

## L. Gregory Bloomquist at the annual meeting of AAR in San Francisco

From 19-25 November 1992, professor L. Gregory Bloomquist, Faculty of Theology, attended the annual meeting of the American Academy of Religion (AAR) and the Society of Biblical Literature in San Francisco. In addition to attending meetings on the historical Jesus and on the Judaism of the period of the Second Temple and after, specifically, rabbinic Judaism, as well as attending the founding meetings of the Anglican Biblical Scholars group, he presented a special paper he had been asked to deliver on the move toward electronic publications for the academy (this paper was entitled «Networked Prepublication Models: Opportunities and Possibilities in the "University without Walls"», and to form part of a panel — together with Mr Michael Strangelove of the University of Ottawa, Mr Raymond Harder of Palo Alto, California, Mr Robin Cover of the Summer Institute of Linguistics, Dallas, Texas, and Mr Alan Humm of the University of Pennsylvania — on the subject «Toward the Development and Distribution of Electronic Scholarly Resources.» Professor Bloomquist was also invited to assist in the evaluation of various resources being made available to the academy, such as the Pacific Neighbour Initiative (a computer-based network of resources — including those of interest to religious studies and theology — of the Pacific rim countries), the Chadwick-Healy Patrologia Latina database project, and finally Rev. Honda's multimedia Shinto dictionary in a Macintosh Hypercard format.

As a result of these activities, he was asked to make AIBI-L, the computer-based discussion group he leads from Ottawa, the forum for the ongoing study of electronic and computer-based resources for scholars in biblical studies and allied disciplines. He was also asked to become a member of the Publications Committee of the American Academy of Religion, assisting to prepare initiatives for the next annual meeting in Washington DC in 1993.

Furthermore, he met with Mr David Clines of Sheffield Academic Press in England with the purpose of creating an electronic publication base here in Ottawa that would work in connection with the Sheffield production plant.

Finally, as a member of the American Academy's Eastern International Region, Professor Bloomquist formed part of a group of professors from the various regional groupings of the Academy charged with finding ways to facilitate the development of networked academic research in our region. During his stay in San Francisco, this involved being part of and assisting in the leadership of a workshop on networked academic resources held at the University of California, Berkeley.



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