Record Nr. UNINA9910809946003321 Autore Howsare Rodney Titolo Balthasar: a guide for the perplexed // Rodney Howsare Pubbl/distr/stampa London, : T & T Clark, c2009 **ISBN** 1-282-86790-3 9786612867903 0-567-10104-5 Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (199 p.) Collana Guides for the perplexed Disciplina 230.2092 Soggetti Theology, Doctrinal 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 and index. Nota di contenuto Contents; Acknowledgments; Abbreviations; Introduction; Chapter One: Balthasar: The Man and His Place in Twentieth-Century Thought; Chapter Two: Balthasar's Method: Background and History; Chapter Three: Balthasar's Theological Style; Chapter Four: Jesus Christ and the Meaning of Scripture; Chapter Five: Jesus Christ and the Drama of Finite and Infinite Freedom; Chapter Six: The Trinity and the Cross; Chapter Seven: Balthasar's Ongoing Role in Theology; Notes; Bibliography; Suggestions for Further Reading; Index Balthasar's thought, if it is anything, is perplexing, and it is perplexing Sommario/riassunto for a number of reasons. In this Guide for the Perplexed, Rodney Howsare gives the reader a handle on these perplexing aspects of Balthasar's thought. In the first chapter he introduces the reader to the man and his unique method of doing theology. He then moves on to explaining the basic structure and nature of the trilogy: the aesthetics, dramatics and logic. He then deals with various theological topics: Jesus Christ, The Trinity, The Drama of Redemption, The Church and

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