

ABW READS!

Atlantic Baptist Women
2022 Reading Course Selections

Old Testament: *Jonah, Micah, Nahum, and Habakkuk*

New Testament: *Ephesians*

Periodical: *Tidings Magazine*

Spiritual Growth

Suffering Is Never for Nothing, by Elisabeth Elliot

Women of the Word: How to Study the Bible with Both Our Hearts and Our Minds, by Jen Wilkin

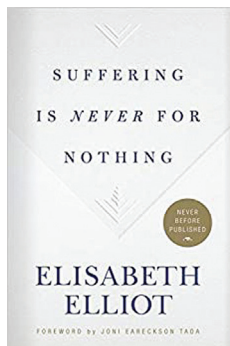
Missions/Current Issues

The True Story of Canadian Human Trafficking, by Paul H. Boge

An Asian Harvest: An Autobiography, by Paul Hattaway

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Made to Move Mountains: How God Uses Our Dreams and Disasters to Accomplish the Impossible, by Kristen Welch

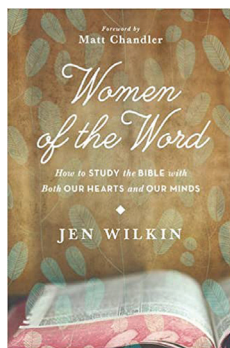


Suffering Is Never for Nothing

We do not like to suffer. We want easy, happy lives. They are not. Even Christians have a hard time understanding why God allows suffering. In *Suffering Is Never for Nothing*, Elisabeth Elliot tackles this tough question and reminds us that God is with us in our suffering. "It isn't explanations we need. It's a person. We

need Jesus Christ, our refuge, our fortress, the stronghold of my life. It takes desolation to teach us our need of Him."

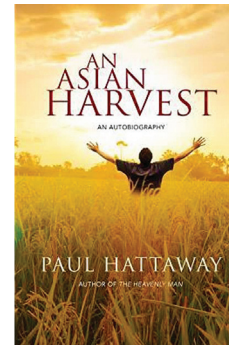
the industry and the people who fuel the industry, while examining the layers, procedures, and hard work required to pass a bill in Canadian Parliament. The reader follows MP Joy Smith as she struggles to build support for a human trafficking bill that would ensure minimum sentences are given to anyone convicted of luring others into human trafficking. Smith went on to organize a foundation which works to ensure that every Canadian man, woman, and child is safe from manipulation, force, or abuse of power designed to lure and exploit them into the sex trade or forced labour.



Women of the Word

Reading the Bible can seem intimidating with its difficult passages, many interpretations, and often so little time to read thoroughly. Jen Wilkin recognizes this and engagingly helps us navigate it all. *Women of the Word* gives a practical blueprint for demystifying the Bible, making it accessible and

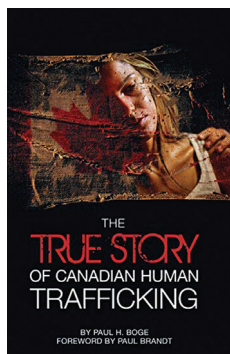
helpful. Wilkin's tools may be new for some, but the effort will be worth the reward. Ultimately, it's about seeing and savouring deeply the God of the Bible.



An Asian Harvest

An Asian Harvest is one man's brilliant story of fulfilling God's purpose for his life. Paul went from being a homeless man in Australia to serving people throughout Asia, eventually starting his own ministry, Asian Harvest, which has distributed millions of Bibles. This book is filled with miraculous stories of God's protection over Paul as he

safely carried Bibles into China. It is a great reminder of all that God can do through a life fully surrendered to him.



The True Story of Canadian Human Trafficking

While it is a difficult topic to cover, because the book is written from three different points of view, the reader does not get bogged down in the heaviness of human trafficking. *The True Story of Canadian Human Trafficking* gives us insight on the methods used to recruit girls into



Made to Move Mountains

With heartbreaking and hopeful personal stories, Scripture, and questions for contemplation, in *Made to Move Mountains*, Kristen Welch draws you into a holy confidence in the God who moves the mountains. "We stand on the edge of the cliffs in our lives, and although we are

afraid of stepping into the unknown, terrified where we will land, ... we do not run away. We stand firm in the face of the impossible ... and we take one step. We were made to move mountains."

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