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*Are Souls Real?* Harper Collins

This anthology of new critical essays written by experts in their fields, in honor of the late Victor Stenger, examines Christianity using established scientific criteria. Where science specifically touches upon the claims of Christianity the authors seek to show those claims lack the required evidence. The result is that

Christianity is not a sufficiently evidenced religion. In his New York Times bestseller, *God: The Failed Hypothesis*, physicist Victor Stenger argued that claims of religion should be subject to the same standards of scientific rigor as any other truth claim. Taking this approach, the contributors argue that Christianity fails every known scientific test for truth. Stenger himself wrote a chapter for this volume before he died. In it he presents a brief history of ideas about cosmology, showing that Christianity's premodern understanding of the cosmos is

incompatible with current scientific evidence regarding the origin and structure of the cosmos. Other contributors examine a wide variety of topics, including biblical archaeology, Intelligent Design, the Shroud of Turin, free will, the existence of the soul, the efficacy of petitionary prayer, and more. This challenging work is indispensable reading for both skeptical readers and open-minded people of faith. *Science, Philosophy, and Jesus* Yale University Press  
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a dizzying pace over the past fifty years, with many innovations seeming like science fiction. Advancements in electricity, television, fiber optics, computers, the internet, and more have become a necessity for most of us. Looking back a bit further, we even put a man on the moon July 20, 1969, with much of the world watching Neil Armstrong step on its surface and proclaim, "That's one small step for man. One giant leap for mankind." In this book, the author examines the foundations of physics and its connection with faith. Topics include: - The Higgs Boson particle, also called "the particle of God." Proposed in 1964 by a British physicist of the same name, it forms the basis of the standard model of physics. - Similarities between the Christian religion and scientific teachings in light of new interdisciplinary scientific discoveries. - The relationship between biological processes and spiritual processes that give humans their unique position among all of creation's species. Join the author as he examines Christianity in the context of all we know about quantum physics, making the case that recent discoveries should only bolster our

faith in the divine.

*Jesus Christ - Quantum Physicist*  
Prometheus Books

*A theory of Life, The Universe and Everything* - by Revd Dr Caroline Wilkins, a physicist who had a Road to Damascus spiritual experience which caused her to become a Christian and a minister. The theory contains profound concepts about the nature and origins of Life and the Universe, explained in simple language that will appeal to scientists and non-scientists and Christians and non-Christians alike. Covering topics such as pre-life planning, post-life review, meaning and mission of Life, spiritual evolution and the Divine Covenant, 'Life, The Universe and Everything' explores the biggest questions of mankind.

*The Creator Revealed* Crossroad Publishing

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**Life, the Universe and Everything** Yale University Press

Even non-Christian scientists are attacking the traditional evolutionary theory still taught in many schools as fact. In 'Creation and Evolution' British physicist

Dr. Alan Hayward draws evidence solely from these non-Christian researchers to discredit gradual evolution and Darwin's mechanism of natural selection. Hayward also examines in detail young earth theories, flood geology, and geological testimony to an ancient earth. In the end he suggests a surprising interpretation of Genesis that argues for both a historical Adam and creation over eons of time. Bowing neither to theistic evolution nor scientific creationism, Hayward writes from the perspective of a Christian physicist committed both to a high view of Scripture and to rigorous honesty with scientific data.

*Believing Is Seeing* Psychology Press  
 Albert Einstein taught that imagination is more important than knowledge, probably having come to this conclusion through a realization that almost all science represents belief--faith--as opposed to knowledge. It should come as no surprise, then, that science--especially modern physics with its theories of relativity and quantum mechanics--has revolutionized thinking about the likelihood of the existence of God. In *The Physics and Philosophy of the Bible*, author and

physician James Frederick Ivey explains how science, particularly quantum mechanics and relativity, aided by Plato's philosophy and the history of Jewish people, can be utilized in order to virtually prove that God exists, that he is unique, and that he is the biblical deity. Ultimately an exploration of Christian philosophy and apologetics--including discussions of Christian history, secular retorts, the intersection of science and faith, and the relationship between physics and ultimate truth--*The Physics and Philosophy of the Bible* demonstrates that apologists are very close to the non-necessity of having to deal with whether God exists or not. From Plato's earliest philosophical insights to the most groundbreaking discoveries in contemporary physics, we can find the fingerprints of God that prove He is with us. And, God seeks us just as we seek him, for he desires cognitive individuals with whom he can enjoy mutual love and intimacy.

*Christianity and Quantum Physics*  
 Prometheus Books

It makes sense that the biblical God, who is both good and goodness as such, would necessarily want his human progeny to

know him firsthand, and he would also want to draw closer to them by walking a mile in their shoes, providing for their eternal security and joy, and enjoying mutual love with them. So how does this good God make himself known to us and how can we draw closer to him? In *Science, Philosophy, and Jesus*, author and physician James Frederick Ivey draws on his extensive formal and continuing education, and a fifty-year medical practice heavy in counseling, to provide a work of Christian apologetics written in conjunction with unbounded imagination but regulated by logical reasoning. As the second volume in Dr. Ivey's book series, *The Inevitable Truth*, this insightful apologetic explores the person of Christ, the incarnation of the true God who left his realm of ultimate reality to enter illusory space-time. Dr. Ivey shows that the message of Jesus, supported by science and Plato, can provide humanity with a new paradigm that will replace our selfishness with selfless love and giving. We can know that God exists, that he is unique, and that he is indeed the biblical deity, and by seeking him and his Son further, we can draw closer to him in love

and in faith, all the while becoming transformed into new persons in Christ.

**Man and the Universe** Princeton University Press

Involved for over thirty years in the politics of Iraq, Ali A. Allawi was a long-time opposition leader against the Baathist regime. In the post-Saddam years, he has held important government positions and participated in crucial national decisions and events. In this book, the former Minister of Defence and Finance draws on his unique personal experience, extensive relationships with members of the main political groups and parties in Iraq, and deep understanding of the history and society of his country to answer the baffling questions that persist about its current crises. What really led the United States to invade Iraq, and why have events failed to unfold as planned? The Occupation of Iraq examines what the U.S. did and didn't know at the time of the invasion, the reasons for the confused and contradictory policies that were enacted, and the emergence of the Iraqi political class during the difficult transition process. The book tracks the growth of the insurgency and illuminates the complex

relationships among Sunnis, Shia, and Kurds. Bringing the discussion forward to the reconfiguration of political forces in 2006, Allawi provides in these pages the clearest view to date of the modern history of Iraq and the invasion that changed its course in unpredicted ways.

*Faith and Physics* Createspace Independent Publishing Platform

Is it possible to think like a scientist and yet have the faith of a Christian? Although many Westerners might say no, there are also many critically minded individuals who entertain what John Polkinghorne calls a "wistful wariness" toward religion--they feel unable to accept religion on rational grounds yet cannot dismiss it completely. Polkinghorne, both a particle physicist and Anglican priest, here explores just what rational grounds there could be for Christian beliefs, maintaining that the quest for motivated understanding is a concern shared by scientists and religious thinkers alike. Anyone who assumes that religion is based on unquestioning certainties, or that it need not take into account empirical knowledge, will be challenged by Polkinghorne's bottom-up examination of Christian beliefs about

events ranging from creation to the resurrection. The author organizes his inquiry around the Nicene Creed, an early statement that continues to summarize Christian beliefs. He applies to each of its tenets the question, "What is the evidence that makes you think this might be true?" The evidence Polkinghorne weighs includes the Hebrew and Christian scriptures--their historical contexts and the possible motivations for their having been written--scientific theories, and human self-consciousness as revealed in literary, philosophical, and psychological works. He begins with the words, "We believe," and presents understandings of the nature of humanity, showing, for example, that Cartesian theory, evolution, and natural selection do not tell the entire story of what humans are about, especially in light of many sources that attest to our spirituality. Moving through the Creed, Polkinghorne considers the concept of divinity and God as creator in discussions that cover the Theory of Everything, the Big Bang Theory, and the possibility of divine presence within reality so that God is not simply an outside observer. Chapters on Jesus analyze the

different ways events are described in the Gospels and the way motivation for belief is conveyed--for example, how do these writings explain why a young man killed in public disgrace could inspire a following, when other major world religious leaders lived to become highly revered elders in their communities? "Faith seeking understanding" is, according to Polkinghorne, like the scientific quest. Both are journeys of intellectual discovery in which those who survey experience from an initially chosen point of view must be open to correction in the light of further experience. "Religion," he writes, "has long known that ultimately every human image of God proves to be an inadequate idol." *The Faith of a Physicist*, based on the prestigious 1993 Gifford Lectures, delivers a powerful message to scientists and theologians, theists and atheists alike. Originally published in 1994. The Princeton Legacy Library uses the latest print-on-demand technology to again make available previously out-of-print books from the distinguished backlist of Princeton University Press. These editions preserve the original texts of these important books while presenting them in

durable paperback and hardcover editions. The goal of the Princeton Legacy Library is to vastly increase access to the rich scholarly heritage found in the thousands of books published by Princeton University Press since its founding in 1905.

*Creation and Evolution* Theology and the Sciences

Light is the key to the deepest of mysteries, and the bridge that connects science and spirituality. When Christian faith is understood in terms of the scientific properties and behaviors of light, not only do perceived conflicts between science and spirituality disappear, but there exists a synergy between them that supports and enriches both. The key to understanding our place and purpose in the universe is the property of light known in physics as the "complementarity principle," in which light exists as waves until it is observed by humans, upon which it instantly manifests as physical reality. This dual nature of light defines dual realities - the spiritual and physical realities. Visionaries and prophets throughout history and from widely diverse backgrounds, as well as many individuals who have had so-called near

death experiences, have consistently reported experiencing God as Light - Light that is qualitatively and quantitatively different from the light we ordinarily see. Furthermore, the "tunnel" often seen in the near death experience is the same phenomenon as the so-called "spiritual eye" or "gate of heaven" of the visionary experience. It's a phenomenon that was predicted by Einstein's theories 100 years ago. In addition, re-examining the biblical creation story in terms of the Light of Christ and the complementarity principle, it becomes clear that the "fall" of man from the presence of God was a quantum event in which his conscious awareness switched from God to the physical world. It also becomes clear that the first chapter of Genesis is about the creation of the universe, not about our planet. The apparent anachronisms in the Genesis story then disappear, details of the physical creation as distinct from the spiritual come into sharper focus, and the creation story is seen to be in complete harmony with modern science.

[The Physics and Philosophy of the Bible](#)  
Prometheus Books

In this systematic philosophical critique of

the major tenets of Christianity, Michael Martin examines the semantic and epistemological bases of religious claims and beliefs. Beginning with a comparison and evaluation of the Apostles' Creed, the Niceno-Chalcedonian Creed, and the Athanasian Creed, Martin discusses the principal theological, historical, and eschatological assumptions of Christianity. These include the historicity of Jesus, the Incarnation, the Second Coming, the Virgin Birth, the Resurrection, Salvation through faith in Jesus, and Jesus as a model of ethical behavior. Until now, an adequately convincing criticism of Christianity did not exist. Martin's use of historical evidence, textual analysis, and interpretations by philosophers and theologians provides the strongest case made to date against the rational justification of Christian doctrines.

*Belief in God in an Age of Science*  
InterVarsity Press

A considerable amount of public debate and media print has been devoted to the "war between science and religion." In his accessible and eminently readable new book, Stephen M. Barr demonstrates that what is really at war with religion is not science itself, but a philosophy called

scientific materialism. Modern Physics and Ancient Faith argues that the great discoveries of modern physics are more compatible with the central teachings of Christianity and Judaism about God, the cosmos, and the human soul than with the atheistic viewpoint of scientific materialism. Scientific materialism grew out of scientific discoveries made from the time of Copernicus up to the beginning of the twentieth century. These discoveries led many thoughtful people to the conclusion that the universe has no cause or purpose, that the human race is an accidental by-product of blind material forces, and that the ultimate reality is matter itself. Barr contends that the revolutionary discoveries of the twentieth century run counter to this line of thought. He uses five of these discoveries—the Big Bang theory, unified field theories, anthropic coincidences, Gödel's Theorem in mathematics, and quantum theory—to cast serious doubt on the materialist's view of the world and to give greater credence to Judeo-Christian claims about God and the universe. Written in clear language, Barr's rigorous and fair text explains modern physics to general

readers without oversimplification. Using the insights of modern physics, he reveals that modern scientific discoveries and religious faith are deeply consonant. Anyone with an interest in science and religion will find *Modern Physics and Ancient Faith* invaluable.

### **Christianity in the Light of Science**

WestBow Press

"What happens when new scientific research meets traditional Christian doctrines? How does the big bang theory fit with Genesis 1:1? What does quantum mechanics have to do with the doctrines of predestination and the omniscience of God? How does the anthropic principle square with a biblical notion of a designed and purposeful universe? What are the implications of the doctrine of redemption in Jesus Christ for the search for extraterrestrial intelligence?" "Addressing these and other questions, John Jefferson Davis brings together a well-informed understanding of current scientific issues with Christian teaching. He demonstrates that the meeting of the frontiers of science with the frontiers of faith calls for a proper relationship with the God of the universe and a humility that acknowledges the

fundamental limits of human knowledge."-  
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 A highly respected physicist demonstrates  
 that the essential beliefs of Christianity are  
 wholly consistent with the laws of physics.  
 Frank Tipler takes an exciting new  
 approach to the age-old dispute about the  
 relationship between science and religion  
 in *The Physics of Christianity*. In reviewing  
 centuries of writings and discussions,  
 Tipler realized that in all the debate about  
 science versus religion, there was no  
 serious scientific research into central  
 Christian claims and beliefs. So Tipler  
 embarked on just such a scientific inquiry.  
*The Physics of Christianity* presents the  
 fascinating results of his pioneering study.  
 Tipler begins by outlining the basic  
 concepts of physics for the lay reader and  
 brings to light the underlying connections  
 between physics and theology. In a  
 compelling example, he illustrates how the  
 God depicted by Jews and Christians, the  
 Uncaused First Cause, is completely  
 consistent with the Cosmological

Singularity, an entity whose existence is  
 required by physical law. His discussion of  
 the scientific possibility of miracles  
 provides an impressive, credible scientific  
 foundation for many of Christianity's most  
 astonishing claims, including the Virgin  
 Birth, the Resurrection, and the  
 Incarnation. He even includes specific  
 outlines for practical experiments that can  
 help prove the validity of the "miracles" at  
 the heart of Christianity. Tipler's  
 thoroughly rational approach and fully  
 accessible style sets *The Physics of  
 Christianity* apart from other books dealing  
 with conflicts between science and  
 religion. It will appeal not only to Christian  
 readers, but also to anyone interested in  
 an issue that triggers heated and divisive  
 intellectual and cultural debates.  
Testing Scripture CreateSpace  
 In an age dominated by science many  
 traditional concepts are being reevaluated  
 in light of current knowledge about the  
 physical and biological world. Among the  
 many religious notions passed down from  
 generation to generation, belief in the soul  
 may be the most in need of  
 reconsideration. Despite its slightly  
 antiquated nuances and its fuzziness as a

coherent idea, people today still refer to  
 the soul quite frequently We often hear  
 such questions as: Can the soul leave the  
 body? Does the soul survive death? And if  
 so, do the souls of the departed  
 occasionally appear to the living? But,  
 given what we now know about the brain,  
 psychology, and body chemistry, the  
 skeptic may well ask, what meaning or  
 relevance can this medieval term possibly  
 have?Physicist Jerome W. Elbert takes up  
 this intriguing issue in this informative yet  
 accessible study. He begins by reviewing  
 the ancient origins of the soul concept,  
 looks at Christian beliefs and pagan  
 parallels, and then considers how the  
 advance of science has changed our  
 fundamental understanding of the brain  
 and consciousness. These new scientific  
 insights, he points out, inevitably affect  
 our traditional ideas about the soul.  
 Moreover, many contemporary dilemmas  
 have much to do with whether or not we  
 posit the existence of a soul-for example,  
 the question of free will and the debate  
 over abortion. Taking into consideration  
 the views of many recognized experts, he  
 moves to the inescapable conclusion that  
 we can account for the nature of life, the



mind, and the human decision-making process without any need for the now obsolete idea of a soul. Insightful and absorbing, *Are Souls Real?* is popular science writing at its best. Jerome W. Elbert, Ph.D. (Tacoma, WA), now a self-employed researcher and writer, worked for many years as a research professor of physics at the University of Utah.

**God: The Failed Hypothesis** Baker Books

Albert Einstein taught that imagination is more important than knowledge, probably having come to this conclusion through a realization that almost all science represents belief as opposed to knowledge. It should come as no surprise, then, that science especially modern physics with its theories of relativity and quantum mechanics has revolutionized thinking about the likelihood of the existence of God. In *The Physics and Philosophy of the Bible*, author and physician James Frederick Ivey explains how science, particularly quantum mechanics and relativity, aided by Plato's philosophy and the history of Jewish people, can be utilized in order to virtually prove that God exists, that he is unique,

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*Science, Creation and the Bible* Wipf and Stock Publishers

Why is it that science has consistently thrived wherever the Christian faith can be found? Why is it that so many great scientists - past and present - attribute their motivation and their discoveries, at least partially, to their Christian beliefs? Why are the age-old writings of the Bible so full of questions about natural phenomena? And, perhaps most

importantly of all, why is all this virtually unknown to the general public? Too often, it would seem, science has been presented to the outside world as a robotic, detached, unemotional enterprise. Too often, Christianity is dismissed as being an ancient superstition. In reality, neither is the case. Science is a deeply human activity, and Christianity is deeply reasonable. Perhaps this is why, from ancient times right up to today, many individuals have been profoundly committed to both - and have helped us to understand more and more about the extraordinary world that we live in. As authors Tom McLeish and David Hutchings examine the story of science, and look at the part that Christianity has played, they uncover a powerful underlying reason for doing science in the first place. In example after example, ranging from 4000 BC to the present day, they show that thinking with a Christian worldview has been intimately involved with, and sometimes even directly responsible for, some of the biggest leaps forward ever made. Ultimately, they portray a biblical God who loves Science - and a Science that truly needs God.

### *Quantum Physics and Theology*

InterVarsity Press

In this captivating book, one of the most highly regarded scientist-theologians of our time explores aspects of the interaction of science and theology. John Polkinghorne defends the place of theology in the university (it is part of the human search for truth) and discusses the role of revelation in religion (it is a record of experience and not the communication of unchallengeable propositions). Throughout his thought-provoking conversation, Polkinghorne speaks with an honesty and openness that derives from his many years of experience in scientific research. A central concern of Polkinghorne's collection of writings is to reconcile what science can say about the processes of the universe with theology's belief in a God active within creation. The

author examines two related concepts in depth. The first is the divine self-limitation involved in creation that leads to an important reappraisal of the traditional claim that God does not act as a cause among causes. The other is the nature of time and God's involvement with it, an issue that Polkinghorne shows can link metascience and theological understandings. In the final section of the book, the author reviews three centuries of the science and theology debate and assesses the work of major contemporary contributors to the discussion: Wolfhart Pannenberg, Thomas Torrance, and Paul Davies. He also considers why the science-theology discussion has for several centuries been a particular preoccupation of the English. /DIV/DIV  
*The Frontiers of Science & Faith* University of Notre Dame Press

Worthing describes the critique of traditional arguments for God's existence by physicists. He then examines three Christian doctrines in light of theoretical physics--God and creation out of nothing in relation to the Big Bang Theory; God and continuing creation in relation to field theory, Bell's theorem, providence, entropy, and theodicy; and God and the consummation of creation.

### **Return of the God Hypothesis**

HarperCollins

Physicist Richard Carlson and biblical scholar Tremper Longman address the long-standing problem of how to relate scientific description of the beginnings of the universe with the biblical creation passages found in Genesis. Experts in their respective fields, these two authors provide a way to resolve seeming conflicting descriptions.

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