

Scholar Resources

Scholars are characterized by a thinking-oriented spirituality. They value responsibility, logic, and order. Structure and organization tend to be important to Scholars. Scholars love words, written or spoken, and enjoy good lectures, serious discussions, and theological reflection. Scholars appreciate prayers that are conceptually rich and theologically grounded. Scholars tend to be drawn to settings in which both words and the Word are central: churches with strong biblical teaching, study groups and theological reading. Scholars tend to pay attention to details that others overlook. They often make contributions to education, publishing, and theology. Sometimes Scholars feel a duty to serve, give, care, and share with the rest of us. On the other hand, sometimes they can seem unfeeling, too intellectual, or dry.

If you are a Scholar, take care not to neglect your emotional life. Find ways to trade insights with your more emotional, Pietist friends. You need each other.

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Websites

Website Links	Subject
http://www.upperroom.org/methodx/default.asp	General Resource
http://www.tyndale.ca/sem/mtsm modular/viewpage.php?pid=38	General Resource
http://www.worship.ca/sec6.html	General Resource
http://www.religion-online.org/	General Resource
http://www.touchstonemag.com/archives/	General Resource
http://www.spiritualityandpractice.com/practices/	General Resource

Books

Author	Title	Subject	Library?
Alexander, Donald L.	Christian Spirituality: Five Views of Sanctification	Sanctification	Yes
Allen, Diogenes	Spiritual Theology: The Theology of Yesterday for Spiritual Help Today	Theology	Yes
Athanasius	Letter to Marcellinus		Yes
Baker, Howard	Soul Keeping: Ancient Paths of Spiritual Direction		Yes
Balentine, Samuel E.	Prayer in the Hebrew Bible: The Drama of Divine-Human Dialogue		Yes
Barry, William A	The Practice of Spiritual Direction		Yes
Barton, Stephen C.	The Spirituality of the Gospels		Yes
Bonhoeffer, Dietrich	Life Together		Yes
Bonhoeffer, Dietrich	Spiritual Care		Yes
Bouyer, Louis	A History of Christian Spirituality		Yes

Cetuk, Virginia Samuel	What to Expect in Seminary: Theological Education as Spiritual Formation	Theology	Yes
Cully, Iris V.	Education for Spiritual Growth		Yes
Fabella, Virginia	Asian Christian Spirituality: Reclaiming Traditions		Yes
Fee, Gordon D.	Listening to the Spirit in the Text		Yes
Foster, Richard J.	Streams of Living Water: Celebrating the Great Traditions of Christian Faith		Yes
Gannon, Thomas	The Desert and the City: An Interpretation of the History of Christian Spirituality		Yes
Holmes, Urban T.	A History of Christian Spirituality: An Analytical Introduction		Yes
Hoppe, Sherry L.	Spirituality in Higher Education		Yes
Janzen, J. Gerald	Job	Job	Yes
LeClerq, Jean	The Love of Learning and the Desire for God		Yes
Lovelace, Richard F.	Dynamics of a Spiritual Life: An Evangelical Theory of Renewal		Yes
Mays, James L.	Psalms	Psalms	Yes
McGrath, Alister E.	Christian Spirituality: An Introduction		Yes
McGrath, Alister E.	Spirituality in an Age of Change		Yes
Mulholland, M. Robert	Shaped by the Word: The Power of Scripture in Spiritual Formation		Yes
Palmer, Parker J.	To Know as We Are Known: A Spirituality of Education		Yes
Robinson, Edward	The Original Vision: A Study of the Religious Experience of Childhood		Yes
Rolheiser, Ronald	The Holy Longing: The Search for Christian Spirituality		Yes
Terrien, S.	The Iconography of Job through the Centuries	Job	Yes
Tozer, A.W.	The Knowledge of the Holy: The Attributes of God and their meaning in Christian Life		Yes

Famous Scholars/Sages

Mr. Spock (Star Trek)

Linus (Peanuts)

The Buddha

Tiger Woods

Dietrich Bonhoeffer (Author)

Yoda (Star Wars)

Moses

Maya Angelou (Poet)

Mr. Miyagi (Karate Kid)

Matthew (the Gospel writer)