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Born a humble girl in what is now Albania, Agnes Bojaxhiu lived a charitable life. She pledged herself to a religious order at the age of 18 and chose the name Sister Teresa, after the patron saint of missionaries. While teaching in India, where famine and violence had devastated the poor, Teresa shed her habit and walked the streets of Calcutta tending to the needs of the destitute. Her charity work soon expanded internationally, and her name remains synonymous with compassion and devotion to the poor.

## Mother Teresa (The Centenary Edition)

Brief life sketch of Mother Teresa, 1910-1997, Indian Catholic nun committed to the service of orphans and the destitutes.

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## No Greater Love

I See God In Every Human Being. When I Wash The Leper'S Wounds, I Feel I Am Nursing The Lord Himself. Is It Not A Beautiful Experience? Mother Teresa Born In A Country Far From The City Which She Would Make Her Home, Agnes Gonxha Bojaxhiu Dreamt Of Coming To Calcutta To Serve The Poorest Of The Poor. Two Decades Later, She Single-Handedly Started The Missionaries Of Charity, An Organization Which Has Today Come To Embody The Values Of Compassion And Care In A World Of Suffering. Mother Teresa Won The Nobel Peace Prize And Has Been Beatified By Pope John Paul Ii. But It Is Not For This That She Is Remembered. It Is For Her Love And Dedicated Work Which Transformed Millions Of Lives Abandoned Children, Those Afflicted With Leprosy, The Destitute And The Dying That Mother Teresa Is Already A Saint In The Hearts Of People In India And Abroad. In This Touching Biography, Rukmini Chawla, Who Has Been Associated With Mother Teresa And The Missionaries Of Charity From An Early Age, Provides An Intimate Insight Into A Truly Extraordinary Life, And Looks At How The Amazing Institution She Founded Continues Her Work.

## Apostle Of Love

Amid the slums of Calcutta, Mother Teresa offered a comforting smile, consoling arms, soothing hands, a look that gave dignity, tears of compassion, and the light of Jesus in the darkness of great poverty. She found

God in the poorest of the poor; she cherished them and became a mother to all. She is a powerful witness that \"whatever we do for the least of our brothers, we do for Jesus\" (cf. Matthew 25:40).

## **Mother Teresa**

Recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize, feted by politicians, the Church and the world's media, Mother Teresa of Calcutta appears to be on the fast track to sainthood. But what, asks Christopher Hitchens, makes Mother Teresa so divine?

## **The Missionary Position**

A beloved modern-day saint, St. Teresa of Calcutta continues to be a source of inspiration over twenty years after her death. She gave God her complete yes and became one of the most well-known and inspiring women of the twentieth century. Fr. Cantalamessa, Preacher to the Papal Household since 1980, invites us to say yes to God's voice in our lives and overcome the obstacles that can distract or discourage us along the way.

## **The Spirituality of Mother Teresa**

Containing advice from the experts, this guide offers helpful tips for growing wine grapes in any climate.

## **Mother Teresa**

Mother Teresa's life sounds like a legend. The Albanian girl who entered an Irish order to go to India as a missionary and became an \"Angel of the Poor\" for countless people. She was greatly revered by Christians as well as Muslims, Hindus and unbelievers, as she brought the message of Christian love for one's neighbor from the slums of Calcutta to the whole world. Fr. Leo Maasburg was there as her close companion for many years, traveling with her throughout the world and was witness to countless miracles and incredible little-known occurrences. In this personal portrait of the beloved nun, he presents fifty amazing stories about her that most people have never heard, wonderful and delightful stories about miracles, small and great, that he was privileged to experience at Mother Teresa's side. Stories of how, without a penny to her name, she started an orphanage in Spain, and at the same time saved a declining railroad company from ruin, and so many more. They all tell of her limitless trust in God's love, of the way the power of faith can move mountains, and of hope that can never die. These stories reveal a humorous, gifted, wise and arresting woman who has a message of real hope for our time. It's the life story of one of the most important women of the 20th century as it's never been told before.

## **Mother Teresa of Calcutta**

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## **Mother Teresa**

Fr. Vazhakala tells the story of co-founding of the Missionaries of Charity Contemplative with Mother Teresa.

## **Life with Mother Teresa**

Mother Teresa of Calcutta--few figures in the twentieth century have received such adulation. This diminutive Albanian nun was frequently cited as the living embodiment of Christian kindness, received the Nobel Peace Prize, and was hailed as a living saint. Yet the respect she received was not unanimous, and

toward the end of her life serious, measured criticisms were directed at this modern icon, who had once seemed beyond reproach. In her fascinating work, Anne Sebba looks carefully at all these views, giving the only objective account of Mother Teresa's life and work. The first half of the book follows the life of young Agnes Bojaxhiu, from her childhood in Serbian-dominated Skopje, to her decision to join the religious life, to her arrival in India during the British Raj. In the second half, Anne Sebba examines the many difficult issues surrounding Mother Teresa's work: her attitudes toward abortion and rape, her association with dictators such as the Duvaliers in Haiti, her medical practices, and her fund-raising ethics. Alongside these aspects, Anne Sebba also highlights Mother Teresa's dedication to the sick, dying, and destitute, and looks at the motivation that drove this remarkable woman. Hers was an extraordinary life, full of paradox. She was a woman of enormous courage, love, and determination, and her legacy poses some of the most profound questions of our age.

## **Mother Teresa**

The glitter of Mother Teresa's celebrity obscures the full splendor of her saintliness, argues Scott in this inspiring yet unsentimental look at the life of the first truly global saint. Includes countless photos and unforgettable television images.

## **A Revolution of Love**

What does peace mean to you? This beautifully-illustrated collection of inspirational ideas about peace is based on the lives of Nobel Peace Prize Laureates of the 20th and 21st centuries, among them Nelson Mandela, Martin Luther King Jr., Mother Teresa and Malala Yousafzai. A must for anyone interested in exploring this essential issue of our times, this child-friendly exploration of what peace means to you and me is a book for every bookshelf. Amnesty International endorses this book because it shows how standing up for other people makes the world a better, more peaceful place. USBBY Outstanding International Book. Blue Peter Book Awards, Best Book with Facts longlist. Times Education Supplement Top Children's Books. A Junior Library Guild Selection. "A beautifully executed, powerful book. A remarkable addition to illustrated biography collections"—School Library Journal, **STARRED** "This book is full of people who have striven to improve the lives of others and have consequently left a legacy years after their death. This is a brilliant book for anyone who loves discovering more about important figures in history"—BookTrust "Fascinating, beautiful and moving in equal measure"—The Book Activist

## **Peace and Me**

Does Mother Teresa Deserve Her Reputations As The Most Charitable Person Of All Time: This Book Reveals The Real Teresa.

## **Mother Teresa, the Final Verdict**

In honor of the first anniversary of her death, this stunning coffee-table pictorial history of the life and work of Mother Teresa was produced by one of her closest associates with the approval of the Missionaries of Charity. It includes 120 original photos with inspiring meditations by Mother Teresa. Beautifully produced, sturdily bound, a wonderful keepsake.

## **Mother Teresa of Calcutta**

Examines the life of a Catholic woman, teacher, and missionary who received the Nobel Peace Prize in 1979 for aiding the poor and dying in India.

## **Mother Teresa**

During her lifetime, Mother Teresa resisted having her full biography written. Then, in 1991, realizing that accounts of her life and work could inspire others, she gave Kathryn Spink, who had long been intimately involved with the work of Mother Teresa and her order and co-workers around the world, permission to proceed with a complete biography on the understanding that it would not be finished until after her death. Here, now, is the complete story of Mother Teresa of Calcutta, founder of the Missionaries of Charity and winner of the Nobel Peace Prize, a woman regarded by millions as a contemporary saint for her dedication to serving the poorest of the poor. From her childhood in Balkans as a member of a remarkably openhearted and religious family to her work in India, from attending the victims of war-torn Beirut to pleading with George Bush and Saddam Hussein to choose peace over war. Mother Teresa was driven by an absolute faith. She consistently claimed that she was simply responding to Christ's boundless love for her and for all of humanity. When People magazine interviewed Kathryn Spink for their cover story on Mother Teresa's death, Spink told them: "What one has to understand about Mother Teresa is that she sees Christ in every person she encounters." Clad in her white peasant sari with blue edging, Mother Teresa brought to the world a great and living lesson in joyful and selfless love.

## **The Republic of India**

LOVE: The Words and Inspiration of Mother Teresa is part of the new Me We book series from Blue Mountain ArtsA(R). Inspired by the life and philosophy of one of the 20th century's most remarkable humanitarians, this book combines compelling photographs of Mother Teresa with quotations from her most inspiring speeches and writings to capture the true essence of her timeless messages of peace, acceptance, and love. The book also includes an in-depth biographical essay by South African writer/novelist Mike Nicol and an introduction by Archbishop Desmond Tutu.

## **Mother Teresa, Her People and Her Work**

One of the world's most recognized and beloved spiritual leaders, Mother Teresa inspired millions with her extraordinary example of compassionate and selfless work for the poor, the ill, and the outcast. Until her death in 1997, she was a steadfast voice of love and faith, providing immeasurable kindness and guidance to the "poorest of the poor" through her Missionaries of Charity. No Greater Love is the essential wisdom of Mother Teresa — the most accessible and inspirational collection of her teachings ever published. This definitive volume features Mother Teresa on love, prayer, giving, service, poverty, forgiveness, Jesus, and more. It ends with a biography and a revealing conversation with Mother Teresa about the specific challenges and joys present in her work with the poor and dying. Published to celebrate her canonization in 2016, this Commemorative Edition also includes Pope John Paul II's homily from her Beatification Mass in 2003. No Greater Love is a passionate testament to Mother Teresa's deep hope and abiding faith in God and the world. It will bring readers into the heart of this remarkable woman, presenting Mother Teresa's revolutionary vision of Christianity in its graceful, poetic simplicity. Through her own words, No Greater Love celebrates the life and work of one of the great humanitarians of our time.

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Mother Teresa was a living saint whose life nourished those around her and who was herself nourished by prayer. This little book, prepared by the nuns of her order, the Missionaries of Charity, or Sisters of Mother Teresa of Calcutta, is published in this country for the first time for the celebration of her third death anniversary. Here are Mother Teresa's prayers and excerpts from her writings, many in her own handwriting reproduced on the page, accompanied by line drawings by the sisters. The simple drawings of the sisters complement the simple words of Mother Teresa. These simple words and simple drawings show the way to a profound joy through service to God in service to the poorest of the poor.

## **I Thirst**

Mother Teresa of Calcutta - few figures in the twentieth century have received such adulation. This diminutive nun of Albanian descent was frequently cited as the living embodiment of Christian kindness. Recipient of numerous humanitarian awards, including the 1979 Nobel Peace Prize, she was hailed as a living saint and commanded unrivaled international attention. Yet the respect she received was not unanimous, and since 1990, serious, measured criticisms have been directed at this modern icon, who seemed beyond reproach. In this riveting book, Anne Sebba gives us the first unbiased and balanced account of Mother Teresa's life and work. It is the first to put her in a social, historical, and geographic context, and the first to assess the future for the four thousand nuns in her worldwide Order.

## **A Mother Teresa Treasury**

Experience the same Spirit-filled words that Mother Theresa shared with the poor, the dying, the hurting, and the skeptical. The quotes, stories, and prayers in this book are hers. Mother Teresa's work for -- and among -- the poor has become the yardstick by which millions measure compassion and generosity across religious and political divides. While Mother Theresa herself always stressed action over words, it is the latter that have provided solace and hope to those who never had the opportunity to meet her during her life. Though the world has lost one of its most admired women, Mother Theresa's words and her memory still serve to move men and women from every race and religious background to volunteer to help the poor. -- From publisher's description.

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Mother Teresa's work for -- and among -- the poor has become the yardstick by which the entire world measures compassion, generosity, and selflessness. From 1950, when she founded the order of Missionaries of Charity, to winning the Nobel Peace Prize in 1979, and then, in 1985, being awarded the Medal of Freedom -- America's highest civilian award -- to her final days, Mother Teresa served the world as a beacon shedding the light of hope, comfort, and peace on all. This book contains the same quotes, stories, and prayers that helped strengthen and inspire the poor, the dying, the suffering, and the doubting who she met during her lifetime, and that will continue to strengthen and inspire all who read them. Photos. Compact format.

## **Love**

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## **No Greater Love, Commemorative Edition**

This historic work reveals the inner spiritual life of one of the most beloved and important religious figures in history--Mother Teresa. During her lifelong service to the poorest of the poor, Mother Teresa became an icon of compassion to people of all religions; her extraordinary contributions to the care of the sick, the dying, and thousands of others nobody else was prepared to look after has been recognized and acclaimed throughout the world. Little is known, however, about her own spiritual heights or her struggles. This collection of her writing and reflections, almost all of which have never been made public before, sheds light on Mother Teresa's interior life in a way that reveals the depth and intensity of her holiness for the first time. Compiled and presented by Fr. Brian Kolodiejchuk, M.C., who knew Mother Teresa for twenty years and is the postulator for her cause for sainthood and director of the Mother Teresa Center, Mother Teresa brings

together letters she wrote to her spiritual advisors over decades. A moving chronicle of her spiritual journey—including moments, indeed years, of utter desolation—these letters reveal the secrets she shared only with her closest confidants. She emerges as a classic mystic whose inner life burned with the fire of charity and whose heart was tested and purified by an intense trial of faith, a true dark night of the soul. "If I ever become a Saint-- I will surely be one of "darkness." I will continually be absent from Heaven-- to light the light of those in darkness on earth." --Mother Teresa

## **A Fruitful Branch on the Vine, Jesus**

A brief overview of the life of Mother Teresa who dedicated her life to helping the poor in India and was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize for her work.

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## **Mother Teresa**

A collection of Mother Teresa's prayers and comments plus an interview with the author.

## **Mother Teresa**

A biography of Mother Teresa, a nun working in Calcutta, India, who has dedicated her life to doing what she could to help those who suffered from loneliness or poverty. She received the Nobel Peace Prize in 1979.

## **Mother Teresa: Come be My Light**

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