

Then Dr. Gordon retired from Brandeis. However, he told me that Dr. Gordon followed up on the matter up and saw to it that he did get his degree eventually. He has written two or three books and quite a few articles. I believe one of them was called (nc?) Corda (an Old Testament Theology, ~~and~~ one book, and another book, Toward an Exegetical Theology. Dr. Dunbar said that Kaiser is always talking about the importance of exegesis and insisting that we should keep our finger on the text one should keep his finger on the text. I/~~guess~~ ^{guess} that's a phrase he ~~w~~ quoted from him. But he said that Kaiser himself does not really do exegesis! I mentioned Kaiser to Robbie Sanderson about five or six years ago. When Sanderson took his course at Trinity ~~Kaiser~~ Kaiser was teaching there and Robbie spoke very disparagingly of him. He had had teachers that he had thought highly of of whom he had thought highly, but he said that Kaiser had come ~~fr~~ from a farm. He said, "He should have stayed on the farm." However, after all this he made the statement that Kaiser was by far the best communicator of any of his teachers there!

About five years ago, or more I guess, when Kantzer left Trinity to become ~~ix~~ editor of Christianity Today I heard that Walter Kaiser had been made dean of the seminary and having known him slightly for these many years and never having had the slightest trouble in remembering ~~his name~~ his name, it was very baffling to me that when I was speaking with Dr. Dunbar I could not think of Kaiser's name at all. I asked him about the dean there and he mentioned his name and ^I immediately responded to it. It fit with my recollection but fifteen minutes later I couldn't think of his name again, and I was frustrated the last two or three days trying to think of it. Now Mr. Koontz has just gotten it for me and it just seems strange that after knowing it so well with so little knowledge of him, now with so much knowledge of him the name should completely slip out of my mind. Alas, the miseries of getting old!

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Having asked a question about Dr. Kaiser, Dr. Dunbar ~~went on~~ went on to say that it was through him that he had gotten his ~~pos~~ position there. He ~~was~~ said that he had happened to be at an ETS meeting where at which Kaiser was present and he had spoken to him about the fact that he would like a teaching position and Kaiser had said maybe they could fit him in at ~~Tr~~ Trinity. Then he said ~~they~~ they had an interview