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A. MARCHADOUR, *Venite e vedrete. Commento al Vangelo di Giovanni*, trans. D. Caldirolì, Lettura pastorale della Bibbia (Bologna: Dehoniane, 2013, paper €28) 274 pp. Bibliography. ISBN: 978-88-10-21133-5.

The Italian version of “*Venez et vous verrez.*” *Nouveau commentaire de l’Évangile de Jean* (2011), this volume first provides a six-page introduction to John’s Gospel and treats the hymn in Jn 1:1-18 as the suprahistorical preface and the beginnings of the revelation in 1:19-51 as the historical preface. Next it discusses the Book of Signs in chapters 2–12: from Cana to Cana (chaps. 2–4), Jesus and the principal Jewish festivals (5–10), and Jesus makes his way to the “hour” and to glory (11–12). Then it considers the Book of Glory (Love) in chapters 13–21: the Last Supper (13:1–38), the farewell discourses (14:1–17:26), the passion narrative (18:1–19:42), Jesus risen (20:1–31), and epilogue (21:1–25). A five-page appendix on the literary characteristics of John’s Gospel is included. Marchadour is also the author of *I personaggi del Vangelo di Giovanni. Specchio per una cristologia narrativa* (2nd ed., 2013).