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Klaus Depperman, Melchior Hoffman: Social Unrest and Apocalyptic Visions in the Age of Reformation (Edinburgh: T&T Clark, 1999).


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Steven Ozment, *The Reformation in the Cities: The Appeal of Protestantism to Sixteenth-Century Germany and Switzerland* (New Haven: Yale University Press, 1975). The Reformation quickly took root in most of the imperial cities of the Empire. Ozment studies how so many came over to the Protestant side: the mix of polemical preaching, humorous pamphlets, decrees from city magistrates. This provides important perspectives on the Reformation as a grass-roots movement—how the great theological debates fueled and were fueled by popular sentiment.


