An Introduction to Jewish-Christian Relations Edward Keseler 2010-10-08 Relations between Christians and Jews over the past two thousand years have been characterized by a great deal of mutual enmity and religious discrimination and violence against Jews. In recent decades, however, a new spirit of dialogue has been emerging, beginning with an awakening among Christians of the Jewish origins of Christianity, and encouraging scholars of both communities to work together for the better understanding of the past and present relationships between Jews and Christians. The goal of this article is to provide an overview of the history of Jewish-Christian relations from the first century of the Christian era (CE) to the present, and to throw light on the present-day tensions that exist between Jews and Christians, and to suggest ways that Christians can learn from their Jewish heritage in order to establish a more constructive dialogue with Jews in the future. The achievement of David Novak has been an important milestone in the history of Jewish-Christian dialogue. The book, A Story of Shalom, explores the history of Jewish-Christian dialogue in the past two thousand years and offers a Christian perspective on the future of this dialogue. The book is an important contribution to the ongoing dialogue between Jews and Christians, and it is an important resource for anyone interested in the history of Jewish-Christian relations.

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Disputation and Dialogue, Minor tractates 1975 Jewish and Christian documents from patristic, medieval, and modern sources cover major issues and trends in the history of polemical exchange between the two religions.

Jews & Christians Speak of Jesus, Arthur E. Zannoni 1994 This volume of essays is an example of something new and exciting that is going on in North America, especially between Jews and Christians. For the first time in almost two thousand years, Jews and Christians can sit down as equals around a table and reflect on their profound sameness and deep differences. In a real way, this book represents another step Christians and Jews have taken together on the new road to deeper understanding. The issues surrounding the Jewish-Christian dialogue are legion: the State of Israel, the Holocaust (Shoah), and the Jewishness of Jesus, to mention only a few. Dialogue does not mean proselytizing or conversion; instead, each faith tradition recognizes and respects its own identity. Any notion that Christianity has replaced or superseded the Jewish people in God's plan of salvation is both inadmissible and repulsive to the dialogue. One, if not the central, issue facing serious dialogue between Christians and Jews is Jesus of Nazareth. How can both of these faith communities speak about the itinerant Galilean whose origins and early followers were Jewish and whose subsequent followers broke away from Judaism? This volume attempts to address this question.

Engaging the Doctrine of Israel, Matthew Levering 2021-09-16 This book is the dogmatic sequel to Levering's Engaging the Doctrine of Marriage, in which he argued that God's purpose in creating the cosmos is the eschatological marriage of God and his people. God unités this marriage into motion through his covenantal election of a particular people, the people of Israel. Central to this people's relationship with the Creator God are their Scripture, exodus, Torah, Temple, land, and Davidic kingship. As a Christian Israelology, this book devotes a chapter to each of these topics, investigating their theological significance both in light of ongoing Judaism and in light of Christian Scripture (Old and New Testament) and Christian theology. The book makes a significant contribution to charting a path forward for Jewish-Christian dialogue from the perspective of post-Vatican II Catholicism.

Jews, Christians and Muslims in Encounter, Edward Kessler 2013-07-15 This book reflects on one of the most pressing challenges of our time: the current and historical relationships that exist between the faith-traditions of Judaism, Christianity and Islam. It begins with discussion on the state of Jewish-Christian relations, examining antisemitism and the Holocaust, the impact of Israel and theological controversies such as covenant and mission. Kessler also traces different biblical stories and figures, from the Hebrew Bible and the New Testament, demonstrating Jewish-Christian contact and controversy. Jews and Christians share a sacred text, but more surprisingly, a common exegetical tradition.