B400 Senior Integration Seminar

BOOKS AND SUMMARIES ASSIGNMENT

 No textbooks are required for this course. Instead, students will read four book as described below.

You will be reading four books for this course and writing summary papers with the due dates noted below. You must select the first book from Group #1, the second from Group #2, the third from Group #3, the fourth from any group. You cannot reread a book you have already read. You will also be writing a 2 page single-spaced paper briefly summarizing the book, analyzing its strengths and weaknesses, plus the three most important things you learned from the book. You cannot turn in the paper unless you have completely read the book. Each book plus paper will count for 50 points; so the total of four books will be 200 points.

The following are the due dates for your books and summaries:

- 1. Group #1: Last day of Module 2 before midnight Sunday
- 2. Group #2: Last day of Module 4 before midnight Sunday
- 3. Group #3: Last day of Module 6 before midnight Sunday
- 4. Any Group: Last day of Module 8 before midnight Sunday

Here is the selection of books you may choose from:

Group #1:

S. Pearce Carey: William Carey

Elizabeth Elliot: Shadow of the Almighty

John Piper:

Contending for our All: Defending Truth and Treasuring Christ in the lives of Athanasius, John Owen, and J. Gresham Machen

Filling Up the Afflictions of Christ: The Cost of Bringing the Gospel to the Nations in the lives of William Tyndale, Adoniram Judson, and John Paton

The Hidden Smile of God: The Fruit of Affliction in the lives of John Bunyan, William Cowper, and David Brainerd

The Legacy of Sovereign Joy: God's Triumphant Grace in the lives of Augustine, Luther, and Calvin

The Roots of Endurance: Invincible Perseverance in the lives of John Newton, Charles Simeon, and William Wilberforce

Howard Taylor: Spiritual Secrets of Hudson Taylor

Laura Hillenbrand: *Unbroken* Eric Metaxas: *Bonhoeffer*

Ed: Jonathan Edwards: Life and Diary of David Brainerd

Timothy George: Faithful Witness: Life and Mission of William Carey

John Tiner: David Livingstone: African Explorer

Ed. James Paton: John Paton: Missionary to the New Hebrides

Group #2:

Jerry Bridges: Trusting God

Jeremiah Burroughs: The Rare Jewel of Christian Contentment

D.A. Carson: Memoirs of an Ordinary Pastor

Bryan Chapell: Holiness by Grace Tim Keller: Counterfeit Gods Tim Keller: Generous Justice John MacArthur: Hard to Believe

John MacArthur: Right Thinking in a World Gone Wrong

John MacArthur: *The Truth War* Ian Murray: *Evangelicalism Divided*

John Owen: Mortification of Sin - Simplified Version

A.W. Pink: *Profiting from the Word* A.W. Pink - *The Sovereignty of God*

J.C. Ryle: Holiness

Francis Schaeffer: How Should We Then Live

Francis Schaeffer: True Spirituality

R.C. Sproul: *Chosen by God* R.C. Sproul: *The Holiness of God*

Thomas Watson: The Doctrine of Repentance

Group #3:

Randy Alcorn: Heaven

Jerry Bridges: Respectable Sins
Jerry Bridges: Disciplines of Grace
D.A. Carson: How Long O Lord?

D.A. Carson: A Call to Spiritual Reformation

Francis Chan: Crazy Love C.J. Mahaney: *Humility*

D. Martyn Lloyd Jones: Spiritual Depression

John Piper: Don't Waste Your Life

John Piper: Future Grace

John Piper: Let the Nations be Glad

John Piper: Spectacular Sins

David Platt: Radical

J. Oswald Sanders: Spiritual Leadership Alexander Strauch: Biblical Eldership Paul Tripp: What Did You Expect? David Swavely: Who Are You to Judge?

Gene Edward Veith: God at Work: Your Christian Vocation in All of Life

Ed Welch: When People are Big and God is Small Ben Witherington: Is There a Doctor in the House?