



FACULTY OF THEOLOGY

Final Honour School

**Book list for Paper 1  
God and Israel in the Old Testament**

**(A) SET TEXTS**

**PSALMS**

**(gobbets taken from Psalms 1, 2, 8, 15, 19, 46-49, 51, 72-74, 89, 96-99, 104 and 118)**

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A.R. Johnson         *Sacral Kingship in Ancient Israel* (2<sup>nd</sup> edn., Cardiff: University of Wales Press, 1967)  
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\*S. Mowinckel        *The Psalms in Israel's Worship* (Eng. tr.; 2 vols.; Oxford: Blackwell, 1962; reprinted Sheffield: JSOT Press, 1992)  
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\*B.S. Childs                *Isaiah* (Old Testament Library; Louisville, KY: Westminster John Knox Press, 2001)  
\*O. Kaiser                 *Isaiah 1-39* (Eng. tr.; 2 vols.; SCM Press, 1974-83)  
M.A. Sweeney              *Isaiah 1-39* (Forms of Old Testament Literature, 16; Grand Rapids, MI and Cambridge: W.B. Eerdmans, 1996)  
\*H. Wildberger            *Isaiah 1-39* (Eng. tr.; 3 vols.; Minneapolis: Fortress Press, 1990-97)  
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**General Works**

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J. Barton                 'Ethics in Isaiah of Jerusalem', in *Journal of Theological Studies* 32 (new series, 1981), pp. 1-18. Reprinted in J. Barton, *Understanding Old Testament Ethics* (Louisville, KY and London: Westminster John Knox Press, 2003), pp. 130-44  
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B.S. Childs                *Isaiah and the Assyrian Crisis* (London: SCM Press, 1967)  
R.E. Clements            *Isaiah and the Deliverance of Jerusalem* (JSOTSup. 13; Sheffield: JSOT Press, 1980)  
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H.G.M. Williamson        *The Book Called Isaiah* (Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1994)  
H.G.M. Williamson        *Variations on a Theme: King, Messiah and Servant in the Book of Isaiah* (Carlisle: Paternoster Press, 1998)  
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- \*J. Blenkinsopp *Isaiah 40-55* (New York/ London: Doubleday, 2002)
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