

Letter 207: [Before 28/29 August 1524, Strasbourg, Martin Bucer] to Capito

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[*Summary*]: Capito has undertaken to reply to Treger, but Bucer fears that Capito will be too busy with other things. Bucer offers to write the answer himself, since the matter is urgent. Treger complained that Capito did not reply to his first attack [since the response appeared anonymously]. It is necessary to confess authorship openly. Luther, Zwingli, and others are in the habit of responding quickly and thus overwhelming their adversaries. Bucer has read both Treger's attack and Capito's response and has therefore sufficient information to write an answer. He awaits Capito's instructions.