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Dear Dr. Ryrie,

I will always thank the Lord for you and the you've had upon my life.

The first book I ever read written from your Dispensationalism Today. I read it after receiving the of theological training under Covenant Theology. I know on Scripture could not be correct but did not have answers that I needed. Your book provided that for me further confirmed a decision I had already made to go seminary training at DTS.

The next book I read was, <u>Patterns for Chris</u> followed later by <u>Balancing the Christian Life</u>. Both me a perspective on the spiritual life that I had not before, and many of the things which influence my life from the principals I learned from those two books.

Finally, the material I learned in the class sitting under your instruction has had a major influer entire ministry as well as on Ariel Ministries.

You were then and you remain to this day my teacher.

In the Messiah,

Arnold G. Fruchtenbaum

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