ATLA Religion Database with ATLA Serials
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WHAT IS ATLA?
What is ATLA?

• It is a database.

• It indexes journal articles, book reviews, and essay collections in the field of theology.

• It is produced by the American Theological Library Association.
What is ATLA

• Full-text articles and reviews from more than 320 journals
• More than 2.1 million records
• Indexing of more than 1,900 journals
• More than 270,000 essay records
• More than 700,000 review records
• More than 340,000 book records
HOW DO I FIND IT?
How do I find it?

1. Start on the Research Tools page of the library web site

2a. Then either select Journals & Articles from the Sophi Search box to search all article databases;

2b. OR click “ATLA Religion Database” under Databases to just search the ATLA Religion Database in EBSCOhost

Note: The following instructions apply to an ATLA search in EBSCOhost, but your results in Sophi Search should look similar.
Off Campus Log In

This service is only available to current Austin Seminary students, faculty, and staff.

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Password

LOG IN

Note: Log in with your Austin Seminary credentials.

If you have trouble logging in, please contact Stitt Library.
HOW DO I SEARCH ATLA?
How do I search it?

Search Options

Search Modes and Expanders

Search modes
- Boolean/Phrase
- Find all my search terms
- Find any of my search terms
- Smart Text Searching

Apply related words
- Also search within the full text of the articles

Apply equivalent subjects

Limit your results

Full Text
- Scholarly (Peer Reviewed) Journals
- Year Published
- Publication Type
- Abstract Available
- Open Access
- Journal Title
- Language
How do I search it?

Boolean Operators

AND

OR

OR

NOT

suffering

sacrifice

righteousness
How do I search it?

Fields

Note: Many of these fields and the Scripture Citation function are only available through the ATLA Religion Database in EBSCOhost, **NOT through Sophi Search**.
How do I search it?
Scripture Index
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Scripture Index

Click [Expand] to see the chapter. On the next screen click [Expand] again to see the verse.
How do I search it?

Search Results: 1 - 10 of 1,270

1. The ordination of women: biblical perspectives
   By: Duff, Nancy J. Source: Theology Today (Online), 73 no 2 Jul 2016, p 94-104. Publication Type: Article
   Subject(s): Samaritan woman; (Biblical figure); Jesus Christ — Attitude towards women; Mary, Blessed Virgin, Saint — Annunciation: Junia, (Biblical figure); Bible. Genesis 1:11; Bible. John 2:4; Bible. Luke 1:4; Bible. Romans 12:16; Bible. New Testament — Translating; Bible. Timothy; Ordination of women; Women (Theology) — Biblical teaching; Ordination — Biblical teaching; Authority (Religion); Hierarchies (Social order); Creation — Biblical teaching; Theological anthropology — Biblical teaching; Sin — Biblical teaching; New creation; Sociology; Biblical; Virgin birth; Greek language — Terms — Hesychia; Leadership in women; Leadership in the Bible; Peer reviewed

2. Genesis 1 within the faith-science debate
   By: Mead, James K. Source: Perspectives, 31 no 3 May - Jun 2016, p 16-17. Publication Type: Article
   Subject(s): Bib. Genesis 1:11; Bib. Genesis — Theology; Bib. Genesis — Criticism, Literary; Bib. Old Testament — Cultural relations; Bible and science; Creation — Biblical teaching; Genre (Literature); God — Biblical teaching
   Notes: ARTS Stitt Library owns

3. The decalogue of Genesis 1-3
   By: Hood, Jared C. Source: The Reformed Theological Review, 75 no 1 Apr 2016, p 35-59. Publication Type: Article
   Subject(s): Carmichael, Calvin; Bib. Genesis 1:11; Bib. Exodus 19-20; Ten commandments; Bib. Genesis — Theology; Bible. Exodus — Theology; Creation — Biblical teaching; Sin — Biblical teaching; Covenants — Biblical teaching; Intertextuality
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HOW DO I RETRIEVE ARTICLES FROM ATLA?
How do I retrieve articles?

Click on PDF Full Text at the left to access the full article. Clicking Google Drive at the right will let you save it to a personal Google Drive account. Sign in to your My EBSCOhost account at the top and use the other tools to organize your research and save your citations.
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1. God's speech from the whirlwind: the transformation of Job through the renewal of his mind (Job 38-42)
   By: Lockwood, Peter F. Source: Lutheran Theological Journal, 45 no 3 D 2011, p 167-182. Publication Type: Article
   Subjects: Job (Biblical character); Bible. Job 38-42; Bible. Job --Theology; Bible. Job --Criticism, Literary; God--Biblical teaching; God--Creator; Creation--Biblical teaching; God--Righteousness; God--Providence; God--Sovereignty; Repentance--Biblical teaching; Theodicy; Suffering--Biblical teaching; Peer reviewed
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2. "The skies will uncover his iniquity": Zophar tries to put Job in his place
   Subjects: Job (Biblical character); Zophar (Biblical character); Bible. Job 3:37; Bible. Job --Theology; God--Biblical teaching; God--Righteousness; Spiritual life--Biblical teaching; Reward (Theology); Suffering--Biblical teaching; Laments
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- When you search in Sophi Search you will search across all our databases, many of which have full text content.
- Does Austin Seminary own a print copy of the journal? Check Sophi or the Library catalog.
- Search in Google Scholar – use see all versions.
- Search UT databases or in JSTOR at Austin Public Library.
- Ask us! Never pay for access without checking with the library staff.
Try searching for the article title or the journal name, either from the search box on the library web site or through the Advanced Search.

You can also use the Journal Titles search at the top of the Sophi Search page to find out which journals we have full-text access to and what years are covered.
Does Austin Seminary own a print copy?

- Do a catalog search for “Journal Title.”
- Look at the fine print of the database.

A study on the dual form of mayim, water

Author(s): Koo, Min Soo
Source: Jewish Bible Quarterly 40 no. 3 (2012): 183-189.
Publication Year: 2012
Language: English
Subjects: Bible. Genesis 1-11; Enuma elish: Water in the Bible; Hebrew language--Terms--Mayim; Hebrew language--Noun; Peer reviewed
Scripture Citation: Genesis 1:2-10
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... an attempt more reasonable than when it is applied to Paul, who, as Erikson remarks, remains ...
The only victania (repentance/conversion) and the only grace which counts is the one now ... with the great hero of what has been called "Pauline Chris-tianity," ie, with Martin Luther ...
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