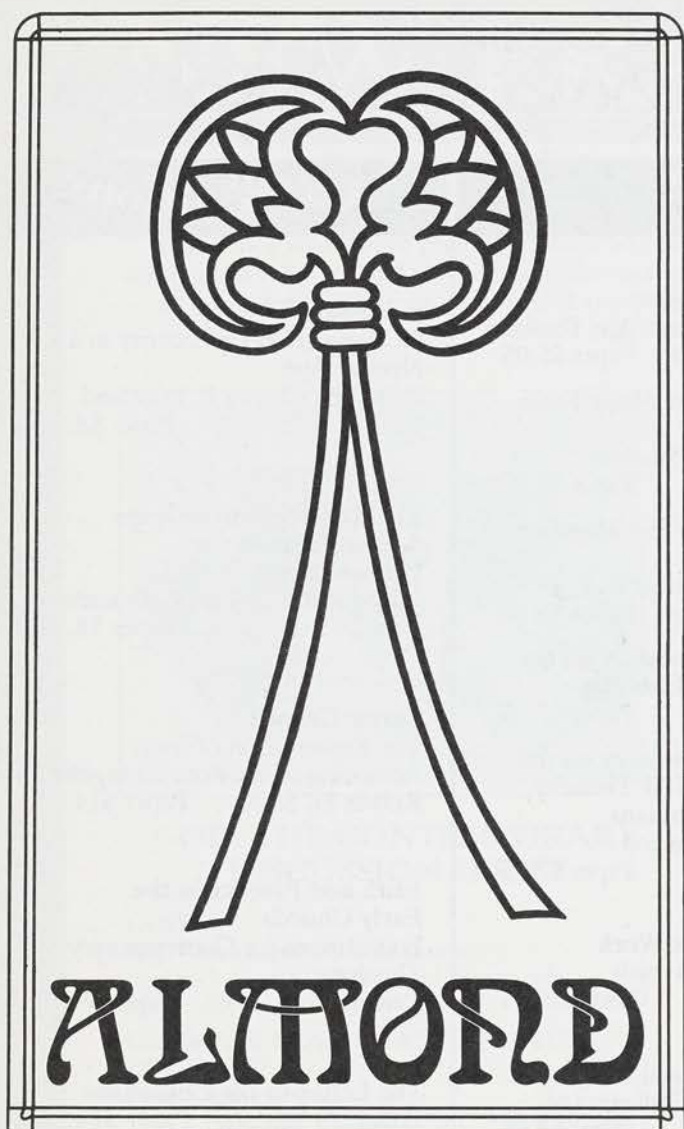
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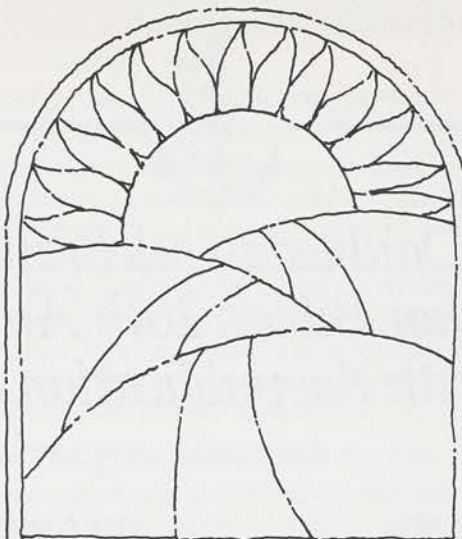
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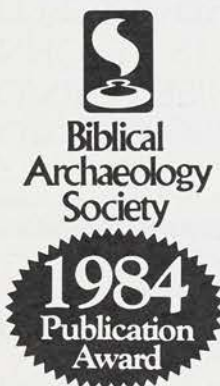
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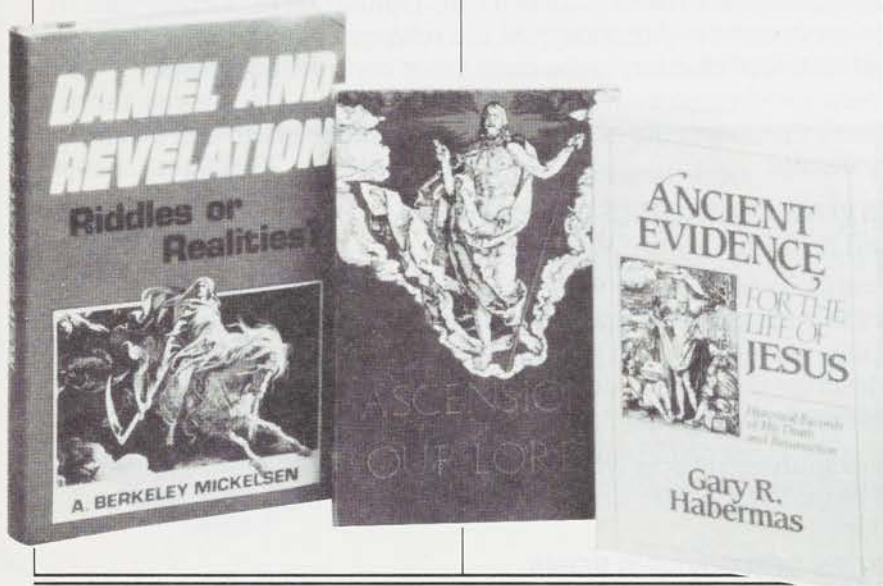
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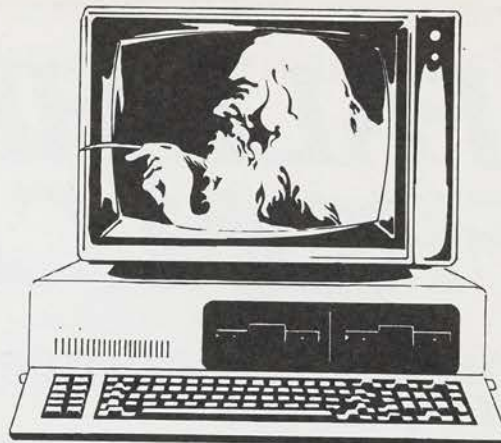
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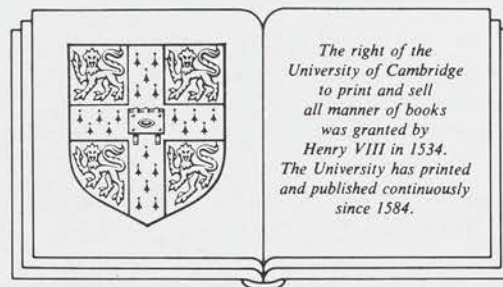
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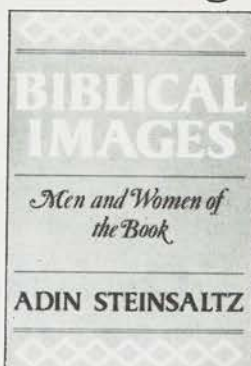
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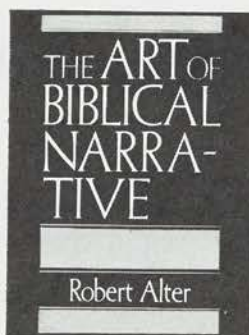


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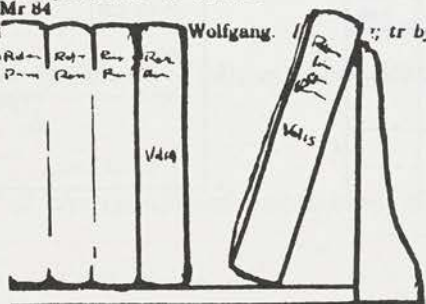
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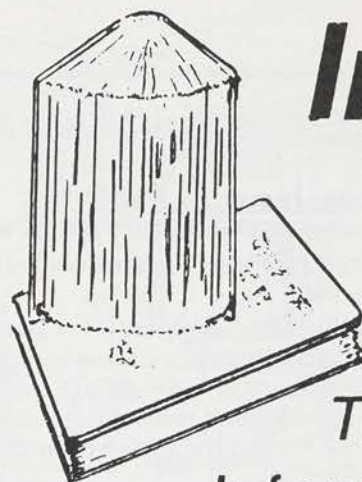
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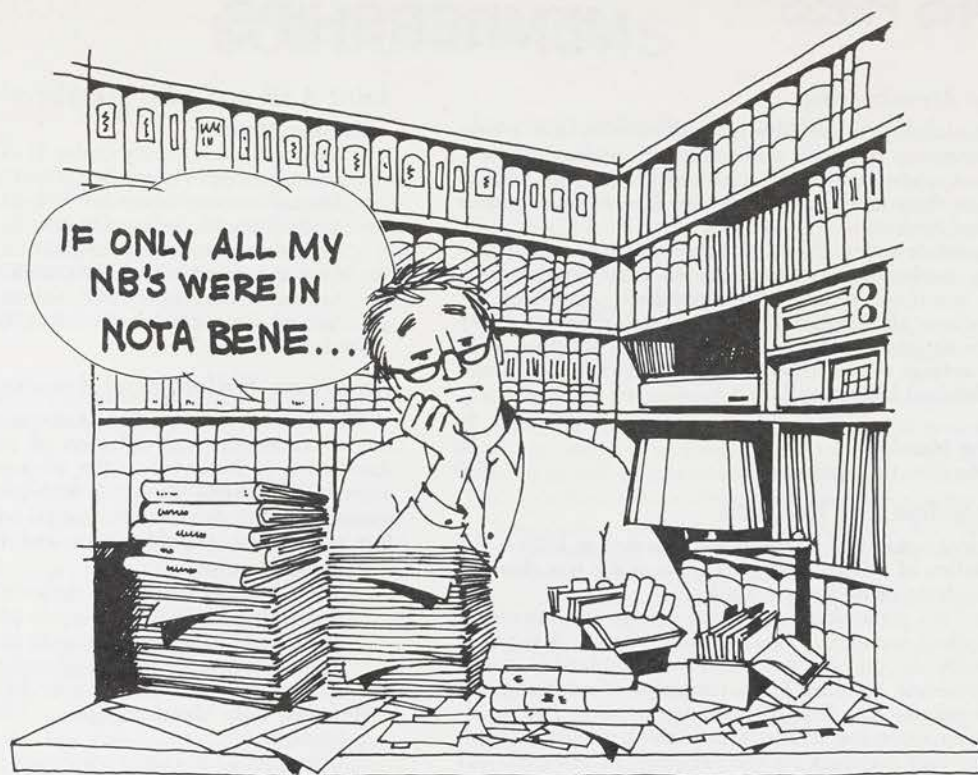
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