

has always taught that this book is the Word of God, that God has revealed Himself, and that from the beginning there was only one God, the one great powerful God who saw man in ~~saw~~ sin, and revealed Himself to man, and that He gave the Pentateuch through Moses, and the rest of the Bible through the rest of the prophets, and then He sent His only Son, Jesus Christ who died our sins, and ~~and-~~ the apostles who wrote ^{the books that make up} the New Testament writings, which Christians have held. All throughout the centuries we have had this view of God d. At least found out that a lot of this idea is nothing but foolishness. I heard Tillich speak recently and he spoke about the history of religion. He spoke about the religions before they believed in God, the religions before they believed in God, and the religions after the idea of God which was given up. He said that this is ~~no-~~ more than a development... there is no such a thing as God. After all, this is ^{pure} ~~no/~~ more than ~~human~~ ideas. So, how does it come about that we have a book like this that looks as if God revealed Himself to us. ~~Kant~~ How did he get the ~~idea?~~ How does he ~~///~~ about? So that, Grauf-Welhausen theory is a theory of development that shows how gradually man worked out ideas that are contained in the Bible, and it proceeds from the ... there is no actual God living who reveals the ideas. And so there is in actuality no validity ^{to} ~~in~~ this idea. Now, three refutations of the Biblical view on this: Our Biblical view is that Moses wrote the first five books of the Bible. Now, we do not necessarily say that Moses wrote all of them at the original first writing. Moses wrote most of them. Perhaps some were written by Abraham. Perhaps Moses incorporated them into ... Moses might have consulted some documents for what happened in the Book of Genesis, but Moses put them together, and Moses ~~began~~ under the inspiration of ~~he-~~ the Holy Spirit was kept