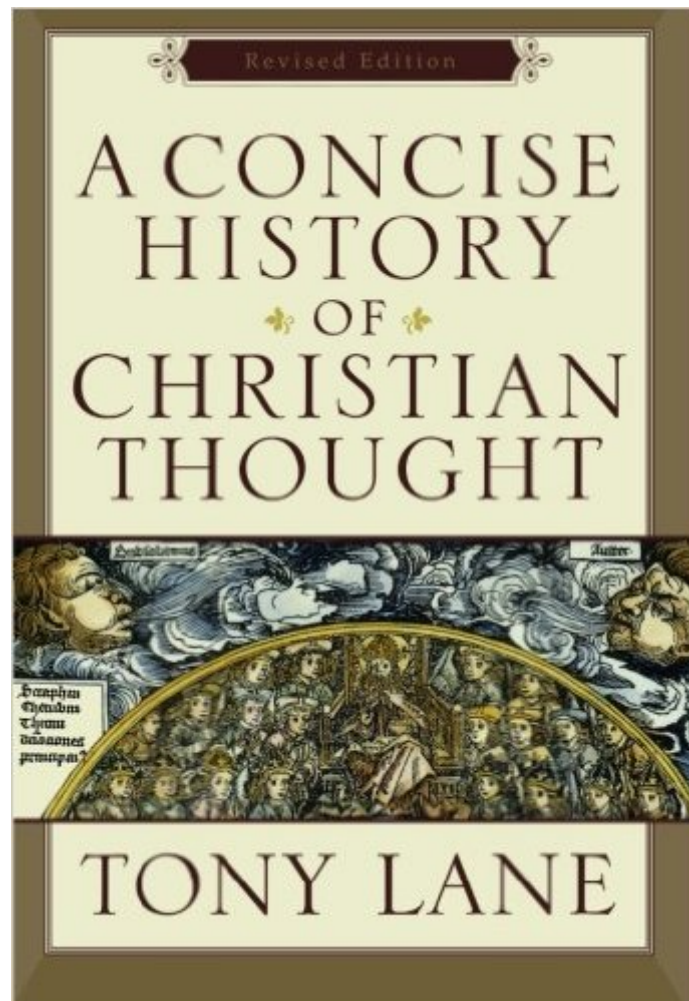


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# A Concise History Of Christian Thought



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I have used this in teaching homeschool high school classes. Great for getting an overview of Christian thought. It does not just cover church history, which focuses on events, but gives the history of ideas and theology.

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