



From the Editor: Celebrating 20 Years

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On behalf of Regent University's School of Business and Leadership (SBL) and the editorial board of the *Journal of Biblical Perspectives in Leadership*, I extend my deepest gratitude to you for supporting the journal.

This issue continues our mission of exploring, engaging, and extending the field of knowledge and understanding of the phenomenon of leadership as found within the context of the Hebrew and Christian scriptures. The continuing conversation of human flourishing, particularly as understood through the eyes of servant leadership, supplied a compelling catalyst for this issue.

I am honored to carry on, with my co-editor Dr. Alex Wright, the mantle of editorial leadership handed down by former co-editor Dr. Joshua Henson. This year, we celebrate 20 years of JBPL scholarship. The journal's distinguished history is indebted to the founding vision of Dr. Kathaleen Reid-Martinez when she was Dean of the School of Leadership Studies (a predecessor of the current SBL). Such vision reached fruition in 2006 under the then Dean of SBL, Dr. Bruce Winston. We remain immensely grateful for the leadership and engagement of Dr. Winston and the current SBL Dean, Dr. Doris Gomez. Because of their faithful support, the reach of JBPL encompasses an ever-expanding body of exemplary scholars and practitioners.

In commemoration of 20 years of stalwart biblical scholarship, JBPL is transitioning this year to semiannual issues released in the Winter and Summer. Thank you for the joy and privilege of serving.

Grace and peace in the name of Christ.

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