

Plato and the Bible



PHIL 250

**Spring 2019
MW 3:10-4:25**

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Does philosophy seem dry to you?

Join us this summer as we leave behind the dusty, old canon of Western philosophy for the rich and intricate wisdom literature of the Hebrews. Learn to love, to live, to face death, and to suffer as the ancient Hebrews did, as well as explore the connections between Hebrew wisdom and Egyptian and Greek thought. Explore the secrets of the universe concealed in the Book of Genesis, learn how to endure suffering gracefully with the book of Job, cultivate the art of seduction with the Song of Songs, acquire the discernment of King Solomon in the book of Ecclesiastes, learn how to interpret the prophecies of Daniel, and, finally, discover the hidden way of love with the Book of Matthew.