

Syllabus

Milton's Paradise Lost. Text and Context

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TEXT

John Milton, Paradise Lost. Ed. Gordon Teskey (Norton, 2005) [ISBN 0-393-92428-9].

PROCEDURE

The instructor will assume that seminarians will have read—or reread—the assigned portions of *Paradise Lost* before the meeting they will be discussed. Since discussion will focus on particular passages, lines, and words, it will be important to bring the texts to class.

CALENDAR

31 July: Introduction; Paradise Lost Books One and Two

7 August: PL Books Three and Four

14 August: PL Books Five, Six, and Seven

21 August: PL Books Eight and Nine

28 August: PL Books Ten, Eleven, and Twelve.