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International Bibliography on Religious Freedom and Persecution (2004)

Part 1: English language publications

Building block: The Persecuted Church

Language: This bibliography contains entries of publications in the English language only. There is a separate Non-English bibliography available, mainly in German and French. Compiling bibliographies in other languages such as Spanish, Chinese, Arabic, Korean, Portuguese, etc. is a task others could undertake.

The task: This bibliography resulted from a request of the conveners of the Lausanne Forum 2004 Issue Group "The Persecuted Church" that an initial bibliography be established for the issue group to use as a resource for study. This bibliography would be focused on the persecuted church, and would exist to get a thorough understanding of the background and issues facing the Church with regards to persecution. The suggestions by the steering committee of the Lausanne Forum to the issue group leaders read: "Produce an annotated bibliography stating in a sentence the particular contribution of each book and put the books in order of priority or add another sentence suggesting the most important books to be read. It may be an advantage to indicate which books should be in theological college libraries."

Interests: I worked from the presupposition that we are most interested in the current situation, biblical guidelines and current Christian thinking. I am however aware that we are also shaped by history and need to learn from those who have "completed the race" before us. Therefore I have included some of the more recent works in the historical and biographical field. We could call it an "interest" bibliography. Therefore it is very selective and neither extensive nor exhaustive.

Structure: We decided to structure the bibliography by subjects. Within each block, books and larger documents come first, followed by essays and articles. The overall structure flows from general works to Christian works covering Biblical Studies, Dogmatics and Ethics, Church History, Contemporary Studies, Practical Theology, and Missiology.

Help: This is but a start. I would very much appreciate your contributions and corrections. It would greatly help, if you could follow the same style for additional entries and suggest a category. See below for a list of library catalogues and bibliographies still to be harvested.

Questions:

1. What is **missing**? We want to move from an introductory to a more extensive bibliography. We are planning to bring this bibliography up to date.
2. What are your **comments** on individual books? Where available I have included descriptions, abstracts or my own comments. More could be found on publishers' websites on the internet.

Feedback: If you want to send attachments with new entries (which are easier to process for me), please use my personal email address <christof(at)iirf.eu> [replace with @]

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- 4. Accounts of persecution in the history of the church up to 1899 (Church History)**
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- 6. Persecution and the life of the church (Practical Theology)**
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 - 6.9 Prayer
 - 6.10 Martyrologies (on the lists and books of martyrs)
 - 6.11 Advocacy

- 7. Persecution and cross-cultural mission (Missiology)**

1. General

1.1 Bibliographies

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International Mission Bibliography 2003: Human Rights 333-335, possibly more

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