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Biography

Edward W. H. Vick was born on April 4, 1929, in Littlehampton, England. He was a Seventh-day Adventist educator. He earned his degrees both in England and in the United States. He went to Southern Missionary College in Tennessee and then to Andrews University in Michigan where he earned his masters in Biblical languages. He earned other degrees in philosophy and theology from three British Universities including Oxford, and earned his PhD in systematic theology at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee. He taught at Canadian Union College and then the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary at Andrews University as the assistant professor of Historical Theology. Dr. Vick was one of the professors forced out of the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary in 1970 in what some would call a liberal purging of the faculty. Indeed, much of the correspondence included in this collection and some of the writings revolve around this issue. See Box 1 Folders 2 to 4, and Box 2 Folder 5.

He published numerous scholarly articles and book reviews and has written a dozen or so books on a wide range of theological topics. His full-time teaching responsibilities were carried out in these institutions during the following years.

1956- 1964	Lecturer in Theology, New Testament Greek and Philosophy, Canadian Union College, Alberta.
1964- 1970	Assistant Professor of Historical Theology, Andrews University, MI.
1970-1971	Lecturer, Department of Religious Studies, Wymondham College, Norfolk, England.
1971-1990	Head of Department of Religious Studies, Forest Fields College, Nottingham, England.
1991	Retired.

Scope

The Edward Vick Papers contains Vick's correspondence, writings, and audio recordings from 1956 to 1991, and several other documents regarding his life and work. Besides correspondence, we find Vick's writings and manuscripts, articles, essays and audio-visual aids written and recorded during his career, and other documents that related to his work. There are also a few items related to Vick's father's spiritual experience. [See Box 2 folder 7].

Arrangement

The materials are kept in a chronological and topical sequence, in much the same order as received.

Extent

3 Hollinger Boxes [3.75 linear feet]

Provenance

This collection was donated to the Andrews University Center for Adventist Research by Edward Vick with the assistance of his daughter, Eileen Flugel, in 2022.

Use

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I. General/Biographical

Box 1 Fld 1 Curriculum Vitae.
Courses Taught by Edward W. H. Vick.

II. Correspondence

Box 1 Fld 2 Mar 22, 1967 From: Earle Hilgert.
Nov 22, 1967 From: Earle Hilgert.
Feb 5 1968 From: Earle Hilgert.
Feb 12, 1968 From: Earle Hilgert.
Jul 2, 1968 From: Earle Hilgert.
Nov 7, 1968 From: Earle Hilgert.
Nov 25, 1968 From: Earle Hilgert.
Dec 11, 1968 From: Richard Hammill.
Dec 26, 1968 To: Richard Hammill (2 copies).
Dec, 31 1968 To: Ted (Vick) & Esther From: Earle
Hilgert.

Box 1 Fld 3 Jan 1, 1969 From: Kenneth Strand To: Earle Hilgert.
Jan 3, 1969 From: Richard Hammill To Vick.
Jan 27, 1969 From: Earle Hilgert To: Ted.
Feb 25, 1969 To: Ted (Vick) From: Earle Hilgert.
Mar 3, 1969 To: Earle Hilgert.
Mar 3, 1969 To: Earle Hilgert c.2.
Apr 2, 1969 To: Earle Hilgert.
May 2, 1969 To: Earle Hilgert.
May 19, 1969 From: Earle Hilgert.
May 25, 1969 To: Earle Hilgert.
Jun 3, 1969 From: Earle Hilgert.

Box 1 Fld 4 Aug 12, 1970 From: B. E. Seton.
Jul 27, 1973 From: D. E. Mansell (Pacific Press
Publishing Association).
Dec 26, 1973 From: D. E. Mansell (Pacific Press
Publishing Association).
Jan 15, 1974 From: D. E. Mansell (Pacific Press
Publishing Association).
Jun 29, 1977 To: Robert H. Pierson.
Jul 19, 1977 From: Robert H. Pierson.
Jan 2, 1984 To: Neal Wilson.
Jan 4, 1985 To: Neal Wilson .
Mar 4, 1985 From: Neal Wilson.
Jan 12, 1986 To: Neal Wilson .
Jan 4, 1987 To: Neal Wilson .
Apr 7, 1987 From: W. T. Clark.

III. Writings

By Edward W. H. Vick

Books and Book Manuscripts

Box 1 Fld 5	Edward W. H. Vick Writings (bibliography) (2 copies). Introduction to theology, 1965.
Box 1 Fld 6	Our Lord's Prayer: A Devotional, 1977. Adventists' dilemma, 2001.
Box 1 Fld 7	Christian beliefs: An introduction, 2004. Hope, 2004, 52 pages. Hope, 2004, Manuscripts.
Box 1 Fld 8	Inspiration, Revelation and the Bible, 2004. Problem of Evil, 2004.
Box 1 Fld 9	Saved to Serve, 2004. Seventh-day Adventists and the Bible, 2004.
Box 1 Fld 10	Soon: Reflections on the imminence of the Advent, 2008. 2 copies Recent Writings: A source book I, 2017.

Articles and Article Manuscripts

- Box 1 Fld 11 Religious studies: A definition of the concept of systematic theology, 1966.
Wesley's teaching concerning perfection, 1966.
Faith and Evidence, 1967. 2 copies.
- Box 1 Fld 12 Recent writings II: Articles for Adventists, 2004.
- Box 1 Fld 13 Scholarly articles: Miracle, Self-deception, Forgery and others, 2004.
Seven articles, 2004.
- Box 2 Fld 1 Fables and more: A collection of popular articles, 2018.
- Box 2 Fld 2 Appealing to Scripture. No date.
Collection of Articles: 41 Articles. No date.
- Box 2 Fld 3 How do you read? No date.
Loyalty, Honesty and Non-Conformity. No date.
Modern Churchman: Liberal and Radical attitudes to Christology. No date.
Modern Churchman: A Recent system of theology. No date.
- Box 2 Fld 4 On defining Religion. No date.
Theological Methodology. No date.
The difficulty in choosing between so many different interpretations. No date.
Treasure in earthen pots. No date.
Why interpretation is important. No date.

Essays

Box 2 Fld 5

I shall be glad, 1954.
Theological essays, 1965.
From my point of view: Anatomy of dismissal from the Andrews Seminary, 1968. 28 pages.
From my point of view: Anatomy of dismissal from the Andrews Seminary, 1968. 24 pages.

Box 2 Fld 6

Reasonableness of faith: Essays, 2004.

Box 2 Fld 7

Edward W. H. Vick's Father: Edward Allan Vick. No date.
Reflections after Seventy years--Two years of frustration: Newbold's Non-programme. No date.
Reflections of a Seminary teacher. No date.
Vick A Edward. Harry Vick: Converts to Adventism from H.M.S. Terrible, 1899-1902. No date.

Book Reviews

Box 2 Fld 8

The Shape of Christology, 1967.
Historian and the Believer, 1968.
History and Hermeneutics, 1969.
Salvation in History, 1969.
Theology of Hope, 1969.
The Church "New Directions in Theology Today, 1970.
Basic questions in Theology, 1972.
Historical Protestantism, 1972.
Religion and the Scientific Future, 1974.
An introduction to the Theology of Albrecht Ritchl. No date.
Book Review. No date.
Edward W. H. Vick's Book reviews.
God and the world. No date.
God the Problem. No date. 2 copies.
The Reality of God and other Essays. No date.

By Others

Box 2 Fld 9

Waldon, Ron. Edward Vick's Passion for Theology. *Spectrum*, vol. 8, no. 3, 1977.

About Edward Vick. *Spectrum*, vol. 8, no. 3, 1977.

John, Donald. "An exploration of some problem science and religion," 1977.

Zbaraschuk Michael. "What does 'Soon' mean?, 2001.

Scriven, Charles. "Integrity in scriptural interpretation: An interview with Edward W.H. Vick," Jan, 2018.

IV. Local Church Work

Box 2 Fld 10

Oxford Seventh-day Adventist church program and calendar. Jan 1968 - Jul 1969.

Cambridge Seventh-day Adventist church program and calendar. Sep 1969 to Mar 1970.

V. Miscellaneous

Box 2 Fld 11

Essays in Philosophy (only table of contents). 1989-1994. 3 pages.

Books by Edward W. H. Vick.

"Hebrews 6:1, 2: Let us advance towards maturity." No date.

Teacher Teaches Teaching. No date.

"The church." No date.

What is a Theological Seminary? No date.

Who is my neighbor? No date.

Box 2 Fld 12

Vick, Edward. The chart where are you? No date.

VI. Audio-Visuals

Box 3 All is of grace, Sin (Tape)

Box 3 Aristotle soul and body, plato (Tape)

Box 3 Bible: 1. How do you read? 2. Treasure in earthen vessels (Tape)

Box 3 Christian Faith and History I (Tape)

Box 3 Christian Faith and History II (Tape)

Box 3 Eight Stories and other pieces (Tape)

Box 3 Faith, Decision and Scripture (Tape)
Box 3 Interpretation, Frank barber orchestra (Tape)
Box 3 Jesus the shield faith (Tape)
Box 3 Saved to serve: A Graduation address (Tape)
Box 3 Sermon: Experience (Tape)
Box 3 Sermon on Acts 8:26: Be aware talk (Tape)
Box 3 Stories as theology: Three talks (Tape)
Box 3 Philosophy Outlines (CD)
Box 3 Theology and Philosophy (CD)
Box 3 Theological writings 27 (CD)

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