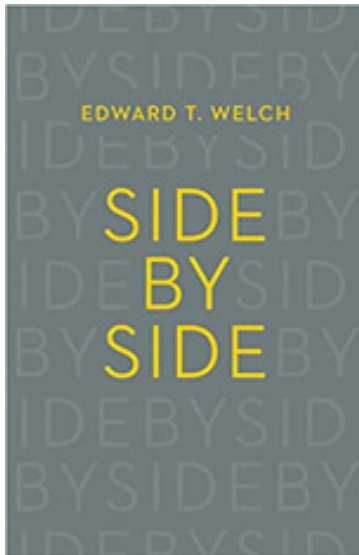


## Side by Side



“Bear one another’s burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ.” (Galatians 6:2)

We all need help and we are all helpers—that’s part of being human. We need help for our souls, especially while going through hardships. We weren’t designed to go through hard things alone.

But what does it look like to help each other well? The people who help best are people who both need help and give help—being able to share their burdens and to bear the burdens of others. A healthy community depends on all of us being both.

In this short book, a highly respected biblical counselor and successful author offers practical guidance for all Christians—pastors and laypeople alike—who want to develop their "helping skills" when it comes to walking alongside hurting people.

### Endorsement:

There are two things that Welch's book does very well. It demonstrates that no one gives grace better than a person who is convinced he needs it himself and that God makes his invisible grace visible by sending ordinary people to give extraordinary grace to people who need it. Welch not only reminds us all of our call to friendship ministry but also unpacks for us what it looks like. Every Christian should read this book!

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