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LUKE

COMMENTARY

TOP RESOURCES:

- Dr. Thomas L. Constable: [Expository Notes on Luke](#)
 - Outstanding commentary. **Very highly recommended!**
 - Very thorough—one of the best! (548 pages)

- Dr John MacArthur, Jr.: [The Gospel of Luke](#)
 - Pastor of Grace Community Church, Sun Valley, California. **Superb!**
 - Each of these 298 links will allow you to listen to the sermon online, download an MP3 audio file, print a transcript or download a PDF file of the sermon.

- Dr. W.A. Criswell: [Studies in the Gospel of Luke](#)
 - Links to the audio file, sermon transcript, sermon outline, and sermon notes.
 - Excellent expository messages on the Gospel of Luke! **Recommended!**

- Dr. J. Ligon Duncan: [Expository Study of Luke](#)
 - Dr. J. Ligon Duncan III is the Chancellor & CEO of Reformed Theological Seminary and the John E. Richards Professor of Systematic and Historical Theology. **Excellent!**
 - He served as Senior Minister of the historic First Presbyterian Church (1837) in Jackson, Mississippi for 17 years (1996-2013).
 - This series of 188 messages is available as both audio files and manuscripts.

- Charles Haddon Spurgeon: [Spurgeon on Luke](#)
 - Known as the “Prince of Preachers,” this Victorian, Calvinistic, Baptist minister testified as a powerful gospel witness in his time, but his influence endures today.
 - So much so that Carl F.H. Henry, the dean of twentieth-century evangelical theologians, once called Spurgeon “one of evangelical Christianity’s immortals.”
 - These are every sermon Spurgeon preached on Luke. **Outstanding resource!**

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MORE EXCELLENT RESOURCES:

- Darrell L. Bock: [Commentary on the Book of Luke](#)
 - Dr. Bock (Ph.D., Aberdeen) is research professor of New Testament studies and professor of spiritual development and culture at Dallas Theological Seminary in Dallas, Texas.
 - He has written volumes on Luke in the Baker Exegetical Commentary on the New Testament and is a past president of the Evangelical Theological Society.
 - This is an online edition of the *IVP New Testament Commentary* on Luke.

- Steven J. Cole: [Expository Study of Luke](#)
 - A series of 117 studies taught at Flagstaff Christian Fellowship in Flagstaff, AZ.
 - Links to audio files and manuscripts are included.

- Robert L. Deffinbaugh: [The Gospel of Luke](#)
 - A series taught at Community Bible Chapel in Richardson, Texas. **Excellent!**
 - Extremely well footnoted! (PDF version is 690 pages)

- Donald S. Fortner: [Discovering Christ in the Gospel of Luke](#)
 - Rev. Fortner (1950-2020) pastored and faithfully declared the gospel of God's free grace in Christ at Grace Baptist Church of Danville, Kentucky, for over thirty years and was a widely published author, and conference speaker.
 - Links to PDF files to his monumental book *Discovering Christ in the Gospel of Luke* (2 volumes, each over 600 pages).

- Bruce Goettsche: [Sermons on Luke](#)
 - Bruce Goettsche began his ministry at Union Church in La Harpe, Illinois, in February of 1982.
 - He is a graduate of Trinity University in Deerfield, Illinois, where he received his B.A. in Biblical Studies; Northern Baptist Theological Seminary, where he earned both a Master of Arts in Christian Education, and a Master of Divinity degree.
 - The author of 19 books, Bruce believes strongly in the systematic exposition of God's Word.

- Dr. Alexander MacLaren: [Expositions of Holy Scripture: Luke](#)
 - Called the "prince of expositors," Alexander MacLaren was a renowned preacher of the 19th and 20th century.

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- *Expositions of Holy Scripture* brings together many of the sermons over his fifty years in ministry. Although it discusses many different books and passages of the Bible, *Expositions of Holy Scripture* isn't a commentary in the fullest sense—for example, MacLaren doesn't comment on every verse. Rather, this volume contains MacLaren's powerful sermons, arranged by the text of the sermons.
- Broadly evangelical in nature, MacLaren's sermons are not historical—rarely referring to the current events of his day—allowing them to retain their interest and power since he first gave them.
- *Expositions of Holy Scriptures* is thus highly practical and lively. It makes a wonderful companion to more textually oriented commentaries. To read *Expositions of Holy Scripture* is to be in the presence of one of the greatest preachers of the last few centuries. **Superb!**

- Dr. David Malick: [An Argument of the Gospel of Luke](#)
 - Very well presented. (107 pages)
- Dr. Alfred Plummer: [The Gospel According to St. Luke](#)
 - This is a PDF file of the entire commentary which is a volume in the International Critical Commentary series, published in 1913 by T.&T. Clarke, Edinburgh.
- Ron M. Ritchie: [Jesus: Savior of the Lost](#)
 - A series of 69 sermons on the Gospel of Luke preached at Peninsula Bible Church in Palo Alto, California where Ron ministered for 27 years.
- J.C. Ryle: [Expository Thoughts on the Gospel of Luke](#)
 - John Charles Ryle (1816-1900) was an English evangelical Anglican bishop. He was the first Anglican bishop of Liverpool and was pastor of Christ Church, Oxford, and Rector of Helmingham, Suffolk.
 - This is a PDF file than can be viewed or downloaded and printed.
- Third Millennium Ministries: [Study Notes on Luke](#)
 - Third Millennium Ministries was launched in 1997 to create multimedia curriculum for Christian leaders everywhere.
 - All our instructors are seminary professors, and our writers and editors are theologically trained educators.
- Dr. Geoff Thomas: [Sermons on Luke](#)
 - Thomas was the Pastor of Alfred Place Baptist Church in Aberystwyth, Wales for over 50 years where he preached through (almost) every verse in the Bible.

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- Geoff received his theological training at Westminster Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, and was awarded an honorary doctorate in 2011. He is the author of several books, including *The Holy Spirit*, and is a frequent conference speaker all over the world. He also holds the position of Visiting Professor of Historical Theology at Puritan Reformed Theological Seminary in Grand Rapids, Michigan.
 - Massive resource!
- Dr. Daniel B. Wallace: [Luke: Introduction, Outline, and Argument](#)
- Splendid overview of Luke. (18 pages)