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"Good sermons express passions that help listeners care, convey concerns that invite listener involvement, communicate life and faith in ways that ring true, and embody these gifts as a communication of the word of God that can become words of life. This book introduces preachers to the essential tools of effective communication, demonstrates how to identify their effect in the talk of listeners, and then sends preachers out to become ethnographers of effective communication for their own congregations. Listening to Listeners is the rare book that provides preachers and students with real talk about how listeners experience a ministry of preaching as part of their own faith formation. If you long for more than 'Good sermon, pastor' and a handshake, this is the book of the real conversations preachers have been hungry to hear."

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