

Faces Of Jesus A Life Story

With timeless insight, Frederick Buechner introduces us to the Jesus of the Gospel. The old, old story begins to ring new as Buechner revisits the ancient stories and shows us different aspects of the face of Jesus. Here we see the story behind the story. The story which we are invited into. Our story.

Discovery in the Desert is the first book in Tom Thiele's Discovery Series. When asked about religious affiliation, do you describe yourself as a Christian? Do you wonder about heaven? When someone knows that they are a good person, does that mean that they are a heaven-bound Christian? That is exactly how David Hart saw himself before his discovery in the desert. David Hart, a young, bright NASA physicist is chosen to join a team of other NASA scientists assigned to a Classified Military Project. The team is formed to bring a new, cutting edge technology to the United States military-Time Travel. Initially great strides are made in developing a time travel capsule, and then the team hits a brick wall. Once the obstacle becomes common knowledge at NASA, the project transforms from one of prestige and glamor to one of embarrassment. The slowed progress grates on David's patience. Then he decides to do the unthinkable! Join David on this adventure of a lifetime as he realizes that not only has he been chosen to be on this NASA team, but he has been chosen for a much more significant task. A task, that once accomplished, will change David's life forever.

Jesus is one of the most often portrayed figures of all time. But what do all of his faces - in art from different ages and around the world - tell us about him? In this beautiful book images of Jesus are used to explore his life and legacy, including Jesus as shepherd, Jesus as victor, Jesus as broken, etc. With illuminating text, this book is both visually stunning and textually inspiring. Jane Williams uses the portrayal of Jesus in art to investigate his life and character. The Faces of Jesus A Life Story Paraclete Press (MA)

Death & Resurrection: Exploring the Mysteries of Suffering & Hope is about the death and resurrection of Jesus lived out rhythmically in the lives of his followers. Sometimes Jesus' followers are in the rhythm of death. Sometimes they are in the rhythm of resurrection. A painful divorce, lost friendship, unrealized dream, failed business and besetting sin are not badges of shame or reminders of weakness. They are all opportunities to participate in the power of Jesus' death and resurrection at work in our bodies (2 Corinthians 4:10). The problem many Christians face is viewing Jesus' death and resurrection as one time, book end events at the beginning and end of the Christian life. Jesus' death begins the Christian life through the forgiveness of sins. Jesus' resurrection ends the Christian life resulting in resurrection from the dead for all people. It is true, death and resurrection are one time events for Jesus. They are not one time events for Christians. Death and resurrection form the rhythm of the Christian life, just as breathing and a beating heart form the rhythm of bodily life. When Christians embrace the rhythm of dying and rising with Jesus, they will find far greater power, comfort, peace and life in all circumstances.

This book will start with the earliest Christian textual evidence, the letters of Saint Paul, as a foundation to reveal surprising details in the history of the early Church that have been hidden in plain sight for almost two thousand years: (1.) that Saint Peter and Saint Paul became enemies; (2.) that according to some early Christians, Jesus was both the Messiah and the Antichrist, but not God nor the Son of God; (3.) that James, the brother of Jesus, rejected the original teaching of Jesus in order to further his own claim to be the Messiah; (4.) that the apostle Paul actually failed more than he succeeded during his lifetime; (5.) that Christians were instrumental in the First Jewish Revolt; and (6.) that Jesus did claim to be both the Son of God and God. The evidence is laid out logically in a new way. But the evidence is not new; it is on your shelf right now.

"In Life According to Jesus, author Jack Graham unlocks the wisdom of Jesus as chronicled in

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the book of John-and shows us how to apply Jesus' wisdom to the everyday circumstances of life. Digging deep into one of the bible's most fascinating books, this devotional shows just how Jesus responded to the tough issues and questions we all face."--Publisher description. For many who identify themselves as Christians, Jesus has never become experientially personal or real. Countless others who have faithfully followed Christ confess to a spiritual dryness and lack of joy. These individuals are weary and unmoved by the plethora of information about Jesus. What they long for is an experience with Jesus. Picturing the Face of Jesus is an invitation to experience Christ more deeply. Through a rich palette of experiential media—art contemplation, gospel story-telling, and imaginative prayer—the reader is invited to picture the face of Jesus, his expressive, one-of-a-kind, human face. As a result, Jesus will become a real person with whom they candidly relate, instead of a hero they merely admire. Through this encounter, their own hearts will be transformed as they begin to reflect the face of Christ to others.

Astonished by the Presence of God - Igniting and Sustaining the Fire of Revival There is a powerful move of God spreading across our land. Many will be saved. Individuals and families will find their lives dramatically changed. Churches and communities will be transformed. You can be involved in an amazing season of revival. In this book you will learn how to cooperate with God in igniting and sustaining the fire of revival. Your Christian life will take on new effectiveness, your church will grow, and your community will be impacted with the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Presents a collection of paintings and images of Jesus throughout the centuries depicting his life, from birth to his crucifixion to his resurrection.

As a young urban youth worker, Ted Travis was captivated by a question posed by Christian community development pioneer Dr. John Perkins: "How do we build incentive in inner-city youth, motivating them toward Christ and a life of meaning and purpose?" Over the next 30 years, Ted wrestled with this question as he and his wife Shelly ministered to hundreds of teens in Denver's Five Points neighborhood- an inner-city community facing the daunting challenges of poverty, gangs, crime, and unemployment. Along the way, Ted pressed biblical principles and tried-in-the-trenches strategies into a philosophy of youth leadership development he calls "transformational discipleship." In *Building Cathedrals*, Ted shares his blueprint for transformational discipleship (as well as accounts of its profound impact on young people) and exhorts today's youth workers to reimagine their ministries and raise up a new generation of visionary urban leaders. This book has been revised and expanded, including the addition of an index.

The center of the Christian faith involves a relationship with Jesus Christ, and such a relationship carries significant consequences. However, while the notion of relationship with God through Christ is still a leading notion, it is often overshadowed by a focus on the rational mind inherited through a massive movement from centuries ago: the Enlightenment. Whether a theologian or lay Christian, we have all, to some degree, been impacted by this focus on 'proper thinking' and doctrine as it pertains to God, to the point that we inadvertently apply salvific qualities to them. What's more is that, according to contemporary research, roughly 15% of the American population considers themselves open to spirituality but lacks any interest in Christianity or any other organized religion. This accounts for more than double the percentage of atheists and agnostics combined. Author Michael Fessler suggests that the 15% of nonbelievers are not looking for something to appeal to their intellect per se; they're looking for something to stir excitement and truth within their hearts. Moreover, Fessler suggests that Enlightenment philosophy brought about a false method of knowledge, truth, and belief. We are more than rational beings. We are also beings of emotion, spirit, conscience and will. All of these aspects are involved in our pursuit of truth. Fessler promotes the "faith of a wrestler" and that the church should share the gospel with others through this particular lens of faith; a faith

which is centered on a relationship with Christ, one which acknowledges that in any relationship there are times of struggle, confusion, doubt, and uncertainty - times of wrestling. And of course with such times of wrestling comes the opportunity for deeper trust and intimacy. It's a faith which recognizes too that we live in a fallen world, a world which holds terrible misfortunes and suffering. It's with this that we wrestle as well. According to Fessler, the 15% are just not interested because the church as a whole has failed to appeal to them with the simplicity of God's powerful gospel message, and in a way that embodies the faith of a wrestler. In fact, many Christians today need to rediscover their faith and the authentic gospel for themselves. Within this theological journey is the author's own personal journey which helps to accentuate the core of his message. They're just not interested. But perhaps they will be. Profiles Jesus Christ as the human face of God, taking into the account the multiple ways his life has been viewed and retold, and dramatizing the transformation from a man to a myth. With timeless insight, this award-winning author retells the stories of the gospels and reminds readers that to see Jesus afresh is to be changed and challenged and to be put back on their feet.

"Magisterial. . . . A learned, brilliant and enjoyable study."—Géza Vermès, *Times Literary Supplement* In this exciting book, Paula Fredriksen explains the variety of New Testament images of Jesus by exploring the ways that the new Christian communities interpreted his mission and message in light of the delay of the Kingdom he had preached. This edition includes an introduction reviews the most recent scholarship on Jesus and its implications for both history and theology. "Brilliant and lucidly written, full of original and fascinating insights."—Reginald H. Fuller, *Journal of the American Academy of Religion* "This is a first-rate work of a first-rate historian."—James D. Tabor, *Journal of Religion* "Fredriksen confronts her documents—principally the writings of the New Testament—as an archaeologist would an especially rich complex site. With great care she distinguishes the literary images from historical fact. As she does so, she explains the images of Jesus in terms of the strategies and purposes of the writers Paul, Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John."—Thomas D'Evelyn, *Christian Science Monitor*

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Christ's death on the cross offers victory over bitterness, addictions, occult bondage, and debilitating strongholds. Encounter! Receive Christ's Freedom will show you how to apply Christ's victory to your own life. This book is an excellent resource for someone who is bound by sinful habits or who simply needs to live an abundant life. It explains clearly how to receive the fullness of the Holy Spirit and then to walk in the Spirit's power. It's a great resource to use individually or in a retreat setting. In the back of the

book, there's a coach's section to help guide someone else through the contents of this book. Topics include: Repentance and forgiveness; The power of the cross over sin, Satan, and demonic strongholds; How to receive inner healing; Freedom from the fear of death; How to be filled with the Spirit.

Bullying. Homelessness. Abortion. Human trafficking. It doesn't take much searching to discover that there are a lot of things wrong in our world today. What could one person possibly do about all these issues? In *I Dare You*, Isabella Morganthal dares you to step out and make a difference in the world for Jesus Christ. She helps you dig deep and discover your passion, while encouraging you to do something about it. This is a dare to give everything you have to Jesus and watch Him do amazing things with your life. This is a dare to make your life count. This is a dare to change your world.

Over six thousand years ago in the regions of the third heaven, a Triune council of the Holies, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, brought about the creation of heaven and earth and all that was created in the six days as we have record of written in the Word of God. In the likeness of the Triune God was man created, being formed from the dust of the ground. God breathed into his nostrils the breath of life and man became a living soul. God planted a garden eastward in Eden and there he put the man whom he had formed. I have not the pen or vocabulary to describe the pristine beauty that this garden entailed prior to the first footprint impressed upon this sacred garden. Then God said. "it is not good that man should be alone", and He made a help meet for him, so the first parents perfect environment of no sin, no decay; a paradise for eyes to behold. But alas, sin entered and Adam and Eve were put out of the garden and we have the fall of mankind; the fall of no hope. It had become certain that death would reign and only the Triune God had made plans for the redemption of mankind, all knowing that man would sin and fall victim to sin and that redemption plan was already decided beforehand in the regions of the third heaven long before man was created. The redemption plan was provided to come into the world as the Son of God, the hypostatic union, meaning Christ's humanity and divinity in one hypostasis, or individual existence, being born by a miraculous entry into the world. We will never understand how God and man could unite in one person. The deep things and mysteries of God are far beyond our horizon. Although He was in the likeness of men, that refers to the human nature. He was sinless and He appeared as man in looks and dress but was unlike the natural man in that sin was not an integral part in his unfallen human nature. He had to become man in order to die on the cross for you and me. But He did not diminish the Person. The two natures in Christ are not fused together, they remain distinct and different. Let me say He did not give up Deity or the use of His attributes of Deity. Read Isaiah 53:12. He poured out His soul unto death. None of Christ's divine attributes were relinquished. However, He obscured His majestic glory while embodied by the earthly body. Recorded in the four Gospels is what we have of the life of Christ on this earth. There is no complete biography that could ever be written of the life of Christ on the earth because there are so many details not given. The four Gospels give its own emphasis of how they described the works and life of Christ. The false teachings of cults and critics and evolutionary of man becoming gods is not what our Bible says; it is opposite the false teachings. The Bible says God became man, who was Jesus Christ, both man and God.

Man created in God's image is much like his Creator, he is very relational. The inability

of man to interact with God affects him in 7 other fundamental relationships in his life. In this book, the author has presented seven needful relationships which, if attained, will bring a complete fulfillment in the soul of every individual. Without any fulfillment in his soul, man will cling to any thing that brings him a temporary relief, thus the source of many frustrations. The writer is trying to show his readers that God has a perfect spot in the heart of each man called, "the secret place." The author takes his readers through a simplistic approach on how to relate to God in 7 relational dimensions, and challenge them to translate the result in their personal lives with others. Apostle Tumba J Kanyinda was born January 3, 1962 in Lubumbashi, Democratic Republic of Congo. He came to USA twenty years ago, and served in the US Army for 11 years. He is married to Martine for 15 years, has one boy and two girls. He began his ministries 15 years ago while he was stationed in Wiesbaden Germany. He is a prolific Bible teacher, a preacher and a father to pastors and ministers in three continents. He was confirmed as an Apostle in 2003. As a builder, he is the founder and senior pastor of Tampa Harvest Church in Florida. He is also the President of Christ Global Ministries, a network of churches stretching from Canada, USA, Europe and Africa.

During his life Jesus did not view himself as divine, nor did his disciples. In THE CHANGING FACES OF JESUS the great scholar Vermes works back through successively earlier accounts of the life of Christ to finally reveal the true, historical figure of Jesus hidden beneath the Gospels: a Palestinian charismatic convinced he had an essential role to play in bringing about the kingdom of God.

Jesus Christ is arguably the most famous man who ever lived. His image adorns countless churches, icons, and paintings. He is the subject of millions of statues, sculptures, devotional objects and works of art. Everyone can conjure an image of Jesus: usually as a handsome, white man with flowing locks and pristine linen robes. But what did Jesus really look like? Is our popular image of Jesus overly westernized and untrue to historical reality? This question continues to fascinate. Leading Christian Origins scholar Joan E. Taylor surveys the historical evidence, and the prevalent image of Jesus in art and culture, to suggest an entirely different vision of this most famous of men. He may even have had short hair.

GOD HAS GIVEN YOU POWER AND AUTHORITY to impact your world for generations. It is quite simply a matter of the body of Christ -you and I- learning to walk in this tremendous call. In this amazingly fundamental, yet profound book, Pastor P.J. Anastasi will help you to see the BIG PICTURE beyond just having your needs met. Insurgent will captivate your imagination to start a spiritual revolution in the earth! At the writing of this book, we find our nation is at a crossroads. We have experienced one of the most controversial Presidential elections in our history. The LGBTQ movement is at its peak and the war on terror has only increased as terrorist attacks on American soil have become more common. Yet God is raising up the church for a time such as this! WHAT YOU POSSESS IN YOUR HANDS IS MORE THAN A BOOK. IT'S A TRAINING MANUAL ON HOW TO DEFEAT THE GOLIATHS OF OUR GENERATION and release the supernatural power of god in the earth realm.

This is not just a book just to be READ - it is a book to be SAID! "Death and life are in the power of the tongue, and they who indulge in it shall eat the fruit of it [for death or life]." Proverbs 18:21 If I could hand you a key that is guaranteed to change your life and circumstances; a principle that places the supernatural power of God on tap for

every situation in your life and ministry, would you want to know what it is? Sometimes people shroud the simplicity of the gospel in a mess of religious rhetoric and theological confusion. Thankfully the Scriptures make plain and simple how we are to engage with God and receive and release His transforming power consistently in our everyday lives. In this practical Spirit-filled series of books, pastor and Bible teacher, David Lee Martin, unpacks the amazing truth concerning the power of the words that you speak, and shows clearly how you can apply this truth to change your world, and the world of those around you. This Edition: COLOSSIANS The book of Colossians is a book of putting off the old, and putting on the new. The truths you are about to declare will uproot all that hinders you in your walk with God and with others, and firmly establish your present and true identity in Christ. Take the words on the following pages, salt them with your own thanksgiving, and let God's love and grace touch the very depths of your being. The Benefits of Applying the Word As with several of my other books, this one is intended to be applied. It's words and message are impotent if they are not vigorously acted upon. The 'His Word My Word' series of books take eternal truth and shape it for application right here and now! This series of books will train your tongue by planting the Word in your heart, and harnessing your testimony (the confession of your mouth) with the law of liberty - the perfect Word of our Father. Just a few the benefits you can expect as you act on what you read, and become a doer of the work include: -It renews the mind, building into your consciousness and expectation new truths to live by. -It moulds your vocabulary, harnessing your tongue to speak only those things God (and you) desire for your life. -It conforms your thoughts and words to His thoughts and Words. -It gives expression to the mind of Christ in any and all situations. -It raises our perspective from earthly to heavenly, from below circumstances to above them. -It banishes wrong thinking and emotions, replacing them with God's own thoughts - our emotions will always follow our thinking, and our thinking will follow the deposit in our heart, and the words of our mouths. -It gives you an actionable principle you can apply to combat any adversity you face with confidence. -It establishes Godly boundaries in your life. -It overcomes the devil's plans and purposes because you are never in agreement with him, and they cannot be established. -It develops new pictures of ourselves, ones that are shaped by God's unchanging love for us. -It equips us with the necessary weapons for the Holy Spirit to bring to our remembrance what is needed to overcome, any time our mind, body or spirit come under attack. -It brings every thought into captivity and conformity to Christ, resulting in increased spiritual authority in the spirit realm and in relationships and ministry. -It is health to our flesh and strength to our bones. There are many more wonderful benefits that flow from disciplining ourselves to speak the Word only, but I am sure that you already you agree, any investment we need to make putting this into practice is far outweighed by the promised returns. It is truly life changing, and a spiritual principle that will stand the test of time and every challenge that is thrown at it.

Faith isn't something your child learns by himself when he's all grown up, it must be taught the earliest time possible. This book will help your child understand Christianity, Jesus' teachings and yes faith through an interesting bible story about the Carpenter's Son. Introduce them to the early life of Jesus by buying them a copy now.

In every trial or tribulation, there is an opportunity that can bring us closer to God and to our goals when we allow God to take control. God, Take Over; I Am Finished is a cry

for mercy and divine intervention when suffering seems unfair and you realize that no one else can help you. A dry valley and wilderness experience story, based on the author's tribulations and triumphs as she struggled, willingly and sometimes unwillingly, to submit to God's will. It reveals how she passed through the storm and survived and what she gained out of the pains she had to endure. Its principal message lies in the realization and fact that where human senses, strength, power, abilities, knowledge, and intelligence end, God's supremacy begins. By applying her experiences and the Word of God, Catherine Agada shows you how to discover divine strength in weakness; peace in chaos, and His love in suffering. She inspires and teaches you to love better, live happier, forgive faster, pray efficiently, and increase faith. God, Take Over; I Am Finished can restore hope and improve your relationships with God and man.

On May 25th, 2006 an IED exploded in Bagdad instantly killing Army Captain Doug DiCenzo. His wife Nicole didn't ask "why?" after the notifying officers knocked on her door, she immediately started asking God about Heaven. The next five years of her life became a quest to discover the truth about Heaven and Christ's Millennial Kingdom. Her gracious God sent Her messages in miraculous ways – both from the battlefield and from Heaven – in order to keep her focus on His Word and His return. Slowly, Nicole began to understand the vision she had created of Heaven was far from the truth. Revelations: A Survivor's Story of Faith, Hope, and the Coming Kingdom is a true life account of a survivor's search for answers with a heavenly twist: Doug is in Heaven and he is completely aware of Nicole's experiences on Earth. While Nicole asks God if she should wait for Heaven or move on with her life, Doug is anticipating their reunion by witnessing the preparations for the return of the King. Even though this world took her husband, it cannot have her faith. Now she knows when Jesus returns, He will bat a thousand – it is called the millennial reign of Christ.

This is the forth book in this series that began with an in-depth look at how God views details, communicates with this world, and decides what process to use. Of course this series of books looked at aspects recorded in scripture about the Tabernacle. How the materials were collected, specific design details, who did the work, and how the Tabernacle was constructed. Much of that information is found in dozens, maybe hundreds of other books about the Tabernacle. But there are details setting this book apart from every other book written about the Tabernacle. This book takes a verse by verse, story by story, chapter by chapter look at the Tabernacle. In other words, this book presents a picture of the Tabernacle from God's point of view. Which the beginning of this series pointed out, is much different than any human perspective. No Other Options. Desperate people stop Jesus in His tracks...think of the woman hemorrhaging for 12 long years, despondent that all remedies up to that point had proven worthless. The only option left for her was to grab the robe of the miracle man as He walked by. Jesus affirmed her courage, healed her, called her daughter, and blessed her in peace. Jesus admires your gut-honest desperation more than your religious self-sufficiency. It attracts Him like nothing else. What is your greatest place of desperation right now? Cruel circumstances, fractured relationships, bruised emotions and aching loneliness-God meets us in the desperate places of our lives, fights and delights to restore us, and sends us out into a world full of desperate people. "Honesty is what you will find as you advance through the treasures that await you in this unforgettable book. The words are not the hollow ramblings of an academic, but rather

the wisdom of a man who writes from the depths of his quest to find meaning and hope in the darkest and loneliest circumstances you have ever endured. My life has been profoundly and deeply shaken by my friendship with Mike O'Quin. I invite you to read his meditations on human desperation. Prepare your heart. I dare say, you will never be the same."- Paul Richardson, author of *A Certain Risk: Living Your Faith at the Edge* (Zondervan, 2010) "One of the biggest dangers for the Western Christian is to wrap our lives in so much bubble wrap, that we no longer remain vulnerable, raw, broken and, most of all, dependent upon Jesus. Mike carefully removes the bubble wrap we have put around our own souls as he reminds us that it's only in our desperation that we can fully meet the perfect love that saves us. *Growing Desperate* reminds us that, in the same way Jesus noticed the desperate hemorrhaging woman, He notices our own, everyday brokenness as well, if only we would be desperate enough to reach up. After reading this book, you will be."- Jessica Honegger, founder and CEO of Noonday Collection "*Growing Desperate* offers a most inspiring and compelling insight into Jesus' promise of the Kingdom for the poor in spirit. It's well-written and cocked full of fascinating stories of Mike's experiences from his life and the lives of people he's served both in the U.S. and Indonesia. His winsome, transparent style of writing invites the reader to be more than OK with our own neediness. Most refreshing is Mike's call for us not just look inward but to also look outward to others who are needy. Mike lives what he's addressing in his book, thus it carries much authority." - Ron Parrish, author of *From Duty to Delight: Finding Greater Joy in Daily Prayer* "There are generally two types of writers who fill the pages of books in stores. The first are famous people who need some help to make their story readable. You'll buy the book 'cause you know who they are but struggle to finish reading their passable drivel. The second are people you've never heard of who have ridiculous writing talent. Imagery leaps off the page so vivid and real you forget you're reading. You're living the story. You can't wait to read more, wished it wouldn't end and ache to read it again. Mike O'Quin is that second type of writer. Even better, he's lived desperation from Austin to Indonesia. You'll feel his stories tugging at your soul. More importantly, you'll hear the voice of God calling you to a life that's richer, riskier and singing a new song."- Peter Nevland, author of *Exposing the Psalms and I'm Going to be a Zebra* The heart of why I wrote this book:

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31 full-page, full-color Scripture images complement the short devotions that fill this unique "coffee table" devotional. In its pages, you'll discover that peace can transcend circumstances. "*Everyday Praise*" explores the practice and blessings of praise through meditations consisting of biblical insights; the author's personal testimonies and observations; probing questions and applications; and heart-felt prayers of praise. The vibrant images pull you into each encouraging word. Reminder phrases accent the point of each message. Each entry in "*Everyday Praise*" reads quickly but probes deeply, as a catalyst to spiritual growth. Too often we believe we have to endure life. Yet in Christ Jesus, we can find joy and peace even in the midst of difficult circumstances. But that's only possible when our focus shifts from those circumstances to the One who promises to be our strength ... our hope. That's where praise comes in. We all face struggles. Hard times will come. When it does is, we often wonder, "How can I praise God in the middle of this mess?" It's a question I've asked. Maybe you have too. Because praising God comes easy during life's grand moments. Yet, in the difficult

ones, glorifying Him can just as easily be forgotten. However, that's precisely the time we need to worship! God deserves praise. God commands praise. Christians need to praise! Reflecting on God's unchanging nature offers a reminder of His faithfulness when storms hit. Singing hymns of truth provides an oasis when you find yourself in the desert. Remembering the promises of God brings daily challenges into perspective. Begin to gain greater peace as you practice praising God with this unique gift book. Two additional sections in "Everyday Praise" will further immerse you into this idea of praise. The first pulls out each reminder phrase for ease of memorization. While the second lists 31 additional Bible verses to incorporate into your daily praise habit. Move a little further along the path of peace and contentment as you open the pages of "Everyday Praise," and begin exploring and cultivating the habit of daily praise. (A download link to a free companion journal is also provided in the book.)

Every woman will wear many faces in her lifetime. Sometimes the face may be of a daughter, sister, mother, or friend. As you follow the life-long journey laid out in this book, you will find yourself identifying with the situations encountered. This will be an encouraging book you will want to share with other women.

MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME IN GOD'S HEART: After 7 years of volunteering to serve the men, women, and children at a very popular outreach center in Atlanta, GA, I stumbled upon an amazing personal discovery. I came to the humble realization that homelessness is not simply a state of physical destitution. But homelessness is also a place of spiritual and emotional emptiness. It is very true that some live in a perpetual state of misfortune and need the relationship, the challenge, and the encouragement of others to "dare to hope" that their circumstances are only temporary. Many undoubtedly need financial relief to end their state of homelessness. Yet, each of us, whether well off or destitute, can attest to the fact that at one point or another we have felt abandoned and displaced. While serving as an outreach leader, I found a new family. I discovered though I had a physical dwelling, I too was in an emotional state of homelessness. While serving the homeless, I struggled to conquer my own issues with abandonment. I found myself desperately attempting to place the pieces of my own life in a recognizable order. And it was while serving that I found an extension of God's family that are far too often overlooked, disqualified, and misunderstood. Each month I would show up with a fresh sermon in hand-ready to inspire and motivate those whom "I thought" were in need of encouragement. But each time, I left with the discovery that I needed it more than any of them. I arrived ready to inspire, but left all the more inspired myself. **HOPE FOR THE SOUL** is inspired by the men, women, and children seeking love, purpose, and a reason to believe that a better experience of life exists. In this book, you too will discover that there is a secret place in God's heart to find all the rest, affirmation, and love you have been longing for. **HOPE FOR THE SOUL** is guaranteed to strengthen your ability to: *Speak life to every dead dream* Pursue your God-given power* Declare freedom from past failures* Perform at maximum capacity in His strength* Trust God and His promises to build a better life!!

Finally! The ideal guide through the process of salvation, fully explained. Written for non-Christians and nominal Christians. Excellent for teaching leaders and lay people how to explain the gospel. Engaging style, reflection questions and practical prayers make it the perfect tool. Entering into the Christian life is often a difficult, bewildering experience for the new believer. Many common problems, temptations and questions need the seasoned counsel and guidance of a mature Christian. R.A. Torrey fills this need in *How to Succeed in the Christian Life*.

Practical, simple answers are provided in chapters dealing with assurance, the Holy Spirit, difficulties in the Bible, church membership, persecution, Bible study, prayer and foreign missions. Illustrations from the rich, varied life of the author lend interest to the sound biblical advice in these pages. Essential instruction for vital spiritual growth presented in clear, concise form. - Back cover.

Discover the wonder of a life with God you can't contain. The pages of scripture are full of ordinary people who walked with God as he poured himself out through them to a world in need. What if God never changed? What if he is still speaking to us and longing to work miraculously through us? What if it isn't a matter of more training or effort but simply receiving and releasing everything he already purchased? "Life in the Overflow" invites you to know God intimately as your Daddy in a way that spills out of you naturally. Filled with disarming honesty and fervent expectation, this book mirrors a reflection of who you are, who your God is and what he actually longs to do through "ordinary, messy kids" today!

It starts as a story ripped from the headlines of the war-torn Middle East. An extremist faction of Islam bombs a church during a service. The one door in the back isn't big enough for five hundred people trying to escape. Some are killed. But after the chaos and fire and smoke, one young woman comes back to life. In this thrilling true tale, death does not have the final word. From the first time Samaa heard the Lord Jesus calling her out of Islam into faith in Him, till she met Him face to face in heaven, her life is marked by God's supernatural love and power. Full of hope and encouragement, and overflowing with Jesus' love, her riveting account reveals the power of God to break through any circumstance--and is a moving reminder that, in a place beyond what we can imagine, we have a Savior waiting to welcome us face to face.

You have been called to live an inspired life! A life filled with God's purpose and plan. A life defined by His destiny and dream for you. A life experiencing the fullness of His presence, power and promise on a continuous basis. Is this life possible? Is it conceivable for you to discover the life God has ordained for you to live? Yes it is, and that is what this book is all about. Living the inspired life lifts you out of the normal everyday affairs of mankind and into the fulfillment of God's dream for your life. The inspired life God has reserved for you is a life complete with meaning and contentment. It is a life of accomplishment and triumph. And further, it is God's inspired life, lived in and through you that will leave a legacy for years to come. "The Inspired Life: God's Dream for Your Future" will take you on a journey to not only discover God's dream for you, but also how to step into His destiny to be lived out through you. As you read through the pages you will quickly learn that Jesus Christ, God's Son, is central to living the inspired life. He is our example, our template and the blueprint for the inspired life. And it is through knowing Him personally that His inspired life is imparted to us. As He fills us and matures us as disciples we then begin to live as He did; inspiring this world for the Kingdom of God. The goal of this short book is to saturate the reader with the potential of God's anointing living in you to inspire others. You too can live out a life that shares the light and love of Jesus Christ to a world in pain, looking for answers. You too can inspire others as Jesus Christ inspired. So as you read through the pages to follow, prayerfully consider God's specific plan for your life. And this plan starts with knowing Jesus Christ, being conformed to His life and culminates in you living a life for Christ. Come, join us as we open God's word, the Bible and discover a life God had planned for you before time began. It is truly the most amazing, powerful and fulfilling life you will ever experience. It is truly "The Inspired Life; God's Dream for Your Future."

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