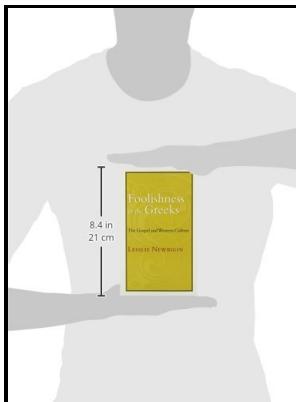


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We are fools for Christ, but you are wise in Christ. A private truth for a limited circle of believers is no truth at all 118. Lesslie's prodigious publication fills in the Christ-shaped holes in Rabbi Sacks' otherwise excellent book *The Great Partnership*.

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Is it also an apposite and pointed critique of the gospel in Western culture, succumbing to a deepening separation between public and private worlds. Newbigin is ahead of his time and incredibly well read in various fields of study.

Foolishness to the Greeks: The Gospel and Western Culture

He persuasively makes the case that we live in both a rational and contingent universe. The god of this temple is nature.

1 Corinthians 1:23 but we preach Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles,

And it might be that the signs, manifest all around us, of the disintegration of this culture of ours are ultimately attributable to that illusion.

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