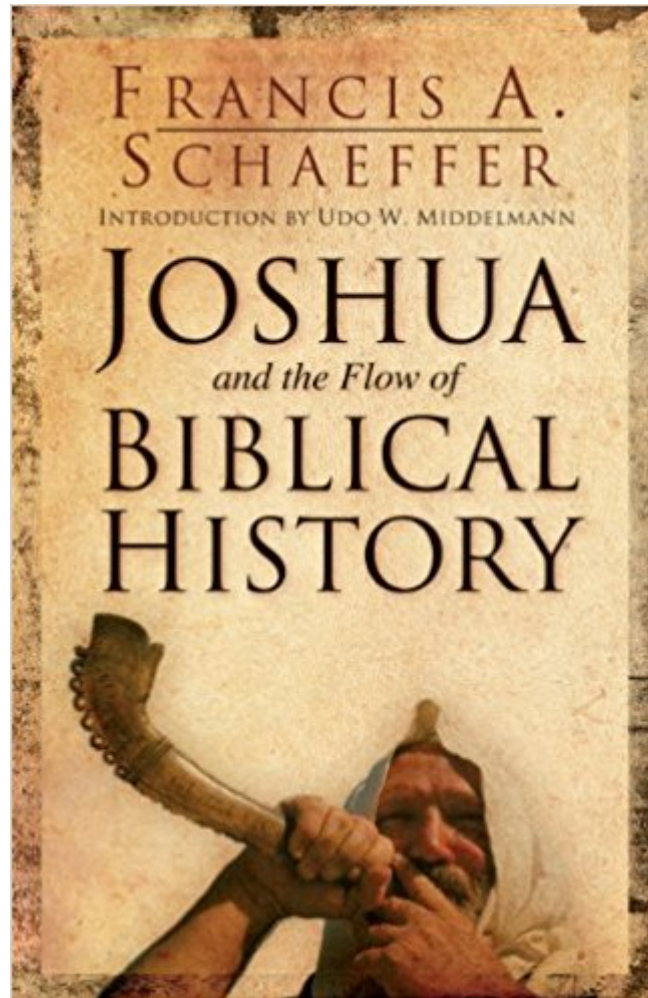




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Recognized internationally for his work in Christianity and culture, Francis A. Schaeffer authored more than twenty books, which have been translated into a score of languages and sold millions worldwide. He and his wife, Edith, founded L'Abri Fellowship international study and discipleship centers. Schaeffer passed away in 1984, but his influence and legacy continue worldwide. Udo W. Middelmann is president of the Francis A. Schaeffer Foundation. He is a graduate of Covenant

Theological Seminary and a longtime worker at Swiss L'Abri. Udo and Debbie Middelmann have five children and three grandchildren.

There are some very thoughtful reviews contained in the review section of on this book and there would be no point in repeating them. My perspective was how to use this book as an aid in leading my small group Bible study in the reading of Joshua. My goal was to do more than just review the historical aspects of the Joshua with the group and the Schaeffer book was perfect for expanding the group discussion far beyond those historical aspects. It has given me the sound foundation needed to provide the group with the knowledge needed on how Joshua fits into the bigger picture of redemption as laid out in the Bible. This books makes it relatively easy to explain the meaning of continuity within the Bible and I believe, will give this group some real insight into the bigger picture so that all of those in the group will be more effective advocates in advancing the word of the Lord.

Schaeffer work in this publication is excellent. It has been one of my major sources in my current class on Joshua. The information has an easy flow with points presented in a clear way. He present the story of Joshua with a historical view. Illustrations are just great. Anyone interested in this study will find this book a reference time and time again. Fine material.

The best biblical history book ever. I learned a lot from this book.

Good read. Enjoyed it.

Received book as described. Good service from vendor.

I bought this book AFTER borrowing a well worn copy from the library. And I found it so well constructed with thoughtful comments and observations that I didn't want to give it back....so, I have my own copy! It is well worth having as are reference!

Excellent book.

Francis A. Schaeffer has done a great job of presenting a wonderfully accurate commentary on the book of Joshua...It was one of the best that I have ever read. He follows the text and presents good, sound interpretations. You will find it a good companion to your study of this old and yet so revealing

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