Let’s look at some pages designed to help you learn to use these tools.

On the Distance Learner Library Services web page, under the “How To” tab you will find video tutorials on finding books, journals and articles, and a recording of this presentation. On the left side of the page are links to guides and some PDF documents that show step-by-step instructions. Below that are links to tutorials on some of the most used databases.

http://oru.libguides.com/howto

A full list of database tutorials is available on the Database List under the “Tutorials” tab. These will help you to become more comfortable using these databases.

http://oru.libguides.com/databasetutorials

Remember that research guides for finding books, articles and journals are available on the menu under each category.
The Library Guides page provides research guides to recommended sources and tips for using library resources.

The links to Subject Guides are on the left side of the page and the links to “How to find” guides and General Guides are on the right.

There is a very helpful guide for Seminar in Theological Research.

This guide is specifically designed to help grad theology students with search tools and strategies and questions about citations.

This guide has information on how to log in from off campus to access online databases, including ejournals and ebooks. * It also provides information on contacting the IT Help Desk for password assistance or other non-library technical help.

Subject research guides recommend sources in your subject area, and tips for finding different types of resources in this field. Notice the tabs at the top of the page for different types of sources.

This guide suggests reference sources for theological research and tools and strategies to find them.
On the **Databases by Subject** page of the Databases List, you can find a link (http://oru.libguides.com/biblecommentaries) to this guide to **Bible Commentaries** under the tab for **Theology & Ministry**. This list can help you identify some of the best commentaries available in our library.

http://oru.libguides.com/biblecommentaries

On the **Database List**, choose the **Tutorials** tab to find tutorials for many of our databases, including a very helpful video tutorial for using the scripture search tool in the ATLA Religion Database.

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You may also call the **Ask-A-Librarian** line during any hours the library is open.

The **Ask-A-Librarian** web page also has a web form to send an email and links to **Frequently Asked Questions**.

https://www.oru.edu/library/ask.php