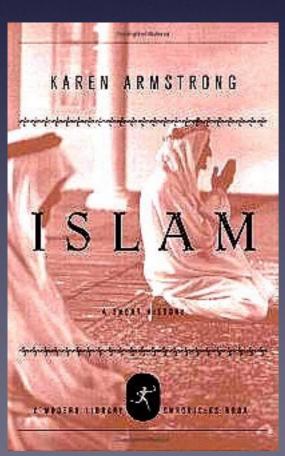
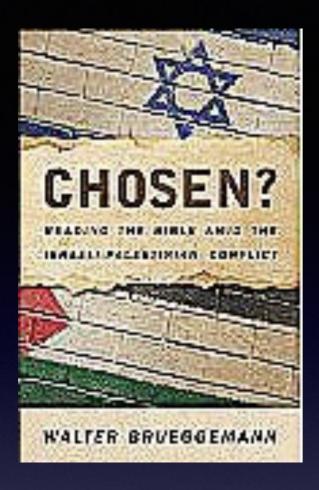


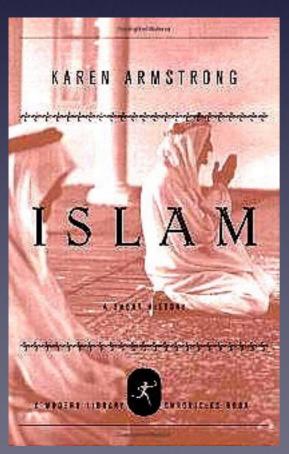
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Opening

Ken Kitteridge

BriefBio - Walter Breuggemann

- influential Hebrew Bible (OT) scholar and theologian
- Th.D from Union Theological Seminary, NY
- Ph.D from St Louis University
- 7 honorary degrees.
- Ordained in the United Church of Christ (now affiliated with United Church of Canada
- 58 books
- accuses Israel of "toxic ideology vv the Palestinians"
- known for combining literary and sociological modes
- contributor to "Living the Questions" study group.

Video - Walter Brueggemann "Making Sense of the God of the Old Testament" 27 April 2012

Brueggemann is regarded as one of the best of present day scholars on the subject of the Hebrew Bible (or Old Testament). In this lecture/sermon at St. Thomas Episcopal Church in Whitemarsh Pennsylvania, we are introduced to his broad knowledge and love of the subject. You'll also enjoy his expressive speaking style.

10 min segment (18m whole)

https://vimeo.com/42786176



BriefBio - Karen Armstrong

- ex-nun, ex-tv reporter
- Oxford English Literature
- author of 25 books on religious subjects.
- winner of a \$100,000 TED prize.
- used prize to found The Charter for Compassion
- scholar, lecturer, advocate, dissident
- described as "arguably the most lucid, wide-ranging and consistently interesting religion writer today"

Video - Karen Armstrong "Islam - a short history"

A 3 part documentary by WAMU - American University Radio. Hosted by Susan Paige.

posted in 3 10m segments.

This is part 1. See website for 2/3 links.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OcZ3EpxRj4o



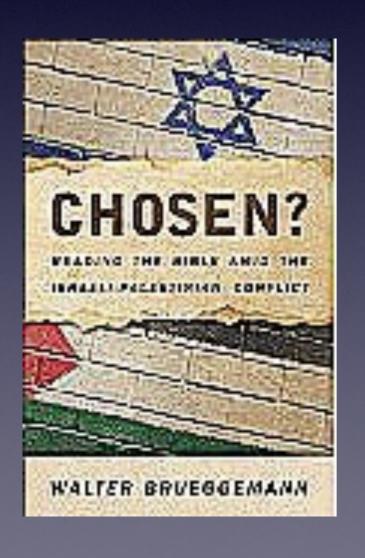
Break

Discussion Questions

1. What would you like to see as an element in this course?

2.

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Next Readings

Intro

Ch 1 Reading the Bible amid the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict

Study Website

http://chosen.stdavidscalgary.net

Closing

Canadian Kids Sing "Tala Al Badru Alayna" to welcome Syrian Refugees, a Historical song that was sung to the Prophet Mohamed when he sought refuge from Makkah to Medina. 3m

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-pmAODQ-rV0

