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Editor's Introduction

We begin our third volume of the journal with a stimulating exchange on the issue of miracles. To get the full flavor of this symposium you will want to consult the book that provides the basis for the discussion: R. Douglas Geivett and Gary R. Habermas, eds., *In Defense of Miracles* (InterVarsity and Apollos, 1997). Deep thanks for this symposium-in-print go to Doug Geivett who coordinated all of the contributions and acted as guest editor for the papers. I am doubly grateful because Doug is also coordinating the symposium for the fall issue on Alvin Plantinga's *Warranted Christian Belief* (Oxford University Press, 2000).

I hope you have noticed that I have not yet mentioned the word 'miracle' in relation to the fact that we are beginning our third year of publication. However, it is a tempting word to use because we are not simply limping along, but are leaping into our third year with subscription roles up almost 70% over our last issue and some of the finest libraries in the world now adding *Philosophia Christi* to their serials list.

If you are a continuing subscriber, you probably couldn't help but notice the girth of this issue—over double the page count of our first issue in 1999. The growth in size will likely continue until we bite the bullet and move to a quarterly publication schedule in the near future. The quarterly print schedule is an expensive proposition, hence we shall continue our fund-raising efforts to make that a reality as soon as feasible.

As always, we solicit your involvement in this publishing venture. If you would like to be a referee or a book reviewer in your area of specialization, we would be delighted to have you. And of course, if you have a research article or a shorter essay that might work as a "philosophical note," we would be glad to have the opportunity to review it for publication. Our subscription numbers have now surpassed those of other journals of our type, so you should be confident that many readers will have the chance to encounter the product of your scholarly labors if it is published in *Philosophia Christi*.

With all best wishes as the new school year approaches,

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