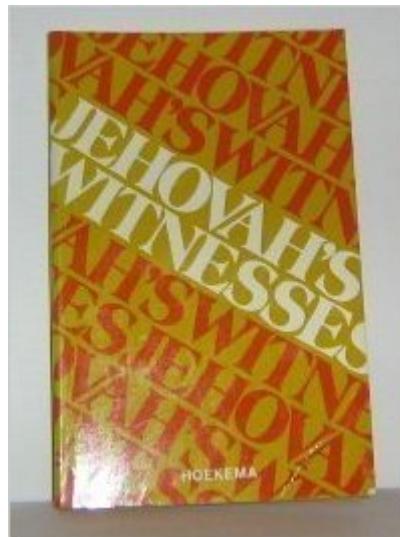


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Anthony Hoekema (1913-1988) was a Christian theologian who served as professor of Systematic theology at Calvin Theological Seminary for twenty-one years. This book was part of an earlier book, The Four Major Cults: Christian Science, Jehovah's Witnesses, Mormonism, Seventh-day Adventism. Hoekema also wrote books such as The Bible and the Future, What About tongue speaking?, and Saved by Grace. He wrote in the Preface to this 1963 book, "The discussion of

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