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“The Heritage of the Ages for Today”

Bavinck II Has Arrived!

On Wednesday, November 2, Baker Academic released the second volume of Herman Bavinck's *Reformed Dogmatics*. The book is subtitled *God and Creation*. It comes to 697 pages, is beautifully stitched and bound and is presented in an appropriately distinguished dust jacket—as was volume I last year. Like the first, it was translated by John Vriend before his death (as were the two forthcoming volumes) and edited by John Bolt. The editor has supplied a preface, helpful introduction of 12 pages, index and notes that will serve the cause of Reformed theology well and globally.

The board took the decision to dedicate this volume to its fine colleague who passed away last January, M. Eugene Osterhaven, retired professor of Western Seminary in Holland, Michigan. Osterhaven gave the editor invaluable assistance on the first two Bavinck volumes by reading the manuscript closely and offering corrections and suggestions.

The book sells for \$50.00, retail. Members of the society are entitled to receive it for half price, or \$25.00.

Projects Underway

Bavinck III has been submitted to the publisher in final form and will be available this time next year. The editor is now preparing volume IV, scheduled for the fall of 2006.

James A. De Jong is translating a superb introduction to the Second Reformation movement written by Professor A. de Reuver of Utrecht in 2002. It contextualizes the society's spirituality series and should be on the market sometime between the appearance of Bavinck III and IV.

Thanks for your interest and support!

Christmas Suggestions

Why not give children, your pastor or friends copies of society titles as meaningful, spiritually fortifying Christmas gifts? Order them at your member's price!

Herman Bavinck, *Reformed Dogmatics: Prolegomena*, I. \$25 society price. Hardcover.
_____. *Reformed Dogmatics: God and Creation*, II. \$25 society price. Hardcover.

Or, give the entire set of four volumes of *Classics of Reformed Spirituality* for the total price of \$32.50:

Jacobus Koelman (1633-1695), *The Duties of Parents in Bringing Up Their Children for God*, edited by M. Eugene Osterhaven, translated by John Vriend. \$7.50 society price.

Jean Taffin (1529-1602), *The Distinguishing Marks of God's Children*, edited by James A. De Jong, translated by Peter Y. De Jong. \$7.50 society price.

Willem Teellinck (1573-1629), *The Path of True Godliness*, edited by Joel R. Beeke, translated by Annemie Godbehere. \$10.00 society price.

Gysbert Voetius (1589-1676) and Johannes Hoornbeek (1617-1666), *Spiritual Desertion*, edited by M. Eugene Osterhaven, translated by John Vriend and Harry Boonstra. \$7.50 society price.

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