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# Johan Heyns Memorial Lecture

25 MAY / MEI 2016

# Johan Heyns Gedenklesing



Johan Heyns was a lecturer in the Department of Dogmatics and Christian Ethics in the University of Pretoria's Faculty of Theology (Section B) from 1971 until his retirement in 1993. In November 1994 he died tragically at the hand of an unidentified assassin.



Not only did he make a significant contribution to the South African society by means of his reformative thinking in the fields of dogma and ethics, he also stood out as a cultured human being who had a talent for building bridges to promote reconciliation in the political turmoil experienced in South Africa prior to 1994.

Johan Heyns was vanaf 1971 tot en met sy aftrede in 1993 'n dosent in die Universiteit van Pretoria se Departement Dogmatiek en Christelike Etiek in die Fakulteit Teologie (Afdeling B). In November 1994 is hy tragies vermoor deur 'n onbekende sluipskutter.

Hy het nie slegs op dogmatiese gebied 'n besondere bydrae tot reformatoriiese denke in die Suid-Afrikaanse samelewing gelewer nie, maar het ook uitgestaan as 'n hoogs beskaafde mens en 'n versoenende brugbouer in die moeilike politieke omstandighede wat voor 1994 in Suid-Afrika geheers het.



You are kindly invited to the Johan Heyns  
Memorial Lecture.

25 May 2016  
18:30 for 19:00 in the Senate Hall, University of  
Pretoria

Speaker: Prof Wentzel van Huyssteen

Theme:  
Johan Heyns as Interdisciplinary Theologian?  
Re-evaluating whether or not his work can  
today still successfully contribute to  
contemporary theological debates.

RSVP: Before 13 May 2016 to  
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U word vriendelik uitgenooi na die Johan  
Heyns Gedenklesing.

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