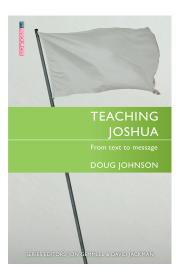


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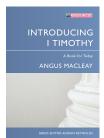
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Doug Johnson has been involved in local church ministry and training preachers and teachers for many years, including at The Cornhill Training Course, and running a study centre in Kenya. He is now retired but still teaching locally and overseas, he lives in Yeovil.

#### **ENDORSEMENTS**

This commentary on Joshua by Doug Johnson makes me want to preach on this book of the Bible. It is a perfect preaching and teaching tool for ministers and bible study leaders. His handling of the text is matched by his application of the text to give us an excellent commentary on a book of the Bible that reveals the God who makes and keeps promises.

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