

Daniel A. Helminiak

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TEACHING

2007-present, **Tenured Professor** of Psychology, **University of West Georgia,**

2002-2007, **Tenured Associate Professor**

Developed and/or taught: Psychology, Epistemology, and Ethics (doctoral); "God" in the Brain (WAC); Statistics for the Social Sciences; Foundations of Neuroscience Human; Sexuality in Contemporary Society; Values, Meaning, and Spirituality (Honors); Psychology and Sexual Ethics (MA Horizon Seminar); Biological Bases of Psychology; Psychology of Love (WAC and MA Horizon Seminar); Human Growth and Potential: Spiritual Integration.

1995-1997, 2000-2002, **Assistant Professor** of Psychology, **University of West Georgia**

Developed and/or taught: Spiritual Integration; Introduction to Humanistic Psychology; Human Sexuality in Contemporary Society; Adolescent and Adult Development; Interpersonal Relationships; Meaning, Values, and Spirituality; Moral Development; Counseling and Psychotherapeutic Process; Psychology of Religion; Psychology of Western Mysticism; Spiritual Issues in Counseling; Spirituality as a Psychological Concern; The Nature of Social Science.

1999-2000, **Adjunct Professor** of Psychology, **University of West Georgia**

Developed and/or taught: Advanced Abnormal Psychology; Adolescent Development; Abnormal Psychology; Psychology of Mysticism.

1981-1985, **Assistant Professor** of Systematic Theology and Spirituality, **Oblate School of Theology, San Antonio TX.**

Developed and/or taught: God in the Christian Tradition; Jesus Christ and Human Redemption; Christian Anthropology: Humanity Transformed in Christ; Christianity and Other Religions; Introduction to Christian Spirituality; History of Christian Spirituality; Dynamics of the Spiritual Life: Meditation-Contemplation, Spiritual Development, Indwelling of the Trinity.

1977-1997, **Instructor**, developed and/or taught these courses:

Educational Psychology, **Community College of Allegheny County**, fall, 1997.

Human Growth and Development, **Austin Community College, 1994-1995.**

Abnormal Psychology, **Austin Community College**, Austin TX, winter, 1994.

Introduction to Psychology, **Austin Community College**, Austin TX, fall, 1994.

Spirituality as a Psychological Concern, **Cape Cod Summer Symposia**, New England Educational Institute, Aug. 9-13, 1993.

Spiritual Development, **Emmanuel College**, Boston MA, Jul. 9-20, 1990, Jun. 20-Jul. 1, 1988; **St. Norbert College**, DePere WI, Jul. 3-14, 1989; **Oblate School of Theology**, San Antonio TX, Jan. 30-31, Feb. 6-7, 1987.

The Psychological and Theological Bases of Spirituality, **Oblate School of Theology**, San Antonio TX, Jun. 3-14, 1991, Jun. 5-16, 1989, Jul. 5-15, 1988.

Sexuality and Spirituality, **Mundelein College**, Chicago IL, June 18-29, 1990; **Seattle University**, Seattle WA, Aug. 1-12, 1988; **The University of Dayton**, Dayton OH, Jul. 18-21, 1988; **Oblate School of Theology**, San Antonio TX, Jan. 29-30, Feb. 5-6, 1988; **St. Joseph College**, West Hartford CT, Jul. 20-24, 1987; **Emmanuel College**, Boston MA, Jul. 13-17, 1987.

The Same Jesus: A Contemporary Christology, **Mount Mary College**, Jun. 19-23, 1989.

Human Sexuality, **Austin Community College**, Austin TX, spring, 1989.

Dynamics of the Spiritual Life: Wholeness and Holiness, **Oblate School of Theology**, San Antonio TX, Feb. 21, 22, 28, Mar. 1, 1986,

Human and Christian (A Seminar on Grace and Redemption), Graduate Program in Religious Education, **La Salle University**, Philadelphia PA, summer, 1980.

Jesus, the Christ--The Man and the Faith of the New Testament, Graduate Program in Religious Education, **La Salle University**, Philadelphia PA, summer, 1980.

Seminar on the Relationship of Theological and Psychological Issues, Graduate Program in Educational and Pastoral Ministry, **Emmanuel College**, Boston, MA, spring, 1980.

Jesus (in scripture, councils, and systematic thought), Graduate Program in Religious Education, **La Salle University**, Philadelphia PA, summer, 1979.

Spirituality and Christian Doctrine (an interdisciplinary seminar), **Weston School of Theology**, Cambridge MA, spring, 1979.

Introduction to Christian Spirituality, **Weston School of Theology**, Cambridge, MA, fall, 1978.

The Church and Issues of World Justice, Graduate Program in Educational and Pastoral Ministry, **Emmanuel College**, Boston MA, summer, 1977.

SERVICE

University and Department Committees

Arts and Sciences Faculty Advisory Committee to, 2000-2002, -2006-2008

Writing-Across-Curriculum Consolatory Committee, 2004-2007

Responsible Sexuality Committee, 1995-1997, co-chair: 2000-2003, 2000-present;).

Professional Education Faculty/Teacher Education Advisory Committee, 2003-present

Digital Measures Committee, Spring 2006

Departmental PhD and PsyD Committees, 2001-2006

Departmental Liaison to Graduate School, 2001-2005

Faculty and Administrative Staff Personnel Committee, 2002-2005

Departmental Liaison for *The Campus Chronicle's* Kudos Column, 2001-2003

Arts and Sciences Faculty Advisory Committee, member, 2000-2001

Special Departmental Events Coordinator, 1995-1997

Jim Klee Forum Planning Committee, member 1995, chair 1996

Three-Position Departmental Search Committee, co-chair, 1995-1996

Counseling Experience

Staff Psychotherapist, 1997-1998, Pittsburgh Pastoral Institute.

For one year in a licensed psychiatric outpatient clinic, under supervision of Donna M. Korczyk, Ph.D., Licensed Psychologist (PA), and Trish Lane, Psy.D., Licensed Psychologist (PA), L.P.C. (GA), provided psychotherapy for moderately to severely impaired clients in individual, couple, family, and group modalities; managed case load; negotiated treatment limits with HMOs; participated in monthly staff and in-service meetings; presented at two in-service meetings; served as regular participating consultant in semester-long group supervision and counselor training course; coordinated the opening of two satellite offices.

Pastoral Counselor in Private Practice, 1991-1995

Medical Arts Square Counseling Services, Austin, TX, 1993-1995.

Pastoral Education and Family Counseling Center, Seminary of the Southwest, Austin TX, 1991-1993.

Omega Point Counseling Center, Austin TX, 1989-1991.

Mental Health Worker, 1980-1981, McLean Hospital, Belmont MA (a teaching hospital for Harvard University and an affiliate of Massachusetts General Hospital).

As a trained and supervised member of a multidisciplinary team providing psychotherapy for chronic patients: observed and recorded patient behavior and interaction, interacted with patients on individual and group basis; supervised daily life of patients; participated in patient rehabilitation programs; participated in regular staff conferences and meetings.

Coordinator, Trainer, 1978-1980, Paulist Leadership and Renewal Project, Boston MA:

Developed and implemented an operational model for a professional team, including peer supervision, training, and evaluation in collaboration with James Gorman, M.S.W., Ph.D., and Patricia J. Dunn, M.S.W., A.C.S.W.; set and implemented policies and procedures; acted as liaison to a ten-member advisory board; intervened in community systems on short and long-term basis for renewal through communications, group- process, and leadership training; designed, implemented, and evaluated team-leadership, group-process, and communications-skills training workshops, spiritual retreats, and an intensive nine-month Lay Ministry Training Institute; supervised professional ministerial students; counseled and supervised clergy and lay participants in these programs.

Other Service

Assistant Professor, 1981-1985, Oblate School of Theology, San Antonio TX:

Member academic committee for three years, and long-term planning committee on development and public relations; coordinated monthly faculty theological colloquia; provided long-term spiritual direction and/or pastoral counseling; lectured in deacon-training program, in intensive renewal program for middle-aged religious professionals, and in the Lay Ministry Institute of Oblate School of Theology; consultant to San Antonio Archdiocesan Religious Education Center.

Archdiocesan Chaplain, DIGNITY/San Antonio, 1982-1985:

Presided and preached at weekly liturgies and other religious services; provided short-term pastoral counseling; acted as liaison between Archdiocesan officials and Dignity members; chaired Spiritual Life Committee; participated in Executive Council meetings; chaired Constitution Revision Committee; explained and applied Archdiocesan policy and Roman Catholic teaching in letters and position papers for political and ecclesiastical leaders; presented interviews to news media.

Member, The University of Texas at Austin Task Force on AIDS and Subcommittee on Education and Resources, 1988-1990.

Student Representative to the Graduate Studies Committee, Department of Educational Psychology, The University of Texas at Austin, 1986-1987.

Advisement of Student Organizations

Consultant to Gay/Straight Alliance, Lambda at UWG (1996-1997, 2000-2003)

Faculty Advisor to Lambda at UWG (2003-present).

Popular Lectures, Workshops, and Community Events

What the Bible really says about homosexuality: An update. Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA, September 14, 2008. Saint George Episcopal Church, Laguna Hill, CA, July 25, 2008. Los Angeles Gay & Lesbian Center, July 23, 2008. Montgomery College, Conroe, TX, Nov. 8, 2007. Oxford College of Emory University, Oxford, GA, Oct. 25, 2007. Tarleton State University, Stephenville, TX, Oct. 11, 2007. Unity Tamps, FL, Sep. 20, 2007. Unity of Clearwater, FL, Sep. 21, 2007. First MCC St. Petersburg, FL, Sep. 22, 2007. Auburn University, AL, Jan. 25, 2007. Emerson Unitarian Universalist Congregation, Marietta, GA, May 21, 2006. PFLAG Atlanta and First MCC Church, Atlanta, GA, Apr. 30, 2006. Berry College, Rome, GA, Jan. 26, 2006. Southeastern Conference on Cross-Cultural Issues in Counseling and Education, Savannah, GA, Feb. 3, 2006. Call To Action 2005 National Convention, Milwaukee, WI, Nov. 3 & 4, 2005. Georgia Institute of Technology, Oct. 6, 2005. Dunwoody United Methodist Church, Dunwoody, GA, Apr. 24, 2005. Gay Fathers of Atlanta, Feb. 10, 2005. *Experiencias Caseras*, Guadalajara, Mexico, Jul. 18, 2004 (presented in Spanish). *Redes Sociales Convergencia*, Guadalajara, Mexico, Jul. 7, 2004 (presented in Spanish). Wright Institute for Lifelong Learning, Chicago, IL, 22, 2004. University of West Georgia, Nov. 18, 2003. Dignity/Denver, May 3, 2003. American Democracy Course, University of West Georgia, Oct. 14, 2002. Civic Center, Panama City, FL, Aug. 3, 2002. Oberlin College, Apr. 11, 2002. Unitarian Universalist Church, San Antonio, TX, Oct. 5, 2001. Lutheran Human Relations Association, The Village Church, Milwaukee, WI, Jul. 9, 2001. University of Florida, Apr. 19, 2001. Auburn University, Mar. 15, 2001. University of Georgia, Jan. 18, 2001. St. Bartholomew Episcopal Church, Atlanta, GA, Dec. 13, 2000. University of Hawaii-Manoa, Nov. 10, 2000. Witness Our Welcome 2000, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL, Aug. 4, 2000. Milwaukee LGBT Community Center, Aug. 2, 2000. St. Mark United Methodist Church, Atlanta, GA, Jun. 7, 2000. Columbia Theological Seminary, Atlanta, GA, Apr. 18, 1999.

Radio interviews on Sean McDowell's *Pittsburgh Sunday Morning*, WDVE, Pittsburgh, PA, August 31, 2008.

The Transcended Christian and Spirituality for Our Global Community. Atlanta Journal-Constitution Decatur Book Festival, Decatur (Atlanta), GA, August 30, 2008.

True Christian diversity and the inclusion of GLBTIs (panel discussion). Eureka Springs, AR, August 2, 2008, 1 PM

The unfolding of the universe and the path of life. Metropolitan Community Church, San Francisco, CA, July 27, 2008.

Sexual ethics in the era of AIDS. Heartsong Retreat, Camp Beckwith, Fairhope, AL, May 8, 2008.

Spirituality for our global community. Charis Books and More, Atlanta, GA, Apr. 10, 2008.

Religion and spirituality: What are they? How do they relate? Dignity/Pittsburgh, Jul. 29, 2007; Dignity/Washington DC, Aug. 5, 2007. Viva Books, San Antonio, TX, Jun. 10, 2007.

Sex and the sacred: Gay identity and spiritual growth. Biannual Convention of DignityUSA, Austin, TX, Jul. 6, 7, 2007.

Sex and the Sacred: Gay Identity and Spiritual Growth. Annual Summit of LGBT Students and Organizations, Kennesaw State University, Apr. 21, 2007.

Can people change from gay to straight? Clinical and ethical implications of the research evidence. Sixth Annual Southeastern Conference on Cross-Cultural Issues in Counseling and Education, Savannah, GA, Feb. 10, 2007.

Biblical teaching on homosexuality. Dialogue with Pastor Steve Scoggins, First Baptist Church, Opelika, AL). Auburn University, Jan. 25, 2007.

Religion, sexuality, and research: Forging a trans-cultural basis. Workshop panel sponsored by Religious Institute for Sexual Justice, Ethics, and Healing, in Atlanta, GA, Nov. 14, 2006.

Prayer, meditation, contemplation: The psychology and theology of spiritual practices. Call To Action 2006 National Conference, Milwaukee, WI, Nov. 3, 2006.

Diversity, community, and the cost of evil. Solidarity Sunday celebration, Madison Square Presbyterian Church, San Antonio, TX, Oct. 8, 2006.

Spirituality, intimate relationships, and religion (six-hour workshop). Dignity/San Antonio 30th Anniversary Convention, Oct. 7, 2006.

Integration of Sexuality and Spirituality. Dignity/Washington, Jun. 25, 2006. Dignity/Philadelphia, Jun. 18, 2006.

Meditation and spiritual growth. Common Ground, Atlanta Interfaith AIDS Network, Nov. 17, 2005. Midtown Spiritual Community, Atlanta, GA, Jun. 19, 2005. Gay Spirit Visions, The Mountain Retreat Center, Highland, NC, Apr. 9, 2005

The Bible, love, and authentic spirituality. Atlanta Prime Timers, Oct. 2, 2004.

The sacrament of marriage and a genuine global community. Dignity/Washington, D.C., Sep. 25, 2004.

Touching the elephant: Voices of our sexual conscience (a panel). Gay Spirit Visions, The Mountain Retreat Center, Highland, NC, Sep. 18, 2004

What is spirituality, anyway? Gay Spirit Visions, The Mountain Retreat Center, Highland, NC, Sep. 18, 2004.

Keeping the faith in difficult times. Dignity/USA regional convention, Washington, DC, Jun. 9, 2004.

Responding to the Vatican statement on gay marriage. Dignity/Chicago, Jan. 24, 2004

Gender and religion. Atlanta Gender Explorations, Jun. 7, 2003.

Meditation without myth. Dignity/Denver, May 3, 2003.

Sexual ethics in the gay community. Dignity/Denver, May 3, 2003. Outwords Book Store, Milwaukee, WI, Jul. 10, 2001. Dignity/San Francisco, May 6, 2001.

The importance of being oneself: Spiritual issues in transgender experience. Southern Comfort Conference, Atlanta, GA, Sep. 21, 2002.

Life Rich Enough to Share: Reflections on Solidarity Sunday, 2001. The Church of Reconciliation, San Antonio, TX, Oct. 7, 2001.

Sexual ethics in contemporary society. Face to Face (a business organization), Fort Lauderdale, FL, May 24, 2001.

Psychology of ritual and liturgy. Gay Spirit Visions, Atlanta, GA, Jun. 31, 2001.

Sex and spirituality: The gay experience. Atlanta Gay and Lesbian Center, Jan. 13, 1999.

What the Bible really says about homosexuality. First Metropolitan Community Church of Atlanta, Sept. 25, 1999. Unitarian Universalist Church, Indiana, PA, Feb. 15, 1998. Dignity/ Chicago, Oct. 5, 1996. PFLAG Metro South/Atlanta, Sep. 22, 1996. Unitarian Universalist Church, Tucson, AZ, Sep. 30, 1995. Lesbian/Gay Community Workshops, Austin, TX, Mar. 16, 1991.

My spiritual journey. St. Mark United Methodist Church, Atlanta, GA, Dec. 5, 1999.

Spirituality and growth as a gay person. Youth and Family Outreach, Atlanta Pride, Jun. 27, 1999.

The spiritual journey of lesbian and gay people. The Catholic Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Atlanta, GA, Feb. 28, 1999, Nov. 8, 1998, Mar. 2, 1997. Church of St. Joan of Arc, Minneapolis, MN, Mar. 14, 1998.

Sex and spirituality: The gay experience. Atlanta Gay and Lesbian Center, Jan. 13, 1999.

Scripture and sexual ethics. St. Andrew Lutheran Church, Pittsburgh, PA, Apr. 18, 1998. Western Pennsylvania Reconciling Communities, First United Methodist Church, Pittsburgh, PA, Mar. 7, 1998.

Biblical teaching on homosexuality and Catholic considerations. Association of Pittsburgh Priests, Feb. 16, 1998.

Spirituality—The human dimension of it. The Cleric, Shadyside Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh, PA, Oct. 13, 1997.

Sexual ethics and spiritual integration. Calvary Episcopal Church, Pittsburgh, PA, Sep. 11, 1996.

Midlife and its crisis. All Saints Episcopal Church, Austin, TX, Jan. 12, 19, 26, 1994. First United Methodist Church, Austin, TX, Jan. 9, 16, 1994. Rotary of South Austin, Jan. 12, 1994. Temple Beth Israel, Austin, TX, Jan. 10, 1994. Texas Comptroller's Office, Jan. 7, 1994. Texas Mental Health and Mental Retardation Department, Austin, TX, Nov. 3, 1993. St. William's KJT Club, Round Rock, TX, Oct. 27, 1993. 3M's Lifestyle 2000 Program, Austin, TX, Oct. 13, 20, Nov. 10, 1993. Caregivers Ministry, St. John Neumann Parish, Austin, TX, Feb. 3, 1993.

Introduction to historical-critical method. St. Francis Episcopal Church, College Station, TX, Mar. 22, 29, 1992.

Kinds of love. University Catholic Center, The University of Texas at Austin, Feb. 5, 1993. Texas Catholic Student Conference, Austin, TX, Mar. 24, 1992.

The art of intimacy. University Catholic Center, The University of Texas at Austin, Jan. 30, 1991.

Dealing with emotions: Anger, rejection, and resentment. University Catholic Center, The University of Texas at Austin, Feb. 2, 1989.

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

Academic Degrees

Ph.D. (educational psychology, 1994): **The University of Texas at Austin**, Educational Psychology Department, Area II: Developmental, Personality, and Social Psychology. Research: *Men and Women in Midlife Transition and the Crisis of Meaning and Purpose in Life, a Matter of Spirituality*, Committee: Guy J. Manaster (Director), Mark H. Bickhard, Carole K. Holahan, Philip M. Powell, Frank C. Richardson.

M.A. (psychology, 1983): **Boston University**

Ph.D. (theology, 1979): **Joint Doctoral Program at Boston College and Andover Newton Theological School**. Dissertation: *One in Christ: An Exercise in Systematic Theology*, Committee: Richard P. McBrien, (Director), George Peck, Theodore M. Steeman. **Assistant to Prof. Bernard Lonergan**, Boston College, in these courses: Myth and Theology, Symbol and Analogy, *Insight and Method in Theology*, Macroeconomics and the Dialectic of History.

S.T.L. (theology), **S.T.B.** (theology), **Pontifical Gregorian University**, Rome, Italy

B.A. (philosophy): **St. Vincent College**, Latrobe PA

Honors and Acclamations

Over 95,000 copies sold of *What the Bible Really Says about Homosexuality* in English edition. Translated and published in six other languages.

What the Bible Really Says about Homosexuality: listed in *The Advocate*, Jun. 22, 2004, among "The 100 Best Lesbian and Gay Nonfiction Books"

The 2004 Dignity/Washington President's Award for long-standing commitment and service

Graduate Faculty Research Award, University of West Georgia, Nov. 14, 2002, for "Treating Spiritual Issues in Secular Psychotherapy" in *Counseling and Values* (2001)

Outstanding Service and Witness Award, Dignity/USA, July 11, 1997, for authoring pamphlet, *Catholicism, Homosexuality, and Dignity*

"Spiritual Concerns in Erich Fromm," *Journal of Psychology and Theology* (1988): included in J. I. Packer (Ed.), *The Best in Theology*, vol. 4 (Christianity Today, Inc., 1990, pp. 227-243)

Honorable Mention, The Catholic Journalist Book Awards and Critiques, 1987, for *The Same Jesus*

Languages

French, German, Italian, Koine Greek, Latin, Spanish

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Professional Associations

American Academy of Religion

American Association of Pastoral Counselors (Fellow).

Required 2500 client-contact hours and 400 supervision hours in individual and couple modalities.

American Association of Sex Educators, Counselors, and Therapists

American Psychological Association

Division 32: Humanistic and Transpersonal Psychology

Division 36: Psychology of Religion

Catholic Theological Society of America

Licensed Professional Counselors Association of Georgia

Licensed Professional Counselor, State of Georgia (since December, 2001).

Society for the Scientific Study of Religion

Other Professional Training and Involvement

Study of Electroencephalography, with Steven Folchek, MD, Director, EEG Clinic, Alfred I. Dupont Children's Hospital, Wilmington, DE, Jun. 12-14, 2006.

Spanish Language Study: Latin American Association, Atlanta, GA, Jun 10 - July 3, 2003 and July 24 - August 14, 2005. Vancouver Language Center, Guadalajara, Mexico, June 21 - July 16, 2004.

Advisory Board Member, *White Crane* Journal and Institute, 2004-present.

Education Coordinator, Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Atlanta, 1998-1999.

Represented Education Department to corporate clients; presented seminars on personal finances; developed curriculum and PowerPoint presentations; coordinated Hispanic outreach; coordinated ninety seminars per month; supervised staff, contract, and volunteer presenters; maintained supplies and education office, including use of Word and Excel.

Editorial Advisory Board Member, *Spirituality Today*, 1988-1990.

Editorial Consultant, *The Collected Works of Bernard Lonergan*, University of Toronto Press, 1986-1988.

Coordinator, Trainer, 1978-1980, Paulist Leadership and Renewal Project, Boston MA:

Developed and implemented an operational model for a professional team, including peer supervision, training, and evaluation in collaboration with James Gorman, M.S.W., Ph.D., and Patricia J. Dunn, M.S.W., A.C.S.W.; set and implemented policies and procedures; acted as liaison to a ten-member advisory board; intervened in community systems on short and long-term basis for renewal through communications, group- process, and leadership training; designed, implemented, and evaluated team-leadership, group-process, and communications-skills training workshops, spiritual retreats, and an intensive nine-month Lay Ministry Training Institute; supervised professional ministerial students; counseled and supervised clergy and lay participants in these programs.

Publications: Books

Spirituality for our global community: Beyond traditional religion to a world at peace. New York: Rowman & Littlefield, 2008.

The transcended Christian: Spiritual lessons for the twenty-first century. New York: Alyson Publications, 2007.

Sex and the sacred: Gay identity and spiritual growth. Binghamton, New York: The Haworth Press, 2006.

Meditation without myth: What I wish they'd taught me in church about prayer, meditation, and the quest for peace. New York: Crossroad Publishing Co., 2005.

What the Bible really says about homosexuality: Millennium edition. Tajiue, NM: Alamo Square Press, 2000. Czech translation: Brno: Centrum pro Studium Demokracie a Kultury (CDK), 2007. French translation: Paris: Les Empêcheurs de penser en rond / Le Seuil, 2005. Korean translation: Seoul: Haewood Publishing Co., 2004. Spanish translation: Madrid/Barcelona: EGALES, 2003. Polish translation: Gdańsk: URAEUS Publishing, 2002.

Religion and the human sciences: An approach via spirituality. Albany: State University of New York Press, 1998.

The human core of spirituality: Mind as psyche and spirit. Albany: State University of New York Press, 1996.

What the Bible really says about homosexuality. San Francisco: Alamo Square Press, 1994. Portuguese translation, Sao Paulo: Summus Editorial, 1998.

Spiritual development: An interdisciplinary study. Chicago: Loyola University Press, 1987.

The same Jesus: A contemporary christology. Chicago: Loyola University Press, 1986.

Publications: Peer-Reviewed Articles

Whither the psychology of religion: A spirituality-focused discussion of Paloutzian and Park's (2005) *Handbook of the Psychology of Religion and Spirituality*. *Journal of Religion and Health*, 47, 525-540.

Psychology of religion in search of a theory. *Child & Family Behavior Therapy*, 30, 187-193.

Confounding the divine and the spiritual: Challenges to a psychology of spirituality. *Pastoral Psychology*, 57, 161-182.

Rejoinder to Debra Punton and Len Sperry on Helminiak's (2007) "Homosexuality in World Religions: A Case Study in the Psychology of Spirituality." *Journal of Individual Psychology*, 2008, 64, 176-192.

Homosexuality in world religions: A case study in the psychology of spirituality. *Journal of Individual Psychology*, 2008, 64, 137-160.

The role of spirituality in formulating a theory of the psychology of religion. *Zygon*, 2006, 41(1), 197-224.

A down-to-earth approach to the psychology of spirituality a century after James's *Varieties*. *The Humanistic Psychologist*, 2005, 33(2), 69-86.

The ethics of sex: A call to the gay community. *Pastoral Psychology*, 2004, 52, 259-267.

How is meditation prayer? *Review for Religious*, 1982, 41, 774-782. Abridged and reprinted in *White Crane: A Journal Exploring Gay Men's Spirituality*, Winter 1998 (No. 35), 16-17, and Winter, 2003 (No. 59), 16-17.

Sexual ethics in college textbooks: A suggestion. *Journal of Sex Education and Therapy*, 2001, 26, 320-327..

Sexual ethics in college textbooks: A survey. *Journal of Sex Education and Therapy*, 2001, 26, 106-114.

Response and clarifications on "Treating spiritual issues in secular psychotherapy," *Counseling and Values*, 2001, 45, 237-251.

Treating spiritual issues in secular psychotherapy, *Counseling and Values*, 2001, 45, 163-189.

- Scripture, sexual ethics, and the nature of Christianity. *Pastoral Psychology*, 1999, 47, 255-265. Abridged and reprinted in *Open Hands*, 2000, 15(3), 20-23.
- Sexuality and spirituality: A humanist account. *Pastoral Psychology*, 1998, 47, 119-126..
- Killing for God's sake: The spiritual crisis in religion and society. *Pastoral Psychology*, 1997, 45, 365-374.
- Response to Doran and Richardson on "A scientific spirituality," *The International Journal for the Psychology of Religion*, 1996, 6, 33-38.
- A scientific spirituality: The interface of psychology and theology (invited essay), *The International Journal for the Psychology of Religion*, 1996, 6, 1-19.
- Non-religious lesbians and gays facing AIDS: A fully psychological approach to spirituality, *Pastoral Psychology*, 1995, 43, 301-318.
- DIGNITY, Inc.: An alternative experience of church (by "David Davidson"), *New Blackfriars*, 1987, 68, 192-201. Reprinted in W. R. Dynes & S. Donaldson (Eds.), *Homosexuality & religion & philosophy, Studies in homosexuality*, vol. 12, 1992.
- Spiritual concerns in Erich Fromm, *Journal of Psychology and Theology*, 1988, 16, 222-232. Reprinted in J. I Packer (Ed.), *The Best in Theology*, Vol. 4, Christianity Today, Inc., 1990, pp. 227-243.
- The quest for spiritual values, *Pastoral Psychology*, 1989, 38, 105-116.
- Colloquy: A response to Sister Kathleen McDonagh, *Spirituality Today*, 1989, 41, 160-165.
- Self-esteem, sexual self-acceptance, and spirituality, *Journal of Sex Education and Therapy*, 1989, 15, 200-210.
- Jesus' humanity and human salvation, *Worship*, 1989, 63, 429-446.
- Human solidarity and collective union in Christ, *Anglican Theological Review*, 1988, 70, 34-59.
- The trinitarian vocation of the gay community, *Pastoral Psychology*, 1987, 36, 100-111.
- Four viewpoints on the human: A conceptual schema for interdisciplinary studies, I, *The Heythrop Journal*, 1986, 28, 420-437.
- Four viewpoints on the human: A conceptual schema for interdisciplinary studies, II, *The Heythrop Journal*, 1987, 29, 1-15.
- Modern science on pain and suffering: A Christian perspective, *Spirituality Today*, 1986, 38, 136-148.
- Loneragan and systematic spiritual theology, *New Blackfriars*, 1986, 67, 78-92.
- New christology, new spirituality, *Soundings*, 1985, 68, 160-178.
- Sexuality and spirituality: Friends, not foes (with Chavez-Garcia, S.), *Journal of Pastoral Care*, 1985, 34, 151-163.
- Neurology, psychology, and extraordinary religious experiences, *Journal of Religion and Health*, 1984, 23, 33-46.
- Consciousness as a subject matter, *Journal for the Theory of Social Behavior*, 1984, 14, 211-230.
- Where do we stand as Christians? The challenge of western science and oriental religions, *Spiritual Life*, 1982, 28, 195-209.
- Meditation--Psychologically and Theologically Considered, *Pastoral Psychology*, 1981, 30, 6-20.
- Spiritual practices for the elderly (with Dunn, P. J.), *Spirituality Today*, 1981 33, 122-136.

Publications: Other Technical Articles and Chapters

- Saint or sinner: Let history decide. In J. McNeill, *Sex as God intended*. Maple Shade, NJ: Lethe Press, 2008, 238-

246.

Foreword. In Patrick M. Chapman, *"Thou shalt not love": What Evangelicals really say to gays*. New York: Haiduk Press, 2008, iv-xviii.

Sex as a spiritual experience. *Reflections* (Yale Divinity School), 2006 (spring), 92(1), 4-11.

Grace builds on nature: A gay Catholic theological response to the Vatican's statement on gay marriage. *White Crane: Journal of Gay Spirit, Wisdom, and Culture*, Issue #61, summer, 2004, 14-18. Abridged version in *Bondings: A Publication of New Ways Ministry*, 25(4) (spring, 2005).

Orgasm everlasting. *White Crane: A Journal Exploring Gay Men's Spirituality*, Fall, 2003 (No. 58), 9-10.

Toleration, religious. In Wesley Carr (Ed.), *The New Dictionary of Pastoral Studies*, pp. 375-376. London: SPCK & Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2002.

A credible scientific spirituality: Can it contribute to wellness, prevention, and recovery? (with B. D. Feingold). In S. Harris, W. S. Harris, & J. Harris (Eds.), *Lifelong health and fitness*, Vol. 1. *Prevention and human aging*, pp. 173-198. Albany, NY: Center for the Study of Aging, 2000.

Homosexuality in Catholic teaching and practice. *culture front*, 1998(fall), 7(3), 65-68. Reprinted in *Dignity/USA Journal*, 1999, 31(2), 20-24.

Loving they neighbor and thyself: Sexual ethics for the new millennium. *Dignity/USA Journal*, Autumn, 1998, 11-13.

Sexual ethics without religion. *Open Hands*, 1998, 13(4), 21-22.

A rebuttal to Olliff and Hodges's "A reformed response" (<http://www.VisionsOfDaniel.com>).

Ethics, biblical and denominational: A response to Mark Smith. *Journal of the American Academy of Religion*, 1997, 65, 855-859.

The Bible on homosexuality: Ethically neutral. In J. Corvino (Ed.), *Same sex: Debating the ethics, science and culture of homosexuality* (pp. 81-92). Savage, MD: Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, Inc., 1997.

Christian (read: Fundamentalist): A case for mistaken identity. *Ecumenical Trends*, 1997, 26, 114-122.

Protesting the sentence of academic euthanasia: A response to Joseph Bracken's review of *The human core of spirituality*. *Dialogues* (Interdisciplinary Dialogue Group), 1997, 2(2), 8-10.

Hearing what is meant in the dialogue: A response to Steven Bindeman. *Dialogues* (Interdisciplinary Dialogue Group), 1997, 2(1), 8-10.

Catholicism, homosexuality, and DIGNITY: Questions and answers about being lesbian, gay, bisexual, or transgendered and catholic. Washington, D.C.: Dignity/USA, 1996.

Doing right by women and the Trinity too, *America*, Feb. 11, 1989, 160(5), 110-11, 119, 122; *Dignity/USA Journal*, Spring, 1996, 15-19.

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Works in Progress

Measuring Lonergan's "Authenticity": In collaboration with interested colleagues (e.g., Barnet Feingold, PhD, Michael Donahue, PhD, Kevin Brannick, PsyD), development of quantitative and qualitative measures for this key construct in my already highly elaborated psychology of non-theist spirituality; the beginning of a long-term field-research program to test the theory with the expectation, as articulated in my recent articles, that this construct provides a breakthrough for a truly explanatory psychology of religion and a basis for the scientific legitimization of the social sciences in general.

On-going study of EEG and other aspects of neuroscience, which I have begun to teach regularly, with an eye to both my own research interests in the non-theological bases of spirituality and the Department's new PsyD program, which is focused on human consciousness

On-going study of statistics, which I have begun to teach regularly, and mastery of the Statistical Package for the Social Sciences (SPSS) with an eye to the same two concerns just mentioned.