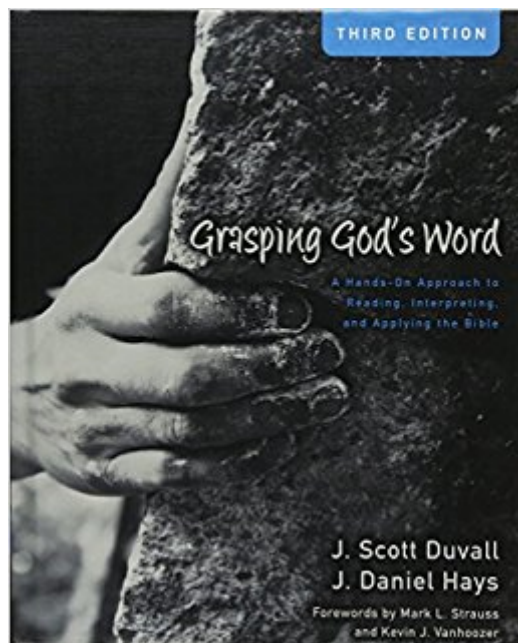




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Grasping God's Word: A Hands-On Approach To Reading, Interpreting, And Applying The Bible



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I'm on Chapter 3....and really enjoying this book! I did purchase the workbook as well. I'm glad I did. :)

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Great read for anyone desiring to grasp a truer understanding of God's word.

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Very great book. If you want to rightly divide the word of God; here is where to start!

Good stuff.

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