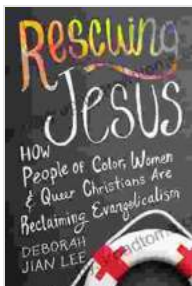


LGBTQ+ and People of Color Are Reclaiming Evangelicalism

Evangelicalism has long been associated with conservatism and homophobia, but a new generation of LGBTQ+ and people of color Christians are challenging that narrative.



Rescuing Jesus: How People of Color, Women, and Queer Christians are Reclaiming Evangelicalism

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In the book *How People of Color, Women, and Queer Christians Are Reclaiming Evangelicalism*, authors Candice Marie Benbow and Emily Thomes explore the experiences of these marginalized groups within evangelicalism.

They argue that evangelicalism is not inherently homophobic or racist, but that these ideologies have been used to exclude and oppress LGBTQ+ and people of color Christians.

However, these groups are reclaiming evangelicalism, and creating a more inclusive and welcoming space for all.

LGBTQ+ Christians

LGBTQ+ Christians have long been marginalized within evangelicalism, but they are now speaking out and demanding to be heard.

In 2017, the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) became the first major evangelical denomination to allow openly gay clergy.

This was a landmark decision, and it has paved the way for other denominations to follow suit.

In recent years, there has been a growing movement of LGBTQ+ Christians who are coming out and sharing their stories.

These stories are challenging the traditional view of evangelicalism as homophobic, and they are helping to create a more welcoming space for LGBTQ+ Christians.

People of Color Christians

People of color have also been marginalized within evangelicalism, but they are now working to reclaim their place.

In recent years, there has been a growing movement of people of color Christians who are speaking out against racism and white supremacy.

These Christians are calling for a more inclusive and diverse evangelicalism, and they are working to create a space where all people

feel welcome.

Queer Christians

Queer Christians are those who identify as LGBTQ+ and also identify as Christian.

Queer Christians have often been marginalized by both the LGBTQ+ community and the Christian community.

However, there is a growing movement of queer Christians who are reclaiming their place in both communities.

These Christians are challenging the traditional views of both LGBTQ+ and Christian identities, and they are helping to create a more inclusive and welcoming space for all.

The experiences of LGBTQ+ and people of color Christians within evangelicalism are complex and varied.

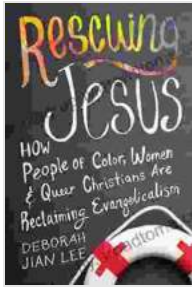
However, one thing is clear: these groups are reclaiming evangelicalism, and they are creating a more inclusive and welcoming space for all.

The book *How People of Color, Women, and Queer Christians Are Reclaiming Evangelicalism* is a powerful and important read for anyone who wants to understand the future of evangelicalism.

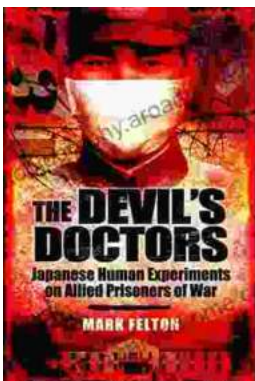
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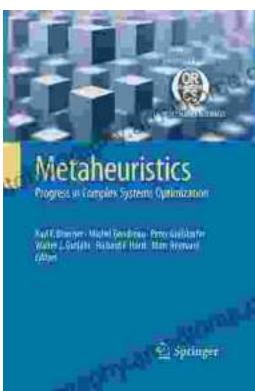


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