

Faithful Thinking in Postmodern Society

A new Introduction to
Reformational Philosophy

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Innovation Sustainability Meaning of life

Key features

- Accessible and contemporary introduction
- Graphical representation of key concepts
- Open access book
- Multi language approach
- International panel
- Time span



Accessible and contemporary introduction

- Use of stories
- Careful selection of topics
- Professional editor

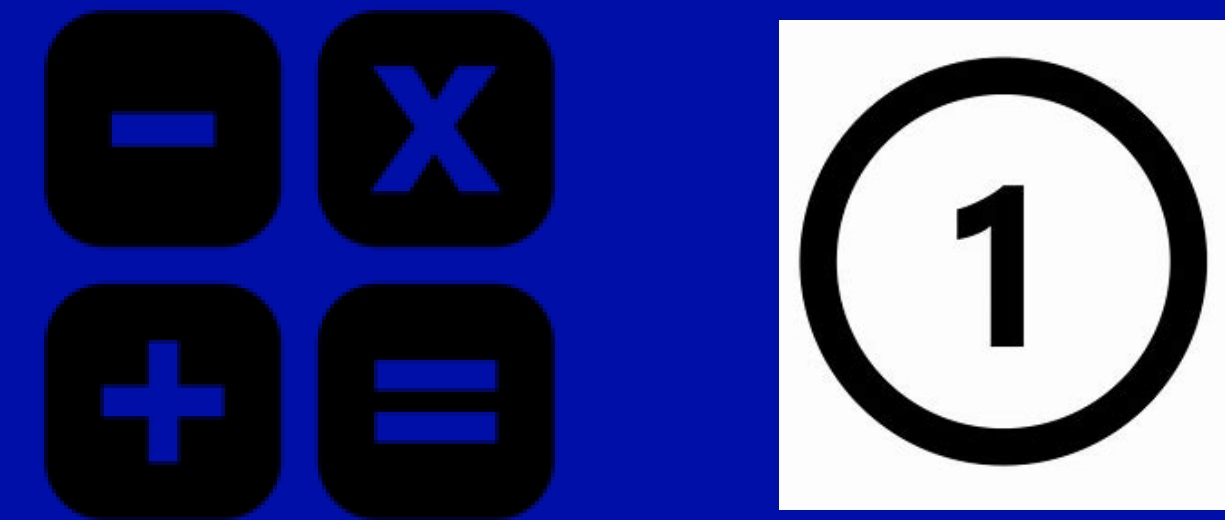
- Dutch panel with co-readers without a philosophical background
- Dutch panel of Christian philosophers
- International panel



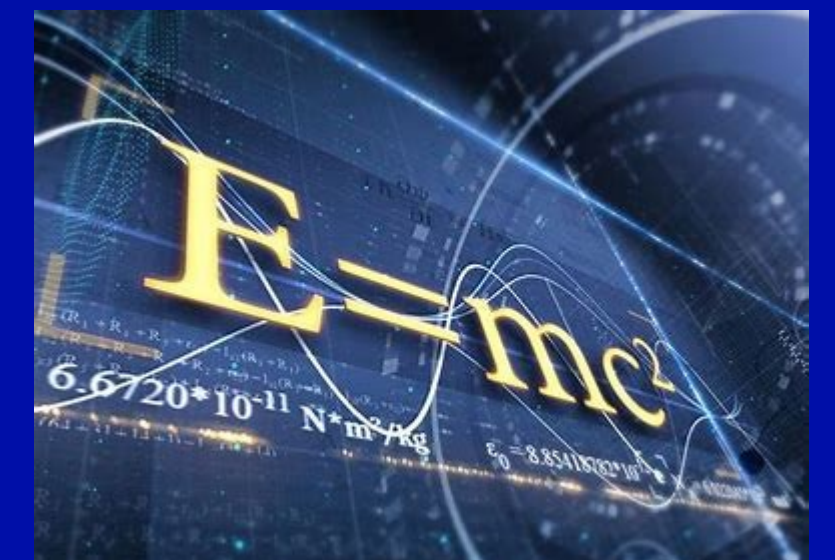
Graphical representation of key concepts

- Icon for every modal aspect
- Graphical representation of key concepts of the theory of modal aspects, individuality structures, view on man, basic motives, and so on

Examples of possible icons for the arithmetic aspect



Examples of possible icons for the physical aspect



Open access book

- Icons and graphical representations to be used freely
- Individual chapters to be downloaded freely
- Whole book to be downloaded freely

Note: We need to find out whether this is (financially) feasible.



Multi language approach

- Write Dutch and English versions at the same time
- Later, contextualized versions in other languages will be supported



International panel

- Co-decision making w.r.t. contents and set-up chapters
- Co-decision maken w.r.t. final set of graphical representations
- Use international knowledge
- International support
- Prevent cultural blunders
- Enable contextualized publications



Time span

Q1 2022

- Set up panels
- Approved plans
- Dutch publisher
- Designer
- Finance

Q1 – Q4 2022

- Final Dutch text, including graphics

Q1-Q2 2023

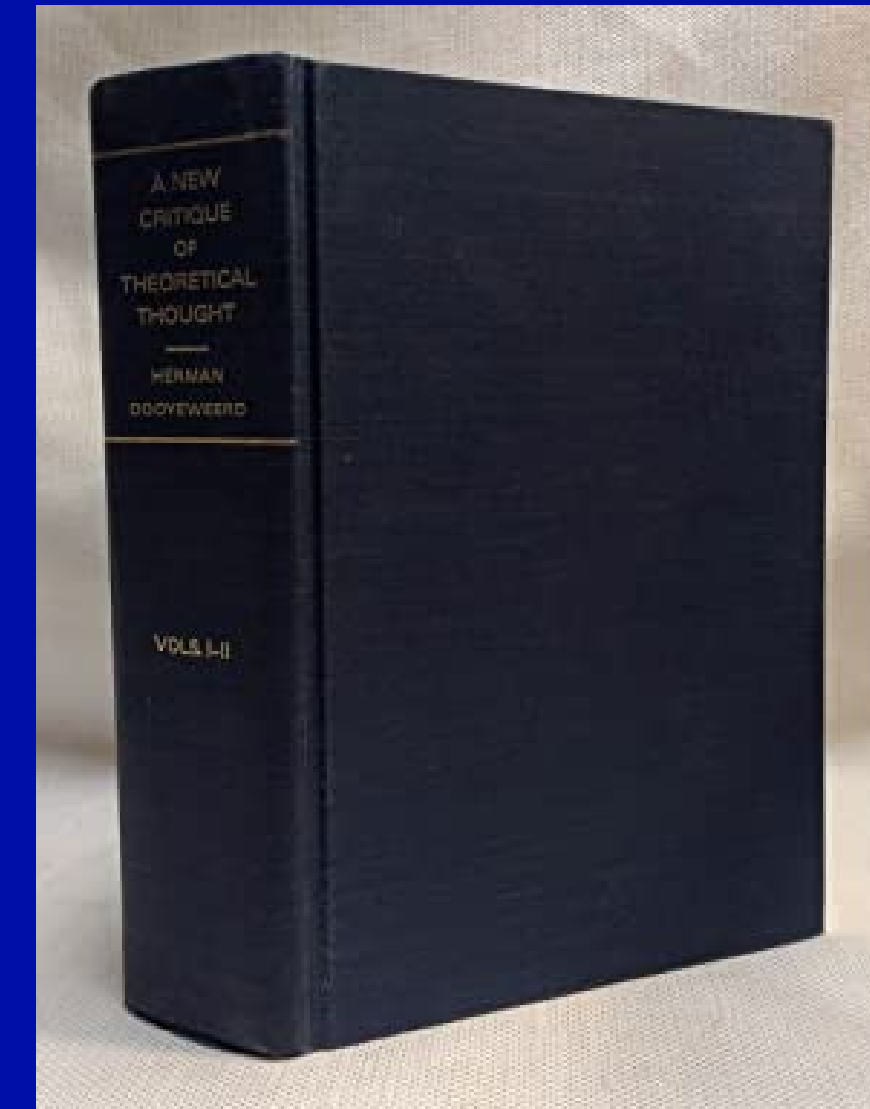
- Dutch publication
- Release materials for Dutch websites

Q3 2023 and later:

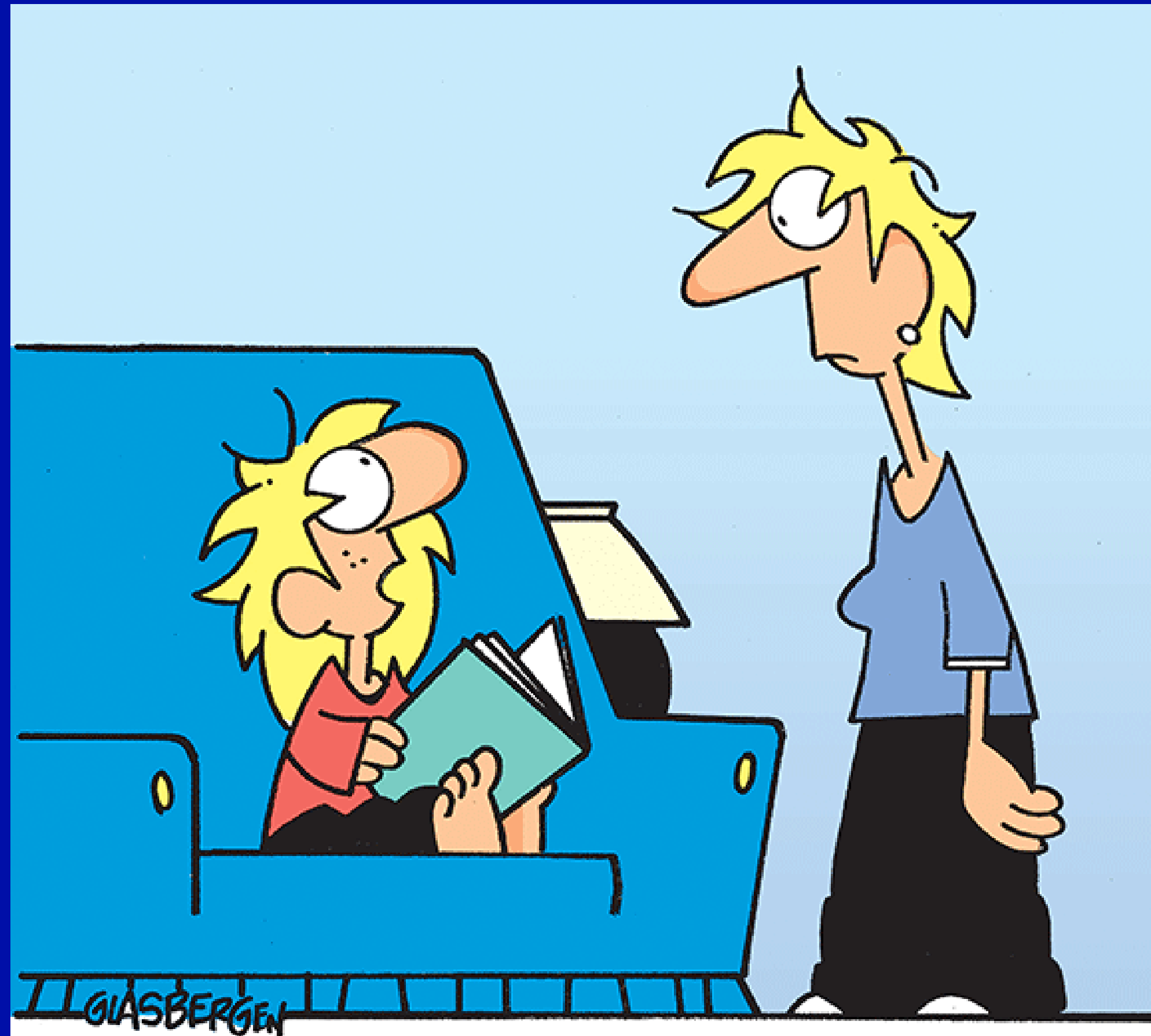
- English publication
- Release materials for different websites
- Support contextualized versions in other languages

Preliminary set-up

1. Introduction
2. What is knowledge? (Naive knowledge and scientific knowledge)
3. Ground motives
4. Theory of the modal aspects
5. Theory of individuality structures (things)
6. Theory of individuality structures (societal relationships)
7. Transcendental Critique
8. What is man?
9. Reformational Social Criticism
10. Human Practices
11. The American School
12. Other Christian approaches



12 chapters of 4000 words
150 pages



**“If books are food for the mind, then this one
needs salt, ketchup, mustard, and a side of fries!”**

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Aney comments? Questions?

Have you any comments on this proposal? Have you any questions? Please contact us.

Do you want to be a member of the international panel? Pleas contact us.

Note: we are looking for 2 to 3 people per continent. Preferable with different disciplinary backgrounds.

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