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Paul Wolfe moderates the lecture featuring J.I. Packer.

Theologian speaks at campus lecture

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The Cambridge School of Dallas welcomed J.I. Packer to campus for an evening of wide-ranging conversation. Packer, author of the modern classic, *Knowing God*, is a Christian leader and theologian whose influence is widely felt around the world. He studied under the Oxford don C.S. Lewis in the 1940s.

Cambridge headmaster Paul Wolfe moderated the evening, interviewing Packer on several subjects before opening the floor to a question-and-answer session from the audience.

"[Dr. Packer is] such a theological mind, and he's so brilliant, he has a way of taking things that are complex and bringing them down to a lower level where common people can understand them," Cambridge student Connor Mighell said. "He's a wordsmith."

Both Wolfe and Packer highlighted the parallels between Packer's early education and The Cambridge School of Dallas (grades six through 12), a Christ-centered, classical college preparatory school.

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