

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910452965203321
Autore	Westbrook Raymond
Titolo	Property and the family in biblical law [[electronic resource] ] / Raymond Westbrook
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Sheffield, Eng., : JSOT Press, c1991
ISBN	1-281-80421-5 9786611804213 0-567-60756-9
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (185 p.)
Collana	Journal for the study of the Old Testament. Supplement series ; ; 113
Disciplina	016.22
Soggetti	Domestic relations (Jewish law) Jewish law Property (Jewish law) Electronic books.
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. [165]-170) and indexes.
Nota di contenuto	Contents; Preface; Abbreviations; INTRODUCTION; Chapter 1 PURCHASE OF THE CAVE OF MACHPELAH; Chapter 2 JUBILEE LAWS; Chapter 3 REDEMPTION OF LAND; Chapter 4 THE LAW OF THE BIBLICAL LEVIRATE; Chapter 5 THE PRICE FACTOR IN THE REDEMPTION OF LAND; Chapter 6 UNDIVIDED INHERITANCE; Chapter 7 THE DOWRY; Bibliography; Index of References; Index of Authors
Sommario/riassunto	Biblical property law was concerned less with the efficient use and transfer of commercial assets than with protecting the rights of the family to the sources of their economic survival. This important collection of essays explores the legal link between property and family in the Bible, whether through the general law of inheritance or through special institutions such as redemption, the levirate and the sabbatical and jubilee years. It brings together the author's existing contributions, previously published in disparate law journals, to which have been added several unpublished studies and