

Document Of Release And Distribution Of The **DICKSON TEACHER'S BIBLE COMMENTARY**

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The worldwide impact of the formerly entitled *Dickson Teacher's Bible* — now in the new edition referred to as the *Dickson Teacher's Bible Commentary (DTBC)* — has necessitated this document of policy for printing and distribution beyond the life of the author, Dr. Roger E. Dickson. In view of the more than one million distributed volumes of this literary work through hardcopies, Internet and the BRL DVD, it has now become imperative that a statement of policy be published and circulated concerning the printing and distribution in the future of this valuable publication. Because of the desire of so many individuals, bookstores and publishing houses, the author seeks through this document to clarify the future printing and distribution of the DTBC. It is assumed that everyone involved in the distribution of this unique volume will follow the policies below in making the DTBC available to as many people as possible in the decades to come:

Article 1: PRINTING: The future printing of the DTBC is released to any national or international printing company. In reference to worldwide printing and distribution, I have released the printing and distribution of the DTBC to AMITY PRINTING COMPANY in Nanjing, China, as well as to other national printing companies throughout the world. Since the printing of the DTBC has been printed by several national printing companies throughout the years, this policy will continue. However, if national distributors seek to work together in order to do bulk printing of the DTBC, then they can work with any printing company as long as they conform to all the policies of payment of the local printing company.

Article 2: NATIONAL DISTRIBUTION: As can be correctly assumed, all distribution of the National Distributors must be based on the Christian principles of good business practices. This means that any group (i.e.: bookstores) or individuals have a right to order printed quantities of the DTBC from any printer, pay for that printing, as well as cover all the cost of shipping/trucking of the volumes to the site of distribution. From printer to people, the distributing group or individual has the right to build into the sale of the volume all printing and distribution costs. The distributors have the right to determine the local sale price of the volumes. In this price must be included profits for the reprinting of the DTBC. In the selling of the DTBC, the price of sale must guarantee the continued production of the DTBC in the years to come.

Article 3: OPEN COPYRIGHT: Because of the great demand for the DTBC among Christians within countries throughout the world, it is imperative that no one bookstore or individual market the volume on the basis of a monopoly. Though all bookstores, distribution centers, and individuals within a country may choose to work together in order to print the volume with a printing company, no one bookstore, distribution center or individual can claim monopoly rights to the sale and distribution of the DTBC within any country. Such a practice would obviously hinder the nationwide sale of the volume, for no one distributor has the capacity to market such a volume nationwide. This does not, however, prevent all those within a nation from working together to establish a common price for the sale of the volume. I would encourage everyone who is marketing the volume within a nation not to work in competition with one another. Everyone must keep in mind that the printing and marketing of this volume of literature is for the spiritual betterment of the nation as a whole.

Article 4: Internet Access and Printing: The DTBC is listed on the website of www.roger-e-dickson.org. Anyone has the right to download the text of the DTBC from the Internet and print out hardcopies. These hardcopies may be printed and distributed to churches and nations for the spiritual benefit of the people. No written permission is needed for either downloading or printing.

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