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Disquiet Time: Rants And Reflections On The Good Book By The Skeptical, The Faithful, And A Few Scoundrels



Synopsis

An engaging and hilarious collection that encourages readers to tackle those strange, awkward, worrying, yet endlessly compelling passages of the Bible. The Bible is full of not-so-precious moments, from murder and mayhem, to sex and slavery. Now, an incredible cast of contributors tackles the parts of the Bible that most excite, frustrate, or comfort, like:

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Customer Reviews

A must read for anyone who has doubts about their faith. It won't remove your doubt, but it will help you to realize that you are not alone on your path. This is not a self-help book, it is a book of transparency. This book communicates diverse perspectives of the bible with humor and honesty.

I have not finished it. It was not as interesting as I expected.

This is a strong, thought-provoking collection of essays. My favorite part is how the writers deliver on the promise in the introduction, "not requiring an enemy in order to establish their identity as

persons of faith as they read and meditate on the Scriptures.â • This is rare stuff in faith-based writing, and it makes this book an absolute delightâ “one can read these essays and simply ponder the questions therein, without feeling drawn into an argument. One of my favorite essays was about the place of icons in worship. Iâ™ve not thought much about icons, and I appreciated the opportunity. If youâ™re looking for a book to entertain you and encourage your faith in unexpected ways, âœDisquiet Timeâ • is a great choice.

This is a devotional that raises as many questions as it answers. The broad, diverse set of contributors fearlessly challenge our prevailing notions about faith, the Bible, and what it means to be a follower of Jesus today. This book doesn't whitewash the troubling parts of our Holy Scriptures--it puts them under a microscope under big, bright lights. The end result is a refreshing and honest exploration of the Christian faith.

Oh boy -- where do I start? This is such a unique book that I can't compare it to anything I've ever read. It's funny, irreverent, on point, and each story takes you to a strange but contemplative place. You'll discover both things you have done or thought about but never admitted to, or things you have never even thought about but wish you did so you could have had more time to ponder them. I bought the book after reading a review and I'm so glad I did. It's not just entertaining, it's a kick in the butt and a growing experience all in one. Excellent!

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