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This collection offers intriguing insights from philosophers, psychotraumatologists, and political scientists on the question under which conditions forgiveness serves as a means towards reparation of damaged relationship on the interpersonal level as well as in projects of community- and nation building in the aftermath of violence.


This collection offers interdisciplinary reflections on the question of political and cultural practices of remembering and truth telling and their impact on political restauration processes. Many of the essays focus on a critical assessment of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission in South Africa (1996-98).


This is an excellent study on the book Ezechiel as trauma literature. It offers a thorough hermeneutical reflection on the field of psychoanalytic, literary, cultural and historical trauma studies and how these can be brought to a fresh reading of prophetic texts.


One of Ricoeur’s essays on memory, forgetting, and forgiveness. A classic for the philosophical approach.


Addressing the shame of perpetrators and how it relates to feelings of guilt seems to be a major issue in enhancing life in the aftermath of violence. The small collection offers helpful insights into the phenomenon of shame.