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St. Francis of Assisi Carlo Carretto 1982 Beschrijving van het leven van Franciscus van Assisi (1182-1226) in het licht van de hedendaagse maatschappij.
Orbis Kazantzakis 2015-03-20 Leven en wandel van Zorbas de Griek is het wereldberoemde verhaal van de vriendschap tussen een teruggetrokken schrijver die voortdurend wordt geplaagd door die alles probeert te beredeneren, en een levenskunstenaar die vertrouwt op zijn gevoel en instinct en die in volledige harmonie leeft met zichzelf en de wereld. Er is voor de lezer dan ook veel te vinden in deze rijke roman: vriendschap, loyaliteit, dans, muziek en zelfs moord.
Francis of Assisi Lawrence Cunningham 2004-05-11 In this new biography of St. Francis, Cunningham follows the saint's life in chronological order, placing him within his culture, exploring official developments within the Church and highlighting the many conversions of Francis as his life played out.

Novel Theology Darren J. N. Middleton 2000 In *Novel Theology*, Darren Middleton engages a conversation between literature and theology by using the narrative fiction of Kazantzakis and the process thought of Whitehead. Not only does it reveal the common philosophy that shapes both Kazantzakis's and Whitehead's understanding of God, it acknowledges that the exercise of sustaining this conversation at times becomes demanding because literature and theology have different textual modes and forms of discourse. Literature and theology constantly (de)construct each other. Suggesting that this (de)constructive assignment is one that cannot but be "in process itself," Middleton returns to it throughout the book. Middleton brings theology and literature into conversation by comparing specific themes in novels by Kazantzakis and in the works of particular Whiteheadian process theologians. Works explored include *The Last Temptation of Christ*, *Pluralistic Age*, *Saint Francis: Toward a Process Pneumatology*, *Zorba the Greek*, and *God and Religion in the Postmodern World: Essays in Postmodern Theology*. *Novel Theology* is indispensable reading for scholars of literature and theology, Kazantzakis, Whitehead, and process thought.

Struck by Reality Karen Maharaj 2020-06-02 This book does not contain instructions on how to achieve your spiritual goals nor does it provide 'how to' guidelines for your personal growth. This book was born in my heart on the morning of driving to a New Year's Eve ceremony at my local Mindfulness Center. My heart opened-up as I became clear that I am beginning my personal journey of awakening to the reality of life as it is in front of me. The only other dream I had at that time was that I needed to write about my awakening in the present moment to reflect on life as it occurred. The significance of writing about life as it unfolded, is my personal experiment to determine which truth is sustaining my mind, that has been fueled by traditions, belief systems, norms and societal expectations or the reality in front of me.

The Great Conversation Belden C. Lane 2019-05-01 "We are surrounded by a world that talks, but we don't listen. We are part of a community engaged in a vast conversation, but we deny our role in it." In the face of climate change, loss, and vast environmental destruction, the ability to stand in the flow of the great conversation of all creatures and the earth can feel utterly lost to the human race. But Belden C. Lane suggests that it can and must be. In the face of the loss of the natural world to act as teacher. In a series of personal anecdotes, Lane pairs his own experiences in the wild with the writings of saints and sages from a wide range of religious traditions. A night in a Missouri cave, the Spiritual Exercises of Ignatius of Loyola, the canyons of southern Utah elicit a response from the Chinese philosopher Laozi: 500,000 migrating sandhill cranes rest in Nebraska and evoke the Sufi poet Farid ud-Din Attar. A chapter, the humility of spiritual masters through the ages melds with the author's encounters with natural teachers to offer guidance for entering once more into a conversation with the world.

Evil Children in Religion, Literature, and Art Ziolkowski 2001-05-21 Evil Children in Religion, Literature and Art explores the genesis, development, and religious significance of a literary and iconographic motif, involving a gang of mischievous urchins, usually male, who mock or assault a holy or eccentric person, typically an adult. Originating in the biblical tale of Elisha's mockery (2 Kings 2:23-24), this motif recurs in literature, hagiography, and art, from antiquity to the present time, strikingly defying the conventional Judeo-Christian and Romantic image of the child as a symbol of innocence.

Kazantzakis: Philosophical and Theological Thought H. Gill 2018-06-20 This book explores the philosophical and theological thought of Nikos Kazantzakis. Kazantzakis is a well-known and highly influential Greek writer, having authored such works as *Zorba the Greek* and *The Last Temptation of Christ*, among many others. This volume focuses on the over-arching themes of Kazantzakis' work, namely the importance of the natural world, the nature of the human condition, and the nature of God, by means of an analysis of his major novels and other writings. Along the way attention is given to the views of the important scholars who have interacted with Kazantzakis' works, including Peter Bien, Daniel Dombrowski, and Lawrence Cunningham.

Encyclopedia of Modern Greek Literature Anne Merry 2004 More than 800 A-Z entries cover important authors, texts, genres, themes, and topics in Greek literature from the Byzantine period to the present.
Routeledge Revivals: God, Literature and Process Thought Darren J. N. Middleton 2018-02-01 Originally published in 2002, *God, Literature and Process Thought* looks at the use of God in writing, as a part of the creative advance, in the processes of reality and affected by events in the world. This edited collection outlines and promotes the novel view that there is much to be gained when those who value the insights of process thought 'encounter' the writers of literature and literary theory. It also celebrates the notion of process poesis, a fresh way of reflecting theologically and philosophically that takes account of literary forms and promises to transform creatively the world through process thought today.

The Selected Letters of Nikos Kazantzakis 2020-06-09 The life of Nikos Kazantzakis—the author of *Zorba the Greek* and *The Last Temptation of Christ*—was as colorful and eventful as his fiction. And nowhere is this more revealed more fully or surprisingly than in his letters. Edited and translated by Kazantzakis scholar Peter Bien, this is the most comprehensive selection of Kazantzakis's letters in any language. One of the most important Greek writers of the twentieth century, Kazantzakis (1883-1957) participated in or witnessed some of the most extraordinary events of his times, including both world wars and the Spanish and Greek civil wars. As a foreign correspondent, an orator, a government, and a political and artistic exile, he led a relentlessly nomadic existence, living in France, Czechoslovakia, Austria, Germany, Italy, Spain, the Soviet Union, and England. He visited the Versailles Peace Conference, at the tenth-anniversary celebration of the Bolshevik Revolution, interviewed Mussolini and Franco, and briefly served as a Greek cabinet minister—all the while producing a stream of novels, poems, plays, travel writing, autobiography, and translations. The letters collected here touch on almost every aspect of Kazantzakis's rich and tumultuous life, and show the genius of a man who was deeply attuned to the artistic, intellectual, and political events of his time. *Christus wordt weer gekruisigd* Kazantzakis 2016-03-12 Het volgende meesterwerk van Nikos Kazantzakis, auteur van *Leven en wandel van Zorbas de Griek* In de jaren na de Russische Revolutie komt een groep haveloze vluchtelingen uit een welvarend Grieks dorp in het Oosmanse Turkije binnenlopen. De vluchtelingen – vrouwen, oude mannen en kinderen, onder aanvoering van een bejaarde priester – zijn Grieken die door de Turken uit hun dorp zijn verdreven, en steun verlenen aan het Griekse leger. De meeste dorpelingen bejegenen de nieuwkomers zeer vijandig, daartoe aangezet door de notabelen van het dorp. Maar enkele jongeren ontfermen zich over de noodlijdenden. Zij bereiden het zevenjaarlijkse passiespel en identificeren zich zo sterk met hun rol dat de dorpswerkelijkheid en het levensverhaal van Christus in elkaar beginnen over te vloeien. Tot het bittere einde. Christus wordt weer gekruisigd is Kazantzakis' ambitieuze roman. Zijn filosofische en maatschappelijke opvattingen krijgen gestalte in de aardse en levensechte wereld van een dorp. Het is een onvermoed actuele roman over onze eigen tijd, waarin mensen op de vlucht voor hun elderson een veilig heenkomen zoeken.

Theology Without Boundaries Carnegie Samuel Callan 1992-01-01 In this book, Carnegie Samuel Callan, who was baptized in the Eastern tradition and raised a Protestant, promotes greater dialogue and exchange among Christians of the East and West. He seeks to make Christians aware of the diversity of faith and offers suggestions and insight to this end.

The Way of St Francis Reverend Sandy Brown 2015-09-30 This guidebook describes the Way of St Francis a 550km month-long pilgrimage trail from Florence through Assisi to Rome. Split into 28 day stages, the walk begins in Florence and finishes in the Vatican City. Stages range from 8km to 30km with plenty to see, including ancient ruins, picturesque towns, national treasures, and stunning churches. This comprehensive guidebook fits in a jacket pocket and contains information on everything from accommodation and transport in Italy, to securing your credential (pilgrim identity card), budgeting, what to take, and where to do laundry. Stories of Francis of Assisi's life are also included in the route includes climbs and descents of up to 1200m, no special equipment is required - although your hiking boots and socks definitely need to get along. Following the steps of heroes, conquerors and saints on this pilgrimage, all year round, but is best done from April to June and mid-August to October. Route maps are given for every stage, and basic Italian phrases are included in the guidebook.

Kazantzakis and God Daniel A. Dombrowski 1997-10-16 Not a stage comedy, but an exploration of Greek writer Nikos Kazantzakis' (1883-1957) view of God, specifically of his attempt to develop a view superior to the traditional Christian view, he chose Plato's approach over Aristotle and that though his theism is heterodox and controversial, it is a combination of views that grow out of solidly orthodox concerns and sources. No subject index. Annotation copyright © 1997 by Inc., Portland, OR

Saint Francis of Assisi Lawrence Cunningham 1989 An evocative photo essay captures the landscape of Assisi, probes the personality of the saint, celebrates the Franciscan values of simplicity and compassion, and examines the impact of Saint Francis today

Peacebuilding in a Fractious World Richard Penaskovic 2017-10-23 In January 2017 Mikhail Gorbachev, former president of the Soviet Union, said that it looks as if the world is preparing for war. And Pope Francis noted that war is being fought piecemeal around the world. In this book we argue that since violence begets violence, we must privilege soft power over military might, if we are to have peace on earth. Gandhi used soft power in India overcame British might, and King used it to bring about integration in the 1960s. Soft power brought about the nuclear nonproliferation treaty, the Kyoto climate agreement, and Iran's agreement to refrain from making nuclear weapons. Soft power dialogue between world leaders and conflict resolution, and privileges diplomacy over war. As General James Mattis said in 2013, "If you don't fund the State Department fully, then I need to buy more ammunition." As My Own Soul's Witness Glaser 2009-07-01 With the removal of sexual orientation as a bar to ordination in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), pending approval of a majority of presbyteries, and the Episcopal Church's 2009 General Convention calling for the development of theological and liturgical resources for same-sex blessings, sexual orientation—especially with regard to marriage—is a central issue. Secularly, too, the topic is front-page news with the recent Supreme Court ruling and subsequent Proposition 8 vote and the update of the Massachusetts state same-gender marriage law. This book sets forth the case for religious institutions' blessing of same-gender marriage, positing that same-gender marriage does not detract from the sacredness of heterosexual marriage, but rather enhances and nourishes the institution. Chapters include: • Claiming the Blessing • Deeper Than Scripture • Traditional Family Values • The Sacrament of Marriage • Sex and the Body of Christ • Marriage As a Spiritual Discipline "Marriage is a spiritual discipline in which we come to know ourselves as beloved, trustworthy, redeemed, forgiven, and blessed, and at the same time as faithful, redeeming, forgiving, and blessing the partner as well as the community." —Chris Glaser

Een spoor van genade Francine Rivers 2017-02-22 Alle vijf Bijbels-historische romans over vrouwen van bestsellerauteur Francine Rivers zijn nu gebundeld in een mooie uitgave: 'Een spoor van genade: De levens van Rachab, Mariam, Tamar en Batseba worden in dit boek door Francine Rivers tot leven gebracht. De lessen die wij van deze vrouwen kunnen leren, zijn nog steeds relevant, en gaan over thema's als geloof, liefde, genade en hoop.

CLASSICS Saint Francis Nikos Kazantzakis
The End of Philosophy of Religion Nick Trakakis 2011-10-20 The End of Philosophy of Religion explores the hitherto uncharted waters of the 'meta-philosophy of religion', that is, the methods and assumptions underlying the discipline of writing and studying the philosophy of religion that have emerged over the last century. It is also a first-class study of the weaknesses of the analytic approach in philosophy, particularly when it is applied to religious and spiritual issues. Nick Trakakis' main line of argument is twofold. Firstly, the Anglo-American analytic tradition of philosophy, by virtue of its attachment to scientific norms of rationality and truth, inevitably struggles to come to terms with the transcendent reality that is disclosed in religious practice. Secondly, and more positively, alternatives to analytic philosophy of religion are available, not only within the various schools of so-called Continental philosophy, but also in the narrative and literary approaches.

God's Paupers Nikos Kazantzakis 1975
De vergeten zomer Carol Drinkwater 2016-07-05 De druivenoogst is altijd een feestelijke gebeurtenis in de wijngaard van de familie Cambon. Behalve dit jaar. Wanneer de oogst door een fout mislukt, is dit slecht nieuws voor hen van het landgoed. En Clarisse Cambon weet precies wie ze dat kwalijk moet nemen: haar schoondochter Jane. Het is slechts één incident in een jarenlange strijd, waarvan beide vrouwen de oorzaak verborgen houden voor Luc, hun zoon. Zijn best doet om zijn vrouw en zijn moeder met elkaar te verzoenen. Maar als het noodlot toeslaat, blijft Jane vol twijfels achter. Welke geheimen heeft haar man altijd voor haar verborgen gehouden? Wanneer ze de dagelijkse wijngaard overneemt, vindt Jane bewijs voor het feit dat Luc niet de man was op wie ze twintig jaar geleden verliefd werd. En wat erger is, ze weet dat alleen haar oude vijand Clarisse kan helpen om de waarheid te achterhalen en het verleden, tragiek en familiemysteries – dit alles in de onweerstaanbare Provence. Ik heb genoten. – SANTA MONTEFIORE

Arthur Boyd & Saint Francis Margaret Pont 2004 Arthur Boyd (1920-1999) produced numerous artworks based on the life and legends of St Francis of Assisi. This volume examines each of the artworks in detail, and each is reproduced (the pastels and tapestries in full colour). It also includes a discussion of the significance of St Francis in Italy and key Italian artistic renderings of the saint.

Imprimatur Mondali & Sorti 2010-06-17 Het is 11 september 1683. In Europa dreigt een nieuwe grote oorlog: de Turken belegeren Wenen. Angst voor de Moslims houdt christelijk Europa in haar greep. Tien gasten uit verschillende landen logeren in herberg De Schildknaap in Rome. Als een oude heer in de herberg om het leven komt, vermoedelijk ten gevolge van de pest, moeten alle gasten in quarantaine. Maar het blijft niet bij dit ene sterfgeval. Gaat het om de gevallen van de gevreesde zwarte dood, of is er sprake van moordaanlagen? Een van de gasten, Atto Melani, geheim agent van de Zonnekoning in Frankrijk, zoekt de zaak tot op de bodem uit en doet wereldschokkende ervaringen op. Een van het begin tot het eind spannend, goed geschreven raamver telling, gebaseerd op werkelijke gebeurtenissen.

Kazantzakis, Volume 2 Peter Bien 2010-07-01 Putting Greek writer Nikos Kazantzakis's vast output into the context of his lifelong spiritual quest and the turbulent politics of twentieth-century Greece, Peter Bien argues that Kazantzakis was a deeply flawed genius—not always artistically successful, but a remarkable figure by any standard. This is the second and final volume of Bien's definitive and monumental biography of Kazantzakis (1883-1957). It covers his life from the period in which he wrote *Zorba the Greek* and *The Last Temptation of Christ*, the novels that brought him his greatest fame. A demantically productive novelist, poet, playwright, travel writer, autobiographer, and translator, Kazantzakis was one of the most important Greek writers of the twentieth century and the only one to achieve international recognition as a novelist. But Kazantzakis's writings were just one aspect of an obsessive struggle with religious, political, and social problems. In the 1940s and 1950s, a period that included the Greek civil war and its aftermath, Kazantzakis continued this engagement with undiminished energy, despite every obstacle, producing in his final years novels that are now classics.

Saint Francis Nikos Kazantzakis 1962 Fictional account of Saint Francis of Assisi's heroic single-mindedness in the face of extreme physical and spiritual suffering. He portrays the saint as a great lover and inspiring leader, who overcame radical poverty in the face of many obstacles and temptations.

Saint Francis Nikos Kazantzakis 2005

Albert Schweitzer in Thought and Action James Carleton Paget 2016-12-09 In the 1940s and 1950s, Albert Schweitzer was one of the best-known figures on the world stage. Courted by monarchs, world statesmen, and distinguished the literary, musical, and scientific fields, Schweitzer was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1952, cementing his place as one of the great intellectual leaders of his time. Schweitzer is less well known now but nonetheless a fascination, and this volume seeks to bring his achievements across a variety of areas—philosophy, theology, and medicine—into sharper focus. To that end, international scholars from diverse disciplines offer a wide-ranging portrait of Schweitzer's life and thought over the course of forty years. Albert Schweitzer in Thought and Action gives readers a fuller, richer, and more nuanced picture of this controversial but monumental figure of twentieth-century thought, of that complex century itself.

Hold Fast the Mountain Párisodoros Vasils 2010-11-04 This book narrates Kazantzakis' life — his poverty, his life in exile, his struggle as a writer groping for a 'voice,' and describes the conditions under which that voice broke through his prolific range of work that included The Odyssey, Zorba the Greek, and the controversial Last Temptation of Christ.

Francis of Assisi Augustine Thompson 2013-09-15 This elegant and accessible biography of one of Catholicism's most beloved saints was originally published as Part 1 of Francis of Assisi: A New Biography by Augustine Thompson. It stands alone as a richly informed portrait of a man whose complex faith and commitment continue to inspire today. An introduction by Thompson places his biography in the context of continuing discussions about Francis's life, the new Pope's decision to adopt the saint's name.

Saint Francis and the Sultan Amin V. Tolan 2009-03-26 In September, 1219, as the armies of the Fifth Crusade besieged the Egyptian city of Damietta, Francis of Assisi went to Egypt to preach to Sultan al-Malik al-Kāmil. Although we know very little about this event, this has not prevented artists and writers from the thirteenth century to the twentieth, unencumbered by mere facts, from portraying Francis alternatively as a new apostle preaching to the masses, a theologian proving the truth of Christianity, a champion of the crusading ideal, a naive and quixotic wanderer, a crazed religious fanatic, or a medieval Gandhi preaching peace, love, and understanding. Al-Kāmil, on the other hand, has been presented as an enlightened pagan monarch hungry for evangelical teaching, a cruel oriental despot, or a worldly libertine. Saint Francis and the Sultan takes a detailed look at these richly varied artistic responses to this brief but symbolically charged meeting. Throwing into relief the changing fears and hopes that Muslim-Christian encounters have inspired in European artists and writers in the centuries since, it gives a uniquely broad but precise vision of the event and the attitudes towards Islam and the Arab world over the last eight hundred years.

Kapitein Michalis Nikos Kazantzakis 2018-04-26 'Vrijheid of dood' is de leuze van de Griekse opstandelingen op Kreta die aan het einde van de 19de eeuw vochten tegen de Turkse overheersers. Kapitein Michalis is een van de vele helden van die tijd, een held met twee kanten: gevreesd door de Turken, maar ook door de Grieken met zijn eigenzinnige persoonlijkheid en de demonen die hem kwellen. Niet alleen de demonen van het nationalisme en de vrijheid, ook de demonen van de liefde en de greep. Zijn hartstocht voor de Turkse Emine mondt uit in een persoonlijke worsteling met fatale afloop. De geraffineerde tekening van kapitein Michalis' innerlijke worstelingen geeft een extra dimensie aan deze grootschalige roman over de opstand van de christelijke Kretenzers tegen de islamitische Turken. Michalis en zijn bloedbroeder en rivaal Noury-bey worden gedwongen een kant te kiezen in dit verhaal over vriendschap, liefde, verraad en dood.

De cirkel is rond Wayne Dyer 2014-09-05 'De cirkel is rond' is het laatste en complete boek van Wayne Dyer. In 'De cirkel is rond' blikt Wayne Dyer terug op zijn veelbewogen leven. Aan de hand van persoonlijke verhalen, anekdotes en ontboezemingen geeft Dyer inzicht in de levenslessen of de synchroniciteit die daarmee verbonden zijn. En dan blijkt dat niets in het leven voor niets is geweest! Wayne Dyer is een internationaal bestsellerauteur en vermaardheid met tientallen bestsellers op zijn naam staan, die in vele talen zijn verschenen.

The Healer's Calling Daniel P. Sulmasy 1997 Increasingly, physicians and other health care workers are becoming alienated from their work, as medicine becomes more and more de-personalized, technologically oriented and driven by entrepreneurial concerns. The Healer's Calling addresses the longings of many people in this profession for a renewed sense of the transcendent meaning of their work, for the spiritual elements of healing-- where God may be found in their care-- how faithful clinicians might persevere in the midst of the suffering and uncertainty that is part of daily practice-- how and when a doctor or nurse might pray-- how genuine Christian joy can still be found in the health care-- how extraordinary grace and passion, Franciscan friar and physician Daniel Sulmasy speaks to the spiritual longing of healers. His work is at once a personal reflection and exhortation, written at a time of great turmoil in medicine and a great interest to health care workers at all levels, it will capture the attention of anyone concerned about the spiritual dimensions of health care.

My Life with the Saints James Martin 2006 The author discusses how various saints have inspired and guided his life throughout his childhood, Wharton school education, business career at General Electric, and vocation as a Jesuit priest.

Simple Peace Bruce Davis 2000-11 "Simple Peace is a book of reflections on the spiritual life of St. Francis of Assisi."--Back cover.

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