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Walking The Bible: A Journey By Land Through The Five Books Of Moses





Synopsis

Both a heart-racing adventure and an uplifting quest, Walking the Bible describes one man's epic odysseyâ "by foot, jeep, rowboat, and camelâ "through the greatest stories ever told. From crossing the Red Sea to climbing Mount Sinai to touching the burning bush, Bruce Feiler's inspiring journey will forever change your view of some of history's most storied events.

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Customer Reviews

I rarely read non-fiction but spied this in an airport and gave it a shot. I enjoyed connecting up so many common American cultural things to their roots in the Bible (Broadway shows, Beatles lyrics, etc), learning about the actual places in the Middle East and the adventures of travel to places that I will never reach. (I don't see myself dealing with spitting camels and sand everywhere!)Give it a read. I was pleasantly surprised about broadening my personal horizons!

I did the Holy Land tour several years back (not safe now). This book filled in some of the stories

that I missed on the fast-moving tour, so I was truly happy to get the exact information and impressive photos from this account. This book really makes the Bible come alive and some of the main characters from yesteryear. I rode a camel up Mt. Sinai which I will always remember (those little saddles are small and tight, and definitely not padded). I recommend the book for anyone studying the Bible.

I bought this book to go along with the DVD series by the same name. I used this material with my Confirmation class and they loved it. It helps youth through adults better connect with the geography of the Bible. Feiler actually follows the journey of Abraham by walking the modern day route and offering commentary on the Bible and the culture and lives of the people then with the people who live there today. It is extremely well done and fascinating. Feiler's own Jewishness does not get in the way. Any Christian, Moslem or Jew can watch this and learn from it about the elements central to each's faith's origins.

This was a valuable read because of its description of Irael, Egypt, and Jordan and the people the author met. It provided our book club with a really good discussion. I would've given it a higher score, but it was a chore to read with all of the difficult place names, unknown to me and all of the details. However, I am certainly glad that I read it and I am interested in the author's other diverse works.

Interesting view of the Pentateuch as seen through Jewish eyes. Are the sites and their connections to history and God the main point of these 5 books of the Bible or is the purpose of these books to reveal God?

Walk with the author and understand the land in a contemporary lens. It clarified for me what part of the Holy Lands I want to visit first. Loved it. I had already bought the companion photography book, which expands this text. I recommend both books.

Excellent book. Just like taking the journey myself, along with meeting the people and seeing the biblical events through new eyes. Feiler is an excellent writer.

Great book, great seller, great delivery! A+++

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