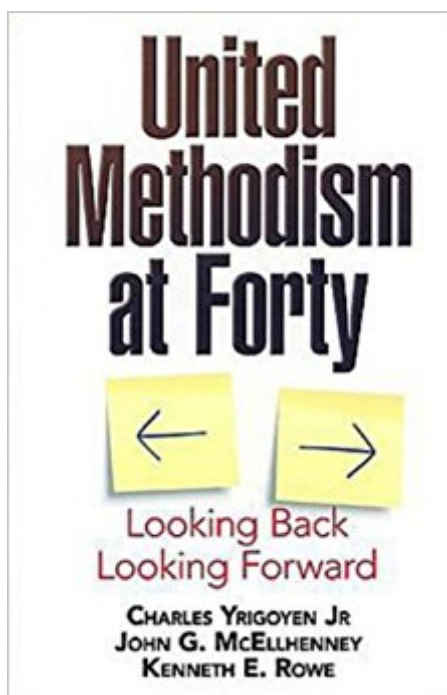


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# United Methodism At Forty: Looking Back, Looking Forward



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This is a great book to give an overview of where we've been and how we ended up where we are. I would have loved a little more of a look into the next 40 years. I thought this was going to be more of a reflection on how the church could move successfully into the future. But it was a great source of history!

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