
Book Briefs

Resources for Renewal, edited by George E. Worrell, Nashville: Broadman Press, 1975. 196 pp.

Pastors will want to add this to their renewal libraries. An anthology filled with materials on evangelism, lay involvement, the Lordship of Christ, Bible studies, illustrations and testimonies, this paperback can be a useful tool. One could wish for more substantive matter.

Donald E. Demaray
Granger E. and Anna A. Fisher Professor of Preaching

Conserve the Converts, by Charles "Chic" Shaver, Kansas City: Beacon Hill Press, 1976. 104 pp.

The Professor of Evangelism at Nazarene Theological Seminary gives the church in this small volume an excellent manual on how to follow-up new Christians. Though prepared as a training text in his own denomination, it offers the kind of practical help that would be useful to any church. The author's own personal ministry shines through the book which gives it an arresting warmth and authenticity.

Robert E. Coleman
S. E. McCreless Professor of Evangelism

Management Plus and *Success Without Succeeding*, by Richard Letoumeau, Zondervan Publishing House, 127 pp. 157 pp. \$1.75; \$2.95.

Both these books by the son of the well known Christian industrialist speak to the same concerns of Christian leadership as the above. They would be especially helpful for laymen and businessmen who struggle with being "Christian" in the midst of the current milieu in which they live and work.

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The New International Version Interlinear Greek-English New Testament. The Nestle Greek text with a literal English translation by Alfred

Marshall and a foreward by Canan J. B. Phillips. Grand Rapids: Zondervan Publishing House. 1027 pp. \$10.95.

The expanding acceptance of the NIV will encourage increased publication of tools for Biblical studies which relate to it. This new inter-linear is one such valuable tool.

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Saints in Sandals, by Maude De Joseph West, Grand Rapids: Baker Book House, 1975. 250 pp. \$6.95.

Examine this 250 page laymen's commentary in warm, personal, informative style as a possible guide for group Bible study on the Acts of the Apostles. Mrs. West, daughter of a Presbyterian minister, originally wrote these studies for her adult Sunday School class at the Fresno, California Westminster Presbyterian Church.

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Division in the Protestant House, by Dean R. Hoge, Philadelphia: The Westminster Press. 166 pp. \$3.95.

The conclusions of this study of the conflict between "private Protestantism" and "public Protestantism" in the history of The United Presbyterian Church U.S.A. are of interest to those who are concerned with the "great divorce" between those who stress social change and those who oppose church social action. He affirms the neo-evangelical movement as a possible instrument for new, more balanced expressions which may ease the tensions between these polarities.

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