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Gavin Breeden says

Recently taught through the book of Colossians and this was the most in depth commentary I read. O'Brien is very solid and definitely knows his stuff. It's certainly a technical commentary so a little Greek is probably needed to get the most out of it, but it's a rich resource and O'Brien sheds a lot of light on Colossians and Philemon. This commentary falls on the more academic side so it would work best being used alongside a more pastoral commentary as well (I also used Calvin and Hendriksen and enjoyed both). This one will help uncover the meanings of words, phrases, and passages, the more pastoral commentaries will help you apply those meanings to life. Highly recommended.

Geoff Smith says

When I read this book, it was probably the top commentary on Colossians by a conservative scholar. Very helpful.

Laurent Dv says

Excellent, concise and excellent summary explanation (which rephrase the main points of the ver by verse notes) for each pericope of Colossians. Only problems, the Greek make problems for me and no applications for modern readers.

I know that this commentary is now found nowhere (except on amazon for at least 70 €). So for those who want I can share the photos that I took, I have all the pericopes summary of the commentary. Just send me a message with your mail.

Tim says

Caught up in the technical and scholarly arguments (and I found myself, with the aid of other commentaries, disagreeing with him more than I anticipated), his exposition is thin and a bit too Calvinist for me. Still useful as a reference book due to its detail. Certainly made me appreciate Moo's commentary more.

William Mcneely says

I had to read this with my Greek class, I only read the Colossians part, but if Philemon's commentary section is as good as it is in Colossians in O'Briens work then it is probably amazing. I had to translate Colossians from Greek to English and this book did very good at providing good exegesis and syntax. Also gave multiple views on controversial parts of Colossians with tons of other resources to study from. Love this series and commentary.

Mike says

O'Brien is very thorough in his presentations of different theories of the meaning of the text of Colossians to the point of dragging you through multiple nuanced theories of specific meanings of specific words tucked away in the depths of this biblical text. I am not complaining, just noting, there were plenty of times that good insight and enlightening content came from these thorough dealings. O'Brien postulates and defends Paul as the author of Colossians although I am not convinced by his arguments. Ultimately, while I appreciate the work and the thoroughness I felt that the text didn't say enough about the heresy and just skirted making a direct claim as to what it was. I found Dunn more convincing.

Marshall Walter says

Solid Colossians commentary to have on the shelf. I like most of O'Brien's stuff and believe he's gotten better over time.

Simon says

Regardless of plagiarism, it is an excellent technical commentary.

Graham says

Note: this is regarding the Philemon section only

Sadly O'Brien doesn't do much with Philemon, and doesn't offer much insight beyond the standard fare. The Colossians section seems far better from what I've read so far.
