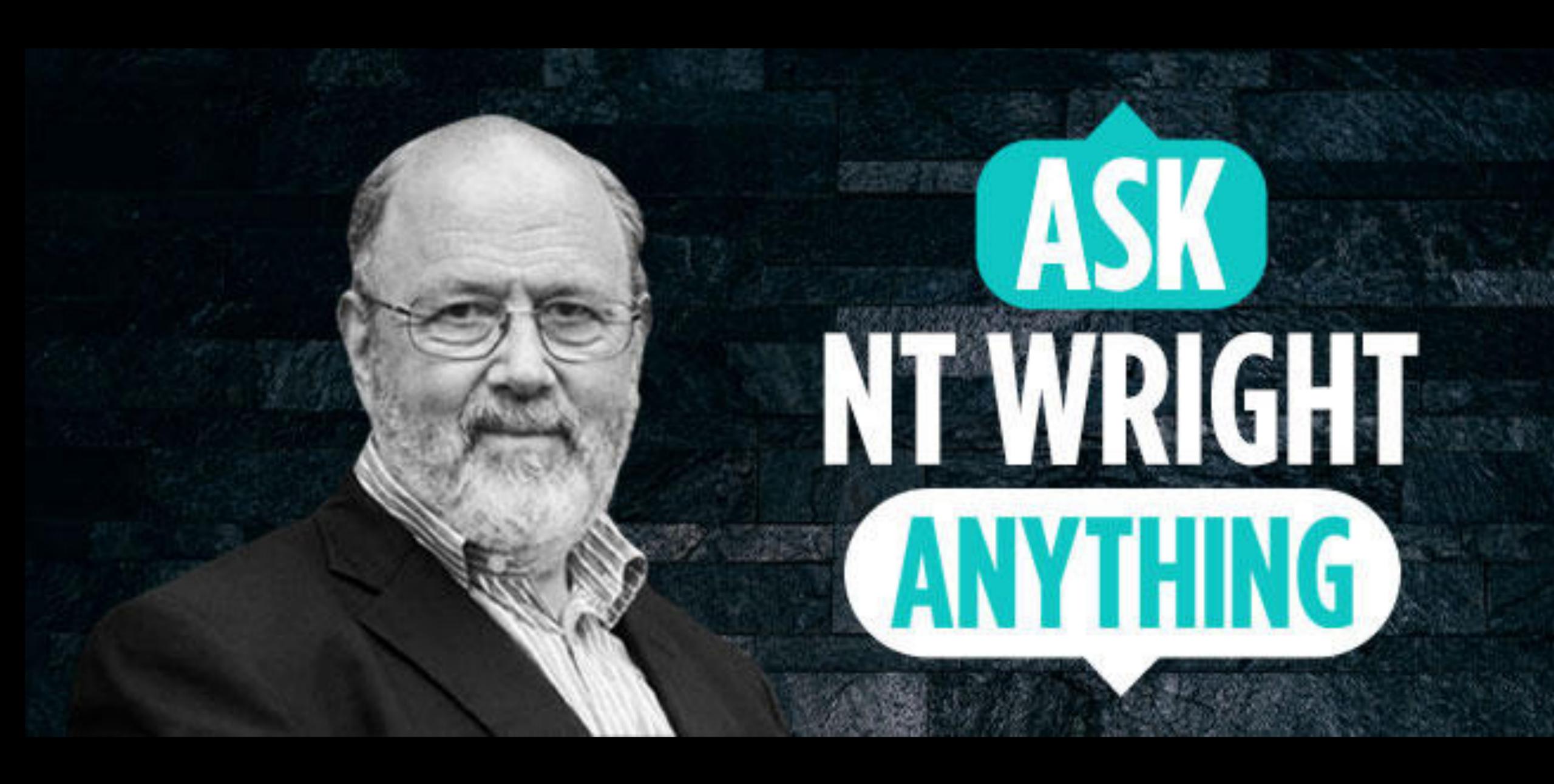


A THEOLOGY OF MAKING

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Foreword by N. T. Wright







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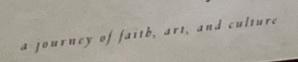
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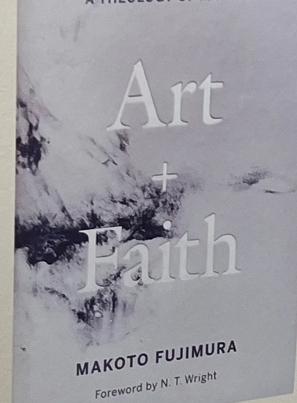
BOOKS ON ART & FAITH BY MAKOTO FUJIMURA



MAKOTO FUJIMURA refractions







Art+Faith: A Theology of Making FOR SALE IN THE BOOKSTORE

Refractions: A Journey of Faith, Art, and Culture



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Silence and Beauty:

Hidden Faith Born of Suffering

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YOU GUYS!!!!! THIS CHURCH IS FILLED WITH MAKOTO FUJIMURA'S ART! He's the one who wrote that book I bought for you all- Art + Faith! I LOVE this art!!! So amazing! God is so incredible that this would be how He would bless me! So unexpected... so amazıng...

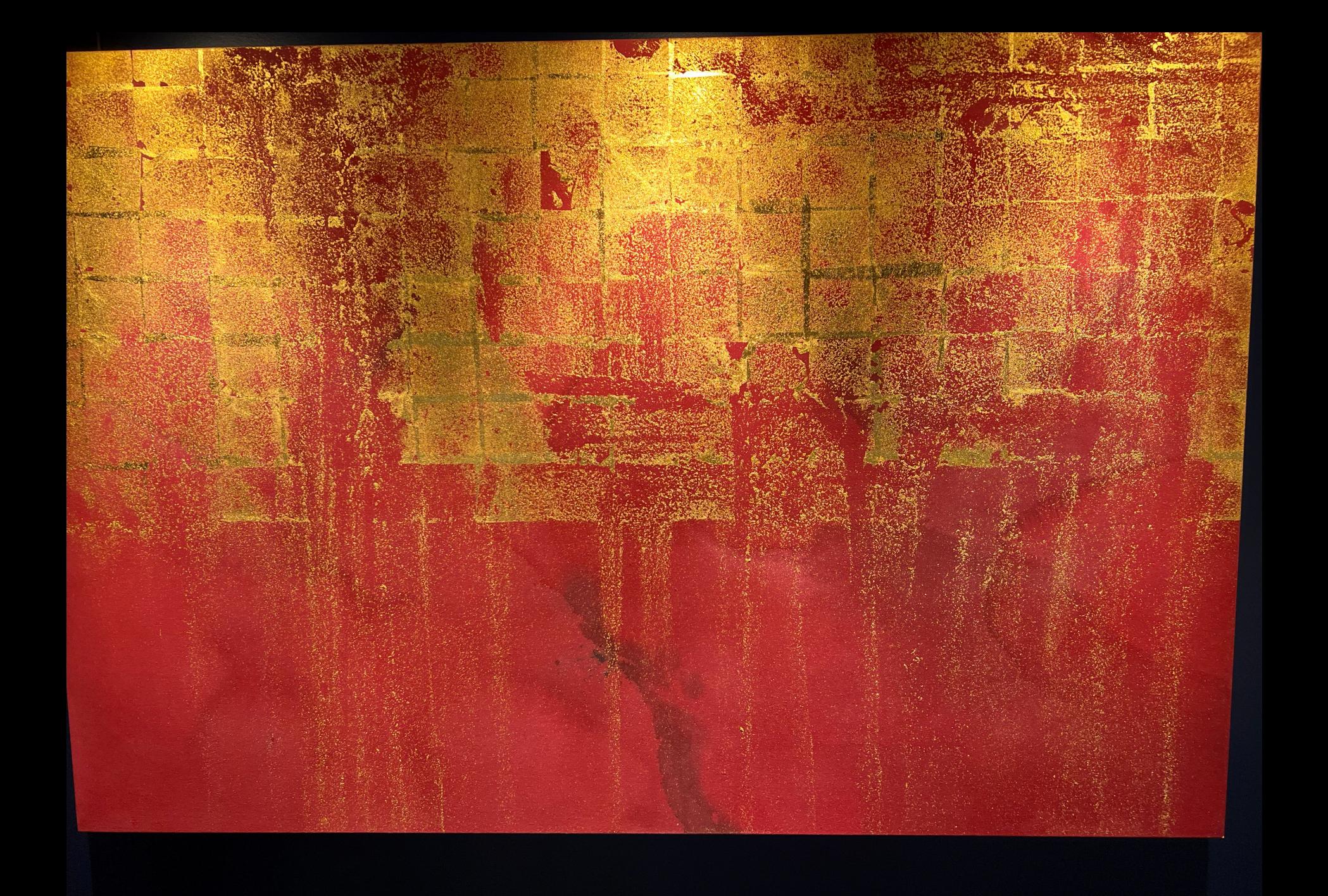


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Makoto Fujimura is a leading contemporary artist whose work has been featured in galleries and museums around the world, including The Museum of Contemporary Art in Tokyo, The Huntington Library in California, the Tikotin Museum in Israel, Belvedere Museum in Vienna, C3M North Bund Art Museum in Shanghai, China, and Pola Art Museum in Japan. His process-driven, refractive "slow art" has been described by David Brooks of New York Times as "a small rebellion against the quickening of time." Fujimura is the author of four books, Refractions, Culture Care, Silence and Beauty, and Art+Faith: A Theology of Making. Fujimura is the recipient of the 2023 Kuyper Prize for Excellence in Reformed Theology and Public Life as well as the American Academy of Religion's 2014 "Religion and the Arts" award. From 2003 to 2009, Fujimura served as a Presidential appointee to the National Council on the Arts. He has also received notable recognition as a speaker, with one address selected by NPR as among the 200 "Best Commencement Addresses Ever" and by CNN as one of the top 16 "Greatest commencement speeches of all time" and is a recipient of four Doctor of Arts Honorary Degrees from Belhaven University, Biola University, Cairn University, and Roanoke College.

You see, when you create and make into the fissures of life when you rebuild from a devastating fire—when you create, despite scarcity—when you 'consider the lilies' (Matthew 6), especially when you are afraid—God chooses those moments to reveal God's Presence in our lives. We are makers, as our God is our Maker. God did not promise us an easy life but promised us an abundant one—an abundant life of creativity and imaginative freedom."

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"Repent for the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand."

LIGHT LIFE

Matt 417



"The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent and believe in the gospel."

LIGHT LIFE

Mark 15



LETAVOLA [met-an'-oy-ah] "to change one's life, based on complete change of attitude, and thought concerning sin and righteousness."

LIGHT LIFE

Meianoja



META (beyond, above, overarching)

NOUS (way of thinking)

LIGHT LIFE





"For some days he was with the disciples at Damascus."

LIGHT LIFE





"And immediately he proclaimed Jesus in the synagogues, saying, "He is the Son of God."

LIGHT LIFE



"And all who heard him were amazed and said, "Is not this the man who made havoc in Jerusalem of those who called upon this name? And has he not come here for this purpose, to bring them bound before the chief priests?"

LIGHT LIFE



"But Saul increased all the more in strength, and confounded the Jews who lived in Damascus by proving that Jesus was the Christ."

LIGHT LIFE



"When many days had passed, the Jews plotted to Killhing, 77

when LIGHT *Here*



"but their plot became known to Saul. They were watching the gates day and night in order to kill him,"

LIGHT LIFE



"but his disciples took him by night and let him down through an opening in the wall, lowering him in a **DASKET**

LIGHT LIFE



"The metanoic mind is childlike, playful, adventurous, and experimental. Jesus says we must change and become like children if we are to enter the Kingdom of God."

LIGHT LIFE

-Alan Hirsch



"To do this we need to unlearn some of our "adults" ways which have become inflexible and one-CIMENSIONAL "

LIGHT LIFE

-Alan Hirsch



"Children have unprejudiced, humble, and curious eyes of wonder, and this keeps them open to unlearning. And this childlike reverence and awe is a prerequisite for grasping mysterious truth."

LIGHT LIFE

-Alan Hirsch



"When our Lord and Master Jesus Christ said "Repent," he intended that the entire life of believers should be of repentance. All of the Christian life is repentance."

LIGHT LIFE - Nartin Luther



"Turning from sin and trusting in the good news that Jesus saves sinners aren't merely a one-time inaugural experience but the daily substance of Christianity. The Gospel is for every day and every moment. Repentance is to be the Christian's continual nosture."

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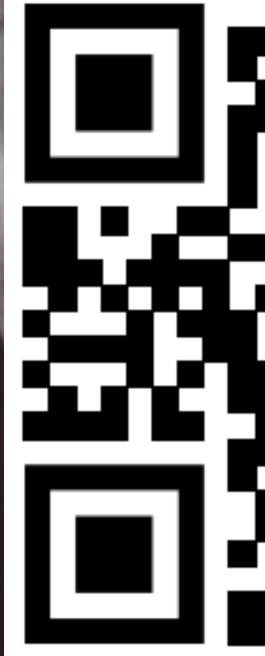
Unlearn/Relearn Vocabulary (considering the implications of Biblical definition]

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Benediction Video



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