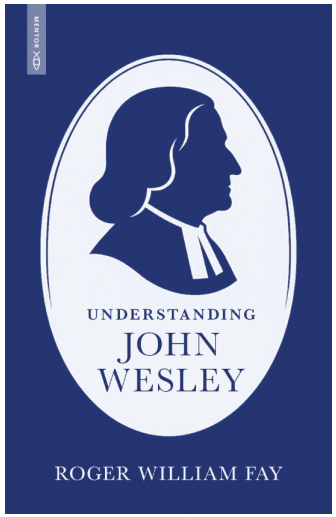
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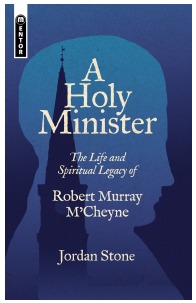
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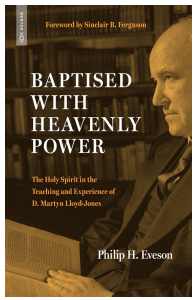



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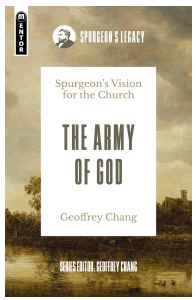
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**ENDORSEMENTS**

I have enjoyed Roger Fay's honest yet sympathetic survey of this complex, ardent, sometimes confusing, sometimes difficult man, John Wesley. You may not concur any further with Wesley having read this book. You may not always even like him! However, I think you will understand him better, and may come to appreciate him even when you cannot agree with him.

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