

Required common texts (prices as of 11/01/2024)

1. Court, Deborah. *Qualitative Research and Intercultural Understanding: Conducting Qualitative Research in Multicultural Settings*. New York, NY: Routledge, 2017. (ebook Amazon \$51.67)
 - Styberg library has ebook.
2. Creswell, John W., and Cheryl N. Poth. *Qualitative Inquiry & Research Design: Choosing Among Five Approaches*. 5th ed. Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE, 2024. (Kindle \$57.60)
 - Styberg library has 4th ed. in reference.
3. Moschella, Mary Clark. *Ethnography as a Pastoral Practice: An Introduction*. 2nd rev ed. Cleveland, Ohio: Pilgrim Press, 2023. (Amazon \$27.85)
 - Styberg library as 1st ed. in circulation.
4. Smith, Linda Tuhiwai. *Decolonizing Methodologies: Research and Indigenous Peoples*, 2nd ed. London & New York: Zed Books, 2012. ISBN: 9781848139503. (eBook \$19.99)
 - Styberg library as 2nd ed. online.
5. Swinton, John and Harriet Mowatt. *Practical Theology and Qualitative Research*. 2nd ed. London: SCM Press, 2016. (Amazon \$25.49)
 - Styberg library as 2nd ed. online.
6. Sensing, Tim. *Qualitative Research: A Multi-Methods Approach to Projects for Doctor of Ministry Theses*. 2nd ed. Eugene, Oregon: Wipf and Stock Publishers, 2022. (Amazon \$39.11)
 - Styberg library has 2nd ed. online.

Choose one for book and methodology review

1. Baker, Dori Grinenko. *Girl/Friend Theology God-Talk with Young People*. 2nd ed. La Vergne: Pilgrim Press, 2023.
2. Chaves, Mark. *Congregations in America*. Cambridge, Massachusetts: Harvard University Press, 2004.
3. Chen, Carolyn, and Russell Jeung. *Sustaining Faith Traditions: Race, Ethnicity, and Religion among the Latino and Asian American Second Generation*. New York: New York University Press, 2012.
4. Crain, Margaret Ann and Jack L. Seymour. *Yearning for God: Reflections of Faithful Lives*. Nashville: Upper Room Books, 2003.
5. Emerson, Michael O, and Christian Smith. *Divided by Faith: Evangelical Religion and the Problem of Race in America*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2001.
6. Frank, Thomas E. *The Soul of the Congregation*. Abingdon, 2000.
7. Hoge, Dean R., Benton Johnson, and Donald A. Luidens. *Vanishing Boundaries: The Religion of Mainline Protestant Baby Boomers*. 1st ed. Louisville: Westminster/John

- Knox Press, 1994. The study is based on a nationwide selection of persons confirmed in Presbyterian churches who were between 33 and 42 years old in 1989.
8. Ingall, Carol K. *Down the Up Staircase: Tales of Teaching in Jewish Day Schools*. The Jewish Theological Seminary of America, 2006.
 9. Jeung, Russell, Seanan S Fong, and Helen Jin Kim. *Family Sacrifices: The Worldviews and Ethics of Chinese Americans*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2019.
 10. Josselson, Ruthellen. *Revising Herself: The Story of Women's Identity from College to Midlife*. New York: Oxford University Press, 1996.
 11. Lawless, Elaine. *Holy Women, Wholly Women*. Univ. of Pennsylvania Press, 1993.
 12. Marti, Gerardo. *A Mosaic of Believers: Diversity and Innovation in a Multiethnic Church*. Indiana University Press, 2005.
 13. Martinson, Roland D., David W. Anderson, and Paul Hill. *Coming of Age: Exploring the Identity and Spirituality of Younger Men*. Augsburg press, 2006.
 14. Patillo-McCoy, Mary. *Black Pickett Fences: Privilege and Peril Among the Black Middle Class*. University of Chicago Press, 1999.
 15. Sadowski, Michael. *In a Queer Voice: Journeys of Resilience from Adolescence to Adulthood*. Temple University Press, 2013.
 16. Thomas, Linda E. *Under the Canopy: Ritual Process and Spiritual Resilience in South Africa*. University of South Carolina, 1999.
 17. Tribble, Jeffery L., Sr. *Transformative Pastoral Leadership in the Black Church*. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2005.
 18. Wright, Almeda M. *The Spiritual Lives of Young African Americans*. New York, NY, United States of America: Oxford University Press, 2017.
 19. Wright, Dana E. *Active Learning: Social Justice Education and Participatory Action Research*. Routledge, 2015.

For further research (multidisciplinary literature)

1. Alice McIntyre, *Participatory Action Research*. Sage Publications, 2007. ISBN-10: 1412953669. \$17.53
2. Ammerman, Nancy T., Jackson W. Carroll, Carl S. Dudley, and William McKinney. *Studying Congregations: A New Handbook*. Abingdon Press, 1998. (Amazon \$26.43)
3. Andrews, Dale P., and Robert London Smith. *Black Practical Theology*. Edited by Dale P. Andrews and Robert London Smith. Waco, Texas: Baylor University Press, 2015.
4. Behar, Ruth, and Deborah A. Gordon. *Women Writing Culture*. Berkeley: University of California Press, 1995. ISBN 0520202082
5. Behar, Ruth. *The Vulnerable Observer: Anthropology That Breaks Your Heart*. Boston: Beacon Press, 1996. ISBN 0807046302. (\$19.00)
6. Carroll, Jackson W. and Wade Clark Roof, eds. *Beyond Establishment: Protestant Identity in a Post-Protestant Age*. Louisville: Westminster/John Knox Press, 1993. Chapter 2, "Denominational Identity and the Church School – Teasing Out a Relationship," is by Mary Elizabeth and Allen Moore.
7. Christian Scharen, *Fieldwork in Theology: Exploring the Social Context of God's Work in the World*. Baker Academic, ISBN 9780801049309.
8. D. Jean Clandinin, *Engaging in Narrative Inquiry*. Left Coast Press, 2013. ISBN-13: 978-1611321609
9. Emerson, Michael O., and Christian Smith. *Divided by Faith: Evangelical Religion and the Problem of Race in America*. Oxford; New York: Oxford University Press, 2000.
10. Hammersley, Martyn, and Paul Atkinson. *Ethnography: Principles in Practice*. 3rd ed. London; New York: Routledge, 2007. ISBN 0415396050. (\$44.58)
11. Jones, Robert P. *The End of White Christian America*. First Simon & Schuster paperback edition. ed. New York: Simon & Schuster Paperbacks, 2017. ISBN 9781501122323. (\$11.55)
12. Miller-McLemore, Bonnie J. *The Wiley-Blackwell Companion to Practical Theology*. Malden, Mass: Wiley-Blackwell, 2012. (Amazon \$46.16)
13. Norman K Denzin and Yvonna Lincoln, eds., *The Landscape of Qualitative Research: Theories and issues*, Sage Publications, Third Edition, 2007. ISBN-10: 1412957583
14. Norman K. Denzin and Michael D. Giardina eds. *Qualitative Inquiry and Social Justice*. Walnut Creek, CA: Left Coast Press, 2009. [United Library HM671 .Q34]. Full of interesting articles about risk and advocacy. ISBN-10: 1598744224
15. Norman K. Denzin and Yvonna Lincoln, *Collecting and Interpreting Qualitative Materials*. Sage Publications, 2007. ISBN-10: 1412957575
16. Putnam, Robert D., and David E. Campbell. *American Grace: How Religion Divides and Unites Us*. 1st Simon & Schuster hardcover ed. New York: Simon & Schuster, 2010. ISBN 9781416566717. (\$11.59)
17. Robert M. Emerson, *Writing Ethnographic Fieldnotes (Chicago guides to Writing, Editing and Publishing)*. Univ. of Chicago Press, 1995. ISBN-10: 0-226-20681-5

18. Rossman, Gretchen B., Sharon F. Rallis, and Gretchen B. Rossman. *An Introduction to Qualitative Research: Learning in the Field*. Fourth Edition. ed. Thousand Oaks: SAGE Publications, Inc., 2017.
19. Ruth Behar, *The Vulnerable Observer: Anthropology that Breaks Your Heart*. Boston: Beacon Press, 1996.
20. Ruthellen Josselson, *Interviewing for Qualitative Inquiry: A Relational Approach* The Guilford Press, 2013. ISBN-13: 978-1462510009. (\$25.10)
21. Savage, Carl and William Presnell. *Narrative Research in Ministry: A Postmodern Research Approach for Faith Communities*. Louisville: Wayne E. Oates Institute, 2008. ISBN-10: 1892990288
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23. Scharen, Christian. *Explorations in Ecclesiology and Ethnography*. Studies in Ecclesiology and Ethnography. Grand Rapids, Mich.: W.B. Eerdmans Pub. Co., 2012. ISBN 9780802868640
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