Medieval List for PhD Exams
(ca. 600-1400)

**Primary Sources**
Abelard, *Prologue to Sic et Non*
Anselm, *Why God became Man*
Bede, *Ecclesiastical History*
Bernard of Clairvaux, *On Loving God*
Bonaventure, *The Soul’s Journey into God*
Anna Commena *Alexiad* (Book X.4-11)
Duns Scotus, (Q. 2) *On the Immaculate Conception*
Hugh of St. Victor, *Didascalicon* (Bks. 4-6)
John of Damascus, *On Divine Images* (Homily 1)
Lombard, *Sentences* (Bk. I Prologue and distinctions 1-3; Bk. III distinctions 1-22)
Luther, *On the Freedom of a Christian*
--- --- ---, *An Address to the Christian Nobility of the German Nation*
Maximus the Confessor, *Ad Thalassium* (chapters trans. by Blowers, SVS volume)
Photius, *Mystagogue of the Holy Spirit*
Pseudo-Dionysius, *The Divine Names*
Richard of St. Victor, *On the Trinity* (Bk. 3)
Thomas Aquinas, *Summa Theologiae* (Part I qq. 1, 2, 12, 13; Part III qq. 1, 75)
--- --- ---, *Summa contra Gentiles* (Bk. IV chs. 39-46, 56-58, 61-69)
*Medieval Women’s Visionary Literature*, ed. by Elizabeth Petroff.
*Forerunners of the Reformation: The Shape of Late Medieval Thought Illustrated by Key Documents* (Philadelphia, 1981) (Selections on grace and works from Robert Holcot, Thomas Bradwardine, Gabriel Biel, and Johann von Staupitz)

**Secondary Sources**
Bynum, *Jesus as Mother: Studies in the Spirituality of the High Middle Ages*
Bynum, *Holy Feast, Holy Fast: The Religious Significance of Food to Medieval Women*
Chadwick, *East and West: The Making of a Rift in the Church*
Coakley, *Women, Men, and Spiritual Power*
Colish, *Medieval Foundations of the Western Intellectual Tradition*
Duffy, *The Stripping of the Altars: Traditional Religion in England 1400-1580*
Hamilton, *The Christian Church of the Middle Ages*
Herrin, *The Formation of Christendom*
Kolbaba, *Inventing Latin Heretics: Byzantium and the Filioque in the Ninth Century*
Lambeth, *Medieval Heresy*
Leclercq, *The Love of Learning and the Desire for God: A Study of Monastic Culture*
Henry de Lubac, *Medieval Exegesis* (vol. 1 ch. 1)
Madden, *The New Concise History of the Crusades*
Mayeski’s, Marie Anne *Women at the Table: Three Medieval Theologians Meyendorff*
*Byzantine Theology*
Noble, *The Republic of St. Peter*
Oberman, “The Case of the Forerunner,” in *Forerunners of the Reformation: The Shape of Late Medieval Thought Illustrated by Key Documents*
Petroff, *Medieval Women’s Visionary Literature*
Pieper, *Scholasticism*
Smalley, *The Study of the Bible in the Middle Ages*
Van Engen, “The Christian Middle Ages as a Historiographical Problem”