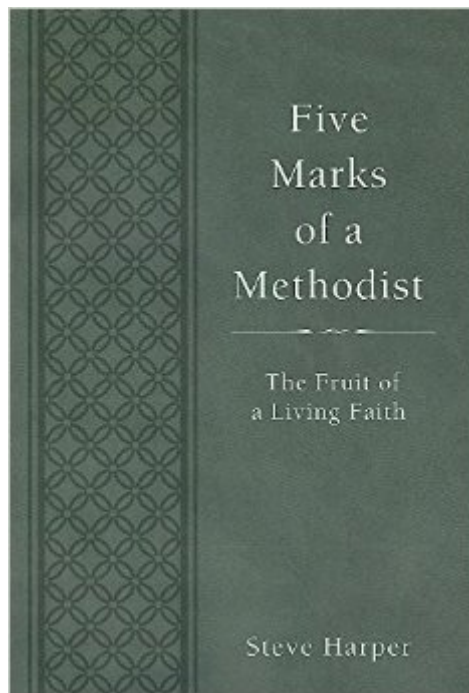


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The writing for such a small book is deep and theological. I did find *The Character of a Methodist* to be a better read and good prerequisite to the Five Marks. Need a leader with good Bible knowledge to lead a book study.

Steve Harper bases this book on John Wesley's *The Character of a Methodist*. In 1742 Mr. Wesley published this little treatise to refute the false claims critics were making against the members of his societies, *A Methodist Loves God* to me was a little slow getting underway but comes to its point, changing from churchianity to Christianity, from membership to discipleship. *A Methodist Rejoices in*

God for His love is personal to every person. A Methodist Gives Thanks; for each has the sure knowledge that God loves him or her, that prayers are received in His love. A Methodist Prays Constantly, and here Steve Harper lifts up liturgical prayer as essential as spontaneous prayer. Based on the Bible, it leads us to pray beyond our usual line of thought or concern, with the example of John Wesley. A Methodist Loves Others brings us to respond to Jesus' New Commandment, that we love one another just as he loves us. We do this in daily segments, 'one day at a time'. On Your Marks- now live this with this grace. It is challenging

Short and to the point. Good teaching book.

I loved how simply Harper summarized general Christian faith practices by way of John Wesley. This book is accessible both to the expert theologian and someone who simply wonders what a Christian ought to look like.

Steve brings Wesley's theology for a Methodist, and truly any believer in God, to a level easy for anyone to understand. It is my favorite daily read and starts my day off being thankful God is right there beside me.

John Wesley's five marks describe our basic Christian call to discipleship that followers of Christ wear proudly rather than the latest fashion.

Great foundations for all Christians to follow.

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