

# HOWELL, DAVID H.

## David H. Howell papers, 1951-1954

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### Descriptive Summary

**Creator:** Howell, David H.  
**Title:** David H. Howell papers, 1951-1954  
**Call Number:** Manuscript Collection No. 363  
**Extent:** 0.8 cubic ft. (2 boxes)  
**Abstract:** Consists of 8 volumes of class notes from a Candler student in the 1950s.  
**Language:** Materials entirely in English.

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### Collection Description

#### Biographical Note

David Howell graduated from Candler School of Theology in 1954 with a Bachelor of Divinity and later spent his career as a minister in the Virginia Conference of the United Methodist Church. While a student at Candler, his research interests focused on the history of the Christian Church, theology, and ethics.

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**Scope and Content Note**

The papers consist of David Howell's course papers during his studies at Candler School of Theology, arranged into eight bound volumes according to topic assigned by Howell. The materials are from courses taught by Candler School of Theology professors Claude Thompson, Mack Stokes, Bard Thompson, and W.R. Cannon and include course syllabi and outlines, as well as Howell's notes, assignments, and exams. The papers provide an extensive glimpse into theological education in the early 1950s.

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## Container List

### Volume: "Christian Thought, vol. 1"

Box	Folder	Content
1		Course C-301 Theism; Instructor: Dr. Claude Thompson; Description: Course outline, notes, book reviews, bibliography, mid-term examination
1		Course C-303 Doctrine of Redemption; Instructor: Dr. Mack Stokes; Description: Course outline, notes, book reviews, bibliography
1		Course C-313 Christian Ethics; Instructor: Dr. Mack Stokes; Description: Syllabus, notes, bibliography, book reviews
1		Course C-345 Theology of the New Testament; Part I; Instructor: Dr. James M. Robinson; Description: Course outline, notes
1		Course C-347 Theology of the New Testament; Part II; Instructor: Dr. James M. Robinson; Description: Notes

### Volume: "Christian Thought, vol. 2"

1		Course C-311 The Philosophy of History; Instructor: Dr. Mack Stokes; Description: Syllabus, notes, book reviews
1		Course C-328 the Theology of Soren Kierkegaard; Instructor: Dr. Mack Stokes; Description: Notes, notes on class reports, supplements
1		Course C-337 Incarnation and Atonement; Instructor: Dr. Claude Thompson; Description: Notes, compositions (focus on Christology)
1		Course C-339 Problems of Authority; Instructor: Dr. Claude Thompson; Description: Notes, notes on seminar papers, seminar paper (focus on fundamentalism)
1		Course C-354 Theology and Evangelism; Instructor: Dr. Claude Thompson; Description: Notes, article review, composition, questions and answers on text
1		Course C-356 Doctrine of Christian Perfection; Instructor: Dr. Claude Thompson; Description: Notes, article review, questions on text

### Volume: "Historical Theology"

1		Course B-343 Seminar in John Calvin; Instructor: Dr. Bard Thompson; Description: Syllabus, notes, seminar papers and notes, parallel reading outlines
1		Course B-321 History of Christian Doctrine; Instructor: Dr. W.R. Cannon; Description: Course outline, notes

### Volume: "Missions and History of Religion"

1		Course D-301 History of Religion; Instructor: Dr. Arva C. Floyd; Description: Class notes and charts
1		Course D-302 The Rise of Younger Churches Overseas; Instructor: Dr. Arva C. Floyd; Description: Class notes

- 1 Course D-306 Philosophy of Christian Missions; Instructor: Dr. Arva C. Floyd;  
Description: Class notes
- 1 Course D-322 The Ecumenical Movement; Instructor: Dr. Arva C. Floyd;  
Description: Class notes, charts and term papers
- 1 Course Indian Interpretation of the Fourth Gospel; Instructor: Dr. Ahmad-Shah;  
Description: Syllabus, bibliography, and class notes

**Volume: "History of Christianity, vol. 1"**

- 2 Course B-301 History of Ancient and Medieval Christianity; Instructor: Dr. Bard Thompson; Description: Course outline, notes
- 2 Course B-303 History of the Protestant Reformation and Modern Christianity; Instructor: Dr. Bard Thompson; Description Final examination from "History of Ancient and Medieval Christianity" course, midquarter examination, course outline, notes, final examination

**Volume: "History of Christianity, vol. 2"**

- 2 Course B-317 History of American Christianity; Instructor: Dr. Bard Thompson; Description: Course outline, course requirements, bibliography, notes

**Volume: "History of Christianity, vol. 3"**

- 2 Course B-335 History of Christian Worship; Instructor: Dr. Bard Thompson; Description: Course requirements, course outline, Church service pamphlets, images, descriptions of service types

**Volume: "History of Christianity, vol. 4"**

- 2 Course B-345 A Century of Preparation for Methodism: 1650-1750; Instructor: Dr. Bard Thompson; Description: Seminar agendas, syllabus, notes, seminar papers
- 2 Course B-318 John Wesley and the Genesis of Methodism; Instructor: Dr. W. R. Cannon; Description: Syllabus, notes
- 2 Course B-320 History of American Methodism; Instructor: Dr. W. R. Cannon; Description: Notes
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