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Book Reviews Guidelines

Book reviews should be sent by email to the Book Reviews Editor, Jordan Wessling, at wesslingj@lindsey.edu.

The review should be a substantive critical appraisal of the work under consideration, between 1,500 and 3,000 words. Furthermore, it is the hope of the Editors that the reviews will, in some way, build bridges between theologians and analytic philosophers. Anything you can do within your review to realize that goal is appreciated.

Please do your best to adhere to the journal’s instructions for reviewers. These instructions are as follows:

1. Double-space the entire body of the review, but single-space the bibliographic information as well as your name and professional affiliation. The font should be 12 point, Times New Roman, and the pages should be 8.5” x 11” with one-inch margins all around. The review must be a Word document.

2. The bibliographic information should appear flush left and single-spaced at the top of the review in this format:

   Last Name, First Name of Author or Editor. Title of Book: Subtitle. Series title (if any). City, State: Publisher, Year. xx+XXX pp. $00.00 (hbk); $00.00 (paper).

3. Please type your name and professional affiliation, in single-spaced format that is flush right, beneath the book’s bibliographic information.

4. Provide page numbers for all quotations from the book under review as follows: “profound quote” (101).

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7. If you add italics to quoted material, indicate that the emphasis is yours: “Peter Martens notes that, according to Origen, postmortem punishment is educative” (11, my emphasis).

8. Words that you insert in a quoted passage should be enclosed in brackets, not parentheses.
(For example, “Given [libertarian] free will, God cannot ensure this.”)

To submit the completed review, send an email to wesslingj@lindsey.edu. All questions can be directed to Jordan Wessling at the aforementioned email address.

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