

Preaching Christ from the Old Testament: A Contemporary Hermeneutical Method - 1999 - Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing, 1999 - Sidney Greidanus - 373 pages - 9780802844491

Arguing for the need both to preach Christ in every sermon and to preach regularly from the Old Testament, Sidney Greidanus develops a christocentric method that will help preachers do both simultaneously. Greidanus challenges Old Testament scholars to broaden their focus and to understand the Old Testament not only in its own historical context but also in the context of the New Testament. Suggesting specific steps and providing concrete examples, this volume provides a practical guide for preaching Christ from the Old Testament. **Preaching Christ from the Old Testament: A Contemporary Hermeneutical Method** Author: Sidney Greidanus Publisher: Wm. B. Eerdmans (1999). Where To Find. Greidanus challenges Old Testament scholars to broaden their focus and to understand the Old Testament not only in its own historical context but also in the context of the New Testament. Suggesting specific steps and providing concrete examples, this volume provides a practical guide for preaching Christ from the Old Testament. He not only defends the necessity of preaching Christ from the Old Testament, but of preaching the Old Testament in general. Appealing to the unity of Scripture, Greidanus argues that the Old Testament gives the church a fuller understanding of Jesus Christ. In addition to these roads, the "redemptive-historical christocentric" method Greidanus proposes calls the preacher to look for New Testament references that link to Old Testament texts. In this way, the New Testament itself serves as a guide for preaching Christ from the Hebrew Bible. With this in mind, *Preaching Christ from the Old Testament* is an excellent resource that has yet to be replaced. *Preaching Christ from the Old Testament: A Contemporary Hermeneutical Method* Paperback July 13, 1999. by Sidney Greidanus (Author). Sidney Greidanus is professor emeritus of preaching at Calvin Theological Seminary and the author of several books, including *The Modern Preacher and the Ancient Text*, *Preaching Christ from the Old Testament*, *Preaching Christ from Genesis*, *Preaching Christ from Ecclesiastes*, *Preaching Christ from Daniel*, and *Preaching Christ from Psalms*. Within his book, Sidney Greidanus challenges pastors to take up the Old Testament and show their congregations Christ. He spends multiple chapters answering the question of how to accomplish this task with a sound hermeneutic.