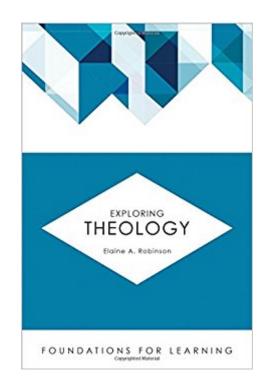


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This book, designed for seminary students at the beginning of their studies, could work well for a guided church workshop. It breaks down many complicated theories to allow the reader to interact with God and the reader's beliefs. I hope to use this book for future church devotions.

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