



# Abbreviations in theology & Biblical studies

The following standard abbreviations and acronyms for theological journals and Biblical commentaries are found in academic literature in many languages.

**A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | I | J | K | L | M | N | O | P | Q | R | S | T | U | V | W | Y | Z**

## **A**

AASOR	<i>Annual of American Schools of Oriental Research</i>
AB	<i>Anchor Bible</i>
ABR	<i>Australian Biblical Review</i>
ADAJ	<i>Annual of the Department of Antiquities of Jordan</i>
AGJU	<i>Arbeiten zur Geschichte des antiken Judentums und des Urchristentum</i>
AGSU	<i>Arbeiten zur Geschichte des Spätjudentums und Urchristentums</i>
AJSL	<i>American Journal of Semitic Languages and Literature</i>
AJT	<i>Asia Journal of Theology</i>
ALGHJ	<i>Arbeiten zur Literatur und Geschichte des hellenistischen Judentums</i>
AnBib	<i>Analecta Biblica</i>
ANET	<i>Ancient Near Eastern Texts</i> , 3rd edn., James B. Pritchard, ed. Princeton, 1969.
ANRW	<i>Aufstieg und Niedergang der römischen Welt</i>
ASNU	<i>Acta Seminarii Neotestamentici Upsaliensis</i>
ASOR	<i>American Schools of Oriental Research</i>
ASTI	<i>Annual of the Swedish Theological Institute</i>
ATANT	<i>Abhandlungen zur Theologie des alten und Neuen Testaments</i>
ATD	<i>Das Alte Testament Deutsch</i>
ATR	<i>Anglican Theological Review</i>
AusBibRev	<i>Australian Biblical Review</i>
AUSS	<i>Andrews University Seminary Studies</i>
AUSSDS	<i>Andrews University Seminary Studies Dissertation Series</i>

## **B**

BA	<i>Biblical Archaeologist</i>
BAR	<i>Biblical Archaeology Review</i>
BASOR	<i>Bulletin of the American Schools of Oriental Research</i>
BAT	<i>Botschaft des Alten Testaments</i>
BBB	<i>Bonner biblische Beiträge</i>
BBR	<i>Bulletin for Biblical Research</i>

BETL	<i>Bibliotheca Ephemeridum Theologicarum Lovaniensium</i>
BETS	<i>Bulletin of the Evangelical Theological Society</i>
BFCT	<i>Beiträge zur Förderung christlicher Theologie</i>
BGBE	<i>Beiträge zur Geschichte der biblischen Exegese</i>
BHS	<i>Biblia Hebraica Stuttgartensia</i>
BI	<i>Biblical Interpretation</i>
Bib	<i>Biblica</i>
Bib Tod	<i>Bible Today</i>
BiberOr	<i>Biblica et Orientalia</i> . Rome: Biblical Institute Press.
BibRes	<i>Biblical Research</i>
BibRev	<i>Bible Review</i>
BibSac	<i>Bibliotheca Sacra</i>
BibThBul	<i>Biblical Theology Bulletin</i>
BibTod	<i>Bible Today</i>
BJRL	<i>Bulletin of the John Rylands Library</i>
BJS	<i>Brown Judaic Studies</i>
BKAT	<i>Biblischer Kommentar: Altes Testament</i>
BL	<i>Bampton Lectures</i>
BN	<i>Biblische Notizen</i>
BR	<i>Biblical Research</i>
BS	<i>Bibliotheca Sacra</i>
BSac	<i>Bibliotheca Sacra</i>
BSC	<i>Bible Student's Commentary</i>
BSNTS	<i>Bulletin of the Studiorum Novi Testamenti Societas</i>
BST	<i>Basel Studies in Theology</i>
BST	<i>Bible Speaks Today</i>
BTB	<i>Biblical Theological Bulletin</i>
BWANT	<i>Beiträge zur Wissenschaft vom Alten und Neuen Testament</i>
BU	<i>Biblische Untersuchungen</i>
BZ	<i>Biblische Zeitschrift</i>
BZAW	<i>Beihefte zur Zeitschrift für die alttestamentliche Wissenschaft</i>
BZNW	<i>Beihefte zur Zeitschrift für die neutestamentliche Wissenschaft</i>

## C

CAT	<i>Commentaire de l' Ancien Testament</i>
CBC	<i>Cambridge Bible Commentary</i>
CBQ	<i>Catholic Biblical Quarterly</i>
CBQMS	<i>Catholic Biblical Quarterly Monograph Series</i>
CC	<i>Communicators Commentary</i>
CEB	<i>Commentaire Evangélique de la Bible</i>

CGSTJ	<i>China Graduate School of Theology Journal</i>
CIL	<i>Corpus Inscriptionum Latinarum</i>
CJT	<i>Canadian Journal of Theology</i>
CPh	<i>Classical philology</i>
CSR	<i>Christian Scholar's Review</i>
CTJ	<i>Calvin Theological Journal</i>
CTM	<i>Concordia Theological Monthly</i>
CTR	<i>Criswell Theological Review</i>
CurTM	<i>Currents in Theology and Missions</i>

**D**

DOTT	<i>Documents of Old Testament Times</i> . D. Winton Thomas, ed. New York: Harper & Row, 1958.
DR	<i>Downside Review</i>
DSB	<i>Daily Study Bible</i>

**E**

EB	<i>Études Bibliques</i>
EBib	<i>Études Bibliques</i>
EBC	<i>Expositor's Bible Commentary</i>
EJ	<i>Evangelical Journal</i>
EJT	<i>European Journal of Theology</i>
EphTL	<i>Ephemerides Th .ologiques et Lovanienses</i>
EQ	<i>Evangelical Quarterly</i>
EstBib	<i>Estudios bíblicos</i>
ETL	<i>Ephemerides Theologicae Lovanienses</i>
ETRel	<i>Études Th .ologiques et Religieuses</i>
EvQ	<i>Evangelical Quarterly</i>
EvT	<i>Evangelische Theologie</i>
EvTh	<i>Evangelische Theologie</i>
Exp	<i>The Expositor</i>
ExpT	<i>Expository Times</i>
ExpTim	<i>Expository Times</i>

**F**

FCI	<i>Foundation of Evangelical Interpretation Series</i>
FN	<i>Filologia Neotestamentaria</i>
FOTL	<i>Forms of Old Testament Literature Series</i>
FRLANT	<i>Forschungen zur Religion und Literatur des und Neuen Testament</i>

FTS *Frankfurter theologische Studien*

## G

GraceTJ *Grace Theological Journal*

GTJ *Grace Theological Journal*

GRBS *Greek, Roman and Byzantine Studies*

## H

HAR *Hebrew Annual Review*

HAT *Handbuch zum Alten Testament*

HBT *Horizons in Biblical Theology*

HebAnnRev *Hebrew Annual Review*

HeyJ *Heythrop Journal*

Herm *Hermathena*

HS *Hebrew Studies*

HSMS *Harvard Semitic Monograph Series*

HTR *Harvard Theological Review*

HTS *Harvard Theological Studies*

HUCA *Hebrew Union College Annual*

## I

IB *Interpreter's Bible*

IBS *Irish Biblical Studies*

ICC *International Critical Commentary*

ICS *Illinois Classical Studies*

IDB *Interpreter's Dictionary of the Bible*

IDBS *Interpreter's Dictionary of the Bible Supplement series*

IEJ *Israel Exploration Journal*

Int *Interpretation*

Interp. *Interpretation*

ISBE *International Standard Bible Encyclopedia, revised*

ITC *International Theological Commentary*

ITQ *Irish Theological Quarterly*

## J

JAAR *Journal of the American Academy of Religion*

JAOS *Journal of the American Oriental Society*

JBL *Journal of Biblical Literature*

JBLDS *Journal of Biblical Literature, Dissertation Series*

JBLMS	<i>Journal of Biblical Literature, Monograph Series</i>
JBR	<i>Journal of the Bible and Religion</i>
JECS	<i>Journal of Early Christian Studies</i>
JETS	<i>Journal of the Evangelical Theological Society</i>
JJS	<i>Journal of Jewish Studies</i>
JNES	<i>Journal of Near Eastern Studies</i>
JNSL	<i>Journal of North West Semitic Languages</i>
JNWSL	<i>Journal of North West Semitic Languages</i>
JQR	<i>Jewish Quarterly Review</i>
JPS	<i>Jewish Publication Society</i>
JR	<i>Journal of Religion</i>
Jrel	<i>Journal of Religion</i>
JSJ	<i>Journal for the Study of Judaism</i>
JSNT	<i>Journal for the Study of the New Testament</i>
JSNTSS	<i>Journal for the Study of the New Testament, Supplement Series</i>
JSOT	<i>Journal for the Study of the Old Testament</i>
JSOTSS	<i>Journal for the Study of the Old Testament, Supplement Series</i>
JSS	<i>Journal of Semitic Studies</i>
JTC	<i>Journal for Theology and the Church</i>
JTS	<i>Journal of Theological Studies</i>
JTSA	<i>Journal of Theology for Southern Africa</i>

## K

KAT	<i>Kommentar zum Alten Testament</i>
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## L

LD	<i>Lecta Divina</i>
LouvStud	<i>Louvain Studies</i>
LXX	The Septuagint

## M

MC	<i>Modern Churchman</i>
MGWJ	<i>Monatsschrift für Geschichte und Wissenschaft des Judentums</i>
MT	Masoretic Text

## N

NCB	<i>New Century Bible</i>
Neot	<i>Neotestamentica</i>
NESTTR	<i>Near East School of Theology Theological Review</i>

NGTT	<i>Nederduits Gereformeerde Teologiese Tydskrif</i>
NICNT	<i>New International Commentary on the New Testament</i>
NICOT	<i>New International Commentary on the Old Testament</i>
NIDOTT	<i>New International Dictionary of Old Testament Theology</i>
NIGTC	<i>New International Greek Testament Commentary</i>
NovT	<i>Novum Testamentum</i>
NovTSup	<i>Novum Testamentum Supplements</i>
NT	<i>New Testament</i>
NTS	<i>New Testament Studies</i>
NTT	<i>Nederlands Theologisch Tijdschrift</i>

## O

Ost	<i>Ostkirchliche Studien</i>
OT	<i>Old Testament</i>
OTL	<i>Old Testament Library Commentary Series</i>
OTM	<i>Old Testament Message Series</i>
OTS	<i>Oudtestamentische Studiën</i>
OTSWA	<i>Oud Testamentaire Werkgemeenschap in Suid-Afrika</i>

## P

PEQ	<i>Palestine Exploration Quarterly</i>
PRS	<i>Perspectives on Religious Studies</i>
PTR	<i>Princeton Theological Review</i>

## Q

Qad	<i>Qadmoniot</i>
QC	<i>Qumran Chronicle</i>
QD	<i>Quaestiones disputatae</i>
QDAP	<i>Quarterly of the Department of Antiquities in Palestine</i>
QR	<i>Quarterly Review</i>
Quasten	<i>Patrology, Quasten, J. 4 vols., Westminster, 1953-1986</i>

## R

RB	<i>R. vue Biblique</i>
RBen	<i>Revue Benedictine</i>
RBPh	<i>Revue belge de philologie et d'histoire</i>
RdQ	<i>Revue de Qumran</i>
RefRev	<i>Reformed Review</i>
ReISRev	<i>Religious Studies Review</i>
ResQ	<i>Restoration Quarterly</i>

RevExp	<i>Review and Expositor</i>
RHPR	<i>Revue d'histoire et de philosophie religieuses</i>
RivBib	<i>Rivista Biblica</i>
RSciRel	<i>Recherches de Science Religieuse</i>
RSR	<i>Recherches de science religieuse</i>
RTP	<i>Review of Theology and Philosophy</i>
RTR	<i>Reformed Theological Review</i>
RvExp	<i>Review and Expositor</i>

## S

SBLDS	<i>Society for Biblical Literature, Dissertation Series</i>
SBLMS	<i>Society for Biblical Literature, Monograph Series</i>
SBLSP	<i>Society for Biblical Literature, Seminar Papers</i>
SBT	<i>Studies in Biblical Theology</i>
SCO	<i>Studi classici e orientali</i>
ScriptTheol	<i>Scripta Theologica</i>
SE	<i>Studia Evangelica</i>
SE•	<i>Svensk Exegetisk • rsbok</i>
SecCen	<i>Second Century</i>
SJLA	<i>Studies in Judaism in Late Antiquity</i>
SJOT	<i>Scandinavian Journal of the Old Testament</i>
SJT	<i>Scottish Journal of Theology</i>
SN	<i>Studia Neotestamentica</i>
SNTSMS	<i>Society of New Testament Studies, Monograph Series</i>
SNTU	<i>Studien zum Neuen Testamen und seiner Umwelt</i>
SR	<i>Studies in Religion</i>
SSN	<i>Studia semitica Neerlandica</i>
ST	<i>Studia Theologica</i>
StudBT	<i>Studia Biblica et Theologica</i>
StVTQ	<i>Saint Vladimir's Theological Quarterly</i>
SWJT	<i>Southwestern Journal of Theology</i>

## T

TA	<i>Tel Aviv</i>
TB	<i>Tyndale Bulletin</i>
TBC	<i>Torch Bible Commentaries</i>
TDNT	<i>Theological Dictionary of the New Testament</i>
TDOT	<i>Theological Dictionary of the Old Testament</i>
Theol	<i>Theology</i>
ThR	<i>Theologische Rundschau</i>

TLZ	<i>Theologische Literaturzeitung</i>
TNTC	<i>Tyndale New Testament Commentaries</i>
TOTC	<i>Tyndale Old Testament Commentaries</i>
TRev	<i>Theological Review</i>
TrinJ	<i>Trinity Journal</i>
TS	<i>Theological Studies</i>
TSK	<i>Theologische Studien und Kritiken</i>
TU	<i>Texte und Untersuchungen</i>
TynB.	<i>Tyndale Bulletin</i>
TynBul	<i>Tyndale Bulletin</i>
TZ	<i>Theologische Zeitschrift</i>

## U

USQR	<i>Union Seminary Quarterly Review</i>
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## V

VC	<i>Vigiliae Christianae</i>
VetChr	<i>Vetera Christianorum</i>
VT	<i>Vetus Testamentum</i>
VTSup	<i>Vetus Testamentum, Supplements</i>

## W

WBC	<i>Word Biblical Commentary</i>
WEC	<i>Wycliffe Exegetical Commetary</i>
WMANT	<i>Wissenschaftliche Monographien zum Alten und Neuen Testament</i>
WTJ	<i>Westminster Theological Journal</i>
WUNT	<i>Wissenschaftliche Untersuchungen zum Neuen Testament</i>

## Y

YNER	<i>Yale Near Eastern Researcher</i>
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## Z

ZAC	<i>Zeitschrift fr Antikes Christentum - Journal of Ancient Christianity</i>
ZAW	<i>Zeitschrift fr die alttestamentliche Wissenschaft</i>
ZDMG	<i>Zeitschrift der Deutschen Morganlndischen Gesellschaft</i>
ZKG	<i>Zeitschrift fr Kirchengeschichte</i>
ZNW	<i>Zeitschrift fr die neutesamentliche Wissenschaft</i>
ZTK	<i>Zeitschrift fr Theologie und Kirche</i>



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