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1997 was the 50th anniversary of the discovery of the Dead Sea Scrolls. Calendars in the Dead Sea Scrolls explores the evidence about calendars in the Dead Sea Scrolls, the Hebrew Bible and other ancient Jewish texts. James C. VanderKam examines the pertinent texts, their sources and the different uses to which people put calendrical information in the Christian world. Calendars in the Dead Sea Scrolls provides a valuable addition to the Dead Sea Scrolls Series and contributes to the elucidation of the scroll texts themselves and their relation to other Biblical texts.

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"Always a model of concision and clarity, VanderKam is true to form here. His discussions of the Cave 4 texts are particularly helpful, especially considering their often complex and tedious character."-Review of Biblical Literature, March 2000

James C. VanderKam is Professor of Hebrew Scriptures at the University of Notre Dame. He is author of The Dead Sea Scrolls Today, (1994).

History lessons. Good for all.

Excellent !!

This is one of my favorite books ever as it defines calendation issues even among the Qumran community, but exposes a long held secret that the true New Moon appears to be the full moon after all.

This is the 3rd book in a series on the Dead Sea Scrolls and I found all 3 to be absolutely fascinating bring a refreshing review to my religious beliefs.

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