

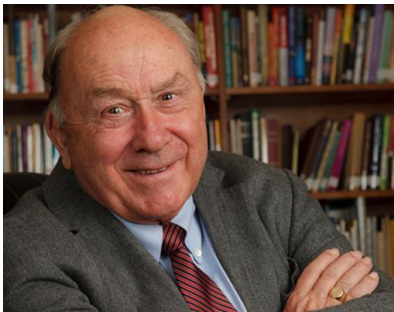
Good morning Glenn,

I am happy to give you a recommendation for the [*Bible In Stories*](#). I look forward to having you in my Sunday school class on April 2.

When I first saw the *Bible in Stories*, I felt this was a tool for parents to lead their children into a deeper knowledge of the Bible. It is done with beautiful artwork and meaningful stories that will keep the children's attention and rivet the lessons in their minds. This *Bible In Stories* set will give a deeper and better explanation of the Bible than any other.

Elmer L. Towns

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Dr. Elmer Towns is a college and seminary professor, an author of popular and scholarly works (the editor of two encyclopedias), a popular seminar lecturer, and dedicated worker in Sunday school, and has developed over 20 resource packets for leadership education. He began teaching at Midwest Bible College, St. Louis, Missouri, for three years and was not satisfied with his textbooks so he began writing his own (**he has published over 170 books** listed in the Library of Congress, 8 listed in the Christian Booksellers Best Selling List; several becoming accepted as college textbooks. He is also the 1995 recipient of the coveted Gold Medallion Award awarded by the Christian Booksellers Association for writing the Book of the Year, i.e., *The Names of the Holy Spirit*).

He was President of Winnipeg Bible College for five years, leading it to receive American Accreditation and Provincial authority to offer degrees (1960-1965). He taught at Trinity Evangelical Divinity School, in greater Chicago, Illinois, in the field of Religious Education and Evangelism (1965-1971).

He is co-founder of Liberty University, with Jerry Falwell, in 1971, and was the only full-time teacher in the first year of Liberty's existence. Today, the University has over 15,000 students on campus with over 95,000 in the Distance Learning Program (now Liberty University Online), and he is the Dean of the School of Religion.

Dr. Towns has given theological lectures and taught intensive seminars at over 50 theological seminaries in America and abroad. He holds visiting professorship rank in five seminaries. He has written over 2,000 reference and/or popular articles and received six honorary doctoral degrees. Four doctoral dissertations have analyzed his contribution to religious education and evangelism.

His personal education includes a B.S. from Northwestern College in Minneapolis, Minnesota, a M.A. from Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Texas, a Th.M. from Dallas Theological Seminary also in Dallas, a MRE from Garrett Theological Seminary in Evanston, Illinois, and a D.Min. from Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena, California.

Elmer L. Towns (born 1932) is co-founder of [Liberty University](#), the largest private, non-profit university in the world. Towns is also a prominent [Christian](#) leader, author and speaker on the principles of [church growth](#), church leadership, [Christian education](#), [Sunday School](#), and [prayer](#) and [fasting](#). He has authored over 170 books, 8 of which are listed on the [Christian Booksellers Association](#) Best Selling List. In 1995, he received the Gold Medallion Award from the Evangelical Christian Booksellers Association for Book of the Year in Biblical Study, *The Names of the Holy Spirit*. Most recently Towns served as Dean of the B. R. Lakin School of Religion, Dean of Liberty University Baptist Theological Seminary and Distinguished Professor of Systematic Theology at Liberty University. In the Fall of 2013, Towns announced he would be taking a sabbatical from his teaching and administration duties to focus on speaking and writing. [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Elmer L. Towns](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Elmer_L._Towns)