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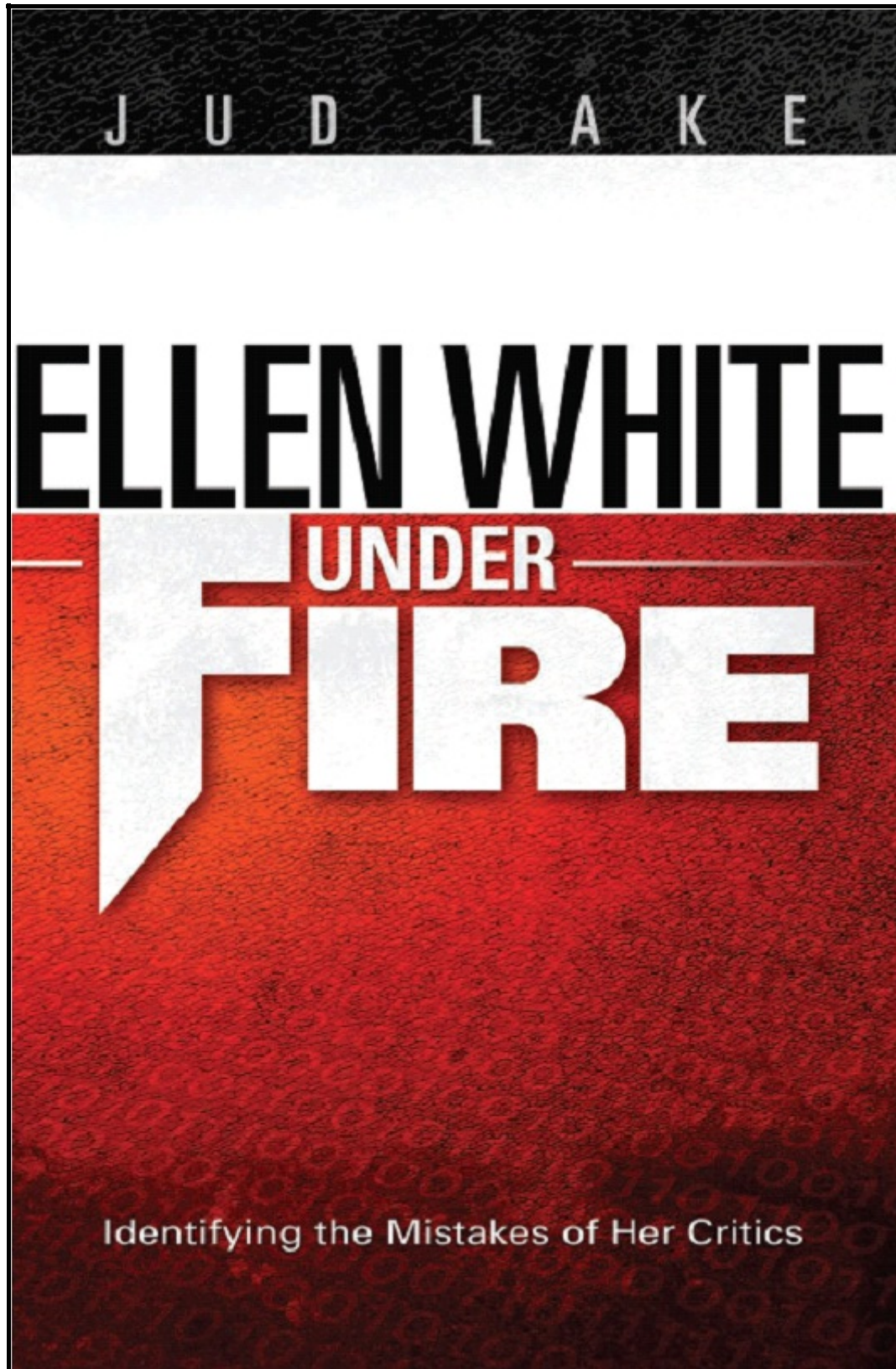


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WHAT REVIEWERS SAY ABOUT THE BOOK

“Good stuff! Perceptive! A book long overdue! Straightforward and clear in dealing with irresponsible Ellen White bashing. Whether you love Ellen White or hate her, this is a book that you need to read.” —George Knight, professor emeritus of church history, Andrews University

“Dr. Jud Lake traces the history of Ellen White’s critics from the earliest days of her ministry until the present. He demonstrates how an accurate understanding of inspiration prevents one from falling into the false expectations raised by her critics. . . . This invaluable book provides a real service to all who have read charges made against Mrs. White and have wanted clear, factual answers to refute those false claims.” —James R. Nix, director, Ellen G. White Estate, Silver Spring, Maryland

“Jud Lake takes you on a historical journey of Ellen White apologetics that is a *tour de force*. This brilliant book, written in a lucid style, lays bare the charges of the critics. Lake tackles difficult topics and then offers compelling reasons why Ellen G. White remains both relevant and authoritative as the prophetic voice for the Seventh-day Adventist Church.” —Michael Campbell, pastor, Montrose, Colorado

“Jud Lake has produced a book that is a model of SDA apologetics. His defense of Ellen White is marked by thorough research . . . and a balanced theological perspective grounded in responsible biblical exegesis. The entire effort comes wrapped in a graciousness and respect for those who have mounted the attacks on Ellen White. . . . This book is simply a must read for any honest-hearted person who has issues with the prophetic ministry of Ellen G. White.” —Woodrow W. Whidden, professor of historical and systematic theology, Adventist International Institute of Advanced Studies, Cavite, Silang, Philippines

“Ellen White Under Fire is specifically designed to answer questions raised by current Web sites critical of Ellen White. Every Adventist who has friends that use the Internet needs the concepts in this book. It clearly exposes the deceptive methods and arguments used by current critics. . . . I highly recommend it to all students of Ellen White.”—Jerry Moon, associate professor of church history and chair of the church history department, Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary, Andrews University

“Jud Lake is to be commended for addressing the deeper issues behind all the attacks on Ellen White. *Ellen White Under Fire* provides a careful analysis of the major issues in the writings of Ellen White—inspiration, authority, and interpretation. His chapter summaries are useful for students and teachers in reviewing the material, and the extensive endnotes provide an excellent resource for further studies. The book will be a real help for those confronted by the multitude of Web sites and books attacking Ellen White.”—Gerhard Pfandl, associate director, Biblical Research Institute

“Jud Lake joins previous apologists with a contemporary defense of Ellen G. White and her writings. His defense is the result of years of study and is accurate and compelling. This book is a must read for every Seventh-day Adventist and all who want to know the truth about Ellen G. White.”—Norman R. Gulley, research professor in systematic theology, Southern Adventist University

