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Encyclopedias, Dictionaries, Biographies – *Encyclopedia of Religion* and *Oxford Dictionaries of Religion* available online (you'll also find several print encyclopedias and dictionaries in the B call number area in the Reference area, 4th floor West)

For Commentaries on Specific Passages or Verses:

- **New Interpreter's Bible** – REF BS 491.2 .N484 1994 (4th floor West)
- **Anchor Bible** – REF BS 192.2 .B5 (4th floor West)
- Search the **library catalog** for book-length commentaries on individual books in the Old Testament. Do keyword searches in the catalog, using the word "bible," the name of the book, and either "commentaries" or "interpretation," for example:

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- **ATLA Religion Database** – The best way to zero in on articles that focus on specific passages:
 1. Click on the **Scriptures** link in the blue bar above the search boxes.
 2. Click on the "Expand" link by the name of the book.
 3. Click on the "Expand" link by the chapter.
 4. Click on the verse you want. This will bring up all references that discuss this verse. (Limit results by date, source type, etc. in the left column.)
- **An Index to English Periodical Literature on the Old Testament and Ancient Near Eastern Studies** – REF BS 1171.2 .H86 1987

Concordances

Nelson's Complete Concordance of the Revised Standard Version of the Bible
REF BS 425 .E 47 (4th floor West)

The Strongest Strong's Exhaustive Concordance of the Bible
REF BS 425 .S8 2001b (4th floor West)