



Eternal God: A Study of God without Time

By Paul Helm

[Download now](#)

[Read Online](#) 

Eternal God: A Study of God without Time By Paul Helm

Paul Helm presents a new, expanded edition of his much praised 1988 book *Eternal God*, which defends the view that God exists in timeless eternity. This is the classical Christian view of God, but it is claimed by many theologians and philosophers of religion to be incoherent. Paul Helm rebuts the charge of incoherence, arguing that divine timelessness is grounded in the idea of God as creator, and that this alone makes possible a proper account of divine omniscience. He develops some of the consequences of divine timelessness, particularly as it affects both divine and human freedom, and considers some of the alleged problems about referring to God. The book thus constitutes a unified treatment of the main concepts of philosophical theology. Helm's revised edition includes four new chapters that develop and extend his account of God and time, taking account of significant work in the area that has appeared since the publication of the first edition, by such prominent figures as William Lane Craig, Brian Leftow, and Richard Swinburne. This new discussion takes the reader into further areas, notably timelessness and creation and the nature of divine causality.

 [Download Eternal God: A Study of God without Time ...pdf](#)

 [Read Online Eternal God: A Study of God without Time ...pdf](#)

Eternal God: A Study of God without Time

By Paul Helm

Eternal God: A Study of God without Time By Paul Helm

Paul Helm presents a new, expanded edition of his much praised 1988 book *Eternal God* , which defends the view that God exists in timeless eternity. This is the classical Christian view of God, but it is claimed by many theologians and philosophers of religion to be incoherent. Paul Helm rebuts the charge of incoherence, arguing that divine timelessness is grounded in the idea of God as creator, and that this alone makes possible a proper account of divine omniscience. He develops some of the consequences of divine timelessness, particularly as it affects both divine and human freedom, and considers some of the alleged problems about referring to God. The book thus constitutes a unified treatment of the main concepts of philosophical theology. Helm's revised edition includes four new chapters that develop and extend his account of God and time, taking account of significant work in the area that has appeared since the publication of the first edition, by such prominent figures as William Lane Craig, Brian Leftow, and Richard Swinburne. This new discussion takes the reader into further areas, notably timelessness and creation and the nature of divine causality.

Eternal God: A Study of God without Time By Paul Helm Bibliography

- Sales Rank: #1164694 in Books
- Published on: 2011-01-29
- Original language: English
- Number of items: 1
- Dimensions: 5.70" h x 1.10" w x 8.60" l, 1.15 pounds
- Binding: Hardcover
- 320 pages

 [Download Eternal God: A Study of God without Time ...pdf](#)

 [Read Online Eternal God: A Study of God without Time ...pdf](#)

Download and Read Free Online *Eternal God: A Study of God without Time* By Paul Helm

Editorial Review

Review

Review from previous edition: "Helm develops his ideas in an exceptionally lucid manner and, more importantly for most prospective readers, without the arcane language of symbolic logic - he writes in English. Although the standard of argumentation is quite sophisticated, he has managed to present his case with consummate clarity and readability. There is a signal absence of technical philosophical jargon." --Colin Wright, *Christianity and Society*

"A welcome and stimulating treatment of the problem of God's timelessness ... This is a very clear and accessible book; it would make a good text for a graduate seminar and will certainly be required reading for anyone working in this field." --Review of *Metaphysics*

"Swimming against the tide of contemporary philosophical orthodoxy, Helm has produced an indomitable defence of the concept of a timeless God ... undoubtedly an intellectual tour de force which will drive readers into a reappraisal of a philosophically unfashionable theology ... Helm is a lucid communicator, presenting essentially difficult ideas with remarkable clarity." --*Themelios*

"It is ... particularly opportune and appropriate to have a resolute defence of the doctrine of God's atemporal eternity from a philosophical theologian and logician of great skill and acumen." --*Journal of Theological Studies*

About the Author

Paul Helm was educated at Worcester College, Oxford, and was for many years a member of the Philosophy Department of the University of Liverpool. From 1993-2000 he was the Professor of the History and Philosophy of Religion, King's College, London. In 2001 he was appointed J.I.Packer Chair of Philosophical Theology at Regent College, Vancouver. He is presently a Teaching Fellow there.

Users Review

From reader reviews:

Bill Flores:

The book *Eternal God: A Study of God without Time* gives you the sense of being enjoy for your spare time. You may use to make your capable much more increase. Book can to become your best friend when you getting tension or having big problem with your subject. If you can make looking at a book *Eternal God: A Study of God without Time* being your habit, you can get considerably more advantages, like add your personal capable, increase your knowledge about a few or all subjects. You can know everything if you like wide open and read a book *Eternal God: A Study of God without Time*. Kinds of book are a lot of. It means that, science book or encyclopedia or others. So , how do you think about this book?

Steven Bourg:

Now a day people who Living in the era just where everything reachable by interact with the internet and the

resources inside it can be true or not need people to be aware of each data they get. How people have to be smart in obtaining any information nowadays? Of course the solution is reading a book. Studying a book can help men and women out of this uncertainty Information specifically this Eternal God: A Study of God without Time book as this book offers you rich details and knowledge. Of course the information in this book hundred pct guarantees there is no doubt in it you know.

Alice Winfield:

This Eternal God: A Study of God without Time is brand-new way for you who has fascination to look for some information since it relief your hunger of information. Getting deeper you into it getting knowledge more you know or you who still having bit of digest in reading this Eternal God: A Study of God without Time can be the light food for you personally because the information inside this specific book is easy to get by anyone. These books build itself in the form that is certainly reachable by anyone, that's why I mean in the e-book form. People who think that in e-book form make them feel sleepy even dizzy this e-book is the answer. So there is not any in reading a publication especially this one. You can find actually looking for. It should be here for an individual. So , don't miss it! Just read this e-book type for your better life as well as knowledge.

Kimberly Casselman:

A lot of book has printed but it takes a different approach. You can get it by world wide web on social media. You can choose the most effective book for you, science, witty, novel, or whatever by searching from it. It is known as of book Eternal God: A Study of God without Time. You'll be able to your knowledge by it. Without departing the printed book, it might add your knowledge and make you happier to read. It is most essential that, you must aware about book. It can bring you from one place to other place.

Download and Read Online Eternal God: A Study of God without Time By Paul Helm #5RPNTJOH016

Read Eternal God: A Study of God without Time By Paul Helm for online ebook

Eternal God: A Study of God without Time By Paul Helm Free PDF d0wnl0ad, audio books, books to read, good books to read, cheap books, good books, online books, books online, book reviews epub, read books online, books to read online, online library, greatbooks to read, PDF best books to read, top books to read Eternal God: A Study of God without Time By Paul Helm books to read online.

Online Eternal God: A Study of God without Time By Paul Helm ebook PDF download

Eternal God: A Study of God without Time By Paul Helm Doc

Eternal God: A Study of God without Time By Paul Helm MobiPocket

Eternal God: A Study of God without Time By Paul Helm EPub

5RPNTJOH016: Eternal God: A Study of God without Time By Paul Helm