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## An Introduction From the Editor

Our First Theme Issue: God and Time. In November 1999, the Evangelical Philosophical Society held its second special session in conjunction with the annual meeting of the American Academy of Religion and Society for Biblical Literature. In a large room with a standing-room-only crowd in Boston, we were treated to a marvelous exchange on the issue of "God and Time" by four deep thinkers on that topic. (Word to the wise: at our next special session in Nashville, November 18, 2000, arrive early to get a seat!) In case you were not able to be there, we are delighted to bring the meeting to you by presenting the papers here. The first four articles in this issue—those by Nicholas Wolterstorff, Alan G. Padgett, Paul Helm, and William Lane Craig—are the Boston 1999 papers. Rounding out our "God and Time" theme issue are two more excellent pieces submitted after our annual meeting by Douglas K. Blount and Garrett DeWeese.

The Future of Philosophia Christi. We in the EPS are delighted with the positive reactions we received to the first volume of our new series of Philosophia Christi—especially with the near tripling of subscriptions/memberships in the first year of publication. We are now at a crossroads with the new journal and need your help. It is our desire to move to a quarterly publication schedule while at the same time increasing our subscription rolls to over 1,000—a key financial breakeven point. In order to achieve these goals, we are asking our readers to invest in this publishing enterprise. If you would like to see Philosophia Christi make an impact world wide for first-rank Christian philosophy, would you consider giving a sacrificial (and tax deductible) gift to help us reach the next level of influence? If you would, you can send your contribution to our editorial office at Biola University (see inside covers) and we will promptly send back a receipt for tax purposes.

Thank you for your part in making the first year so successful!

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