CONTENTS

Preface and Acknowledgements  ix
Abbreviations xi
Introduction 1
2. The Context of Luke and His Reading Communities 65
3. Mary, the Magnificat, and the Powers That Be 89
4. The Nazareth Proclamation: Nuancing Resistance 133
5. The Parable of Lazarus and the Rich Man: Reversal Now or Later 197
6. Conclusion 251

Bibliography 261
Index 281