

## **Becoming Calvin by Ann Timmons**

We are pleased to announce the publication of *Becoming Calvin* by Ann Timmons. It is available on <u>Amazon</u> and available to order online or at bookstores.

Becoming Calvin celebrates the Frenchman who was a defining figure of the Protestant Reformation. This compelling two-act drama explores the lives of characters living at the crossroads of history, caught up in the complex relationships between royalty and Rome, leaders of the Church and leaders of state. The play takes the audience on a journey with one extraordinary young scholar as he realizes his destiny. And it asks us the question: What would you give up for your freedom?

This timely story of individual freedom vs. political power is especially appropriate in this Reformation Year. It is an excellent reminder of the great influence Luther's thought had upon the young Calvin as his intellectual and spiritual life evolved. The published script would be a powerful teaching tool for any church group and/or Adult Ed class. Group discounts can be arranged through the author; contact Ann Timmons at <a href="mailto:BecomingCalvin@gmail.com">BecomingCalvin@gmail.com</a>, ann@anntimmons.com, or call 703-244-7546.

The Reformed Institute commissioned *Becoming Calvin* as part of our celebration of the 500th anniversary of the birth of John Calvin in 2009, and produced a fully-staged professional production in Washington, D.C. in the fall of 2012. Stage readings in Chicago and New York City followed in 2014. *Becoming Calvin* is published by CreateSpace, ISBN:9781543014235.