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*A story about having  
faith, losing it, and  
finding it again  
through  
science—revealing  
how the latest in*

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*neuroscience, physics,*

*and biology help us*

*understand God,*

*faith, and ourselves.*

*Mike McHargue, host*

*of The Liturgists and*

*Ask Science Mike*

*podcasts, understands*

*the pain of*

*unraveling belief. In*

*Finding God in the*

*Waves, Mike tells the*

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*story of how his  
Evangelical faith  
dissolved into atheism  
as he studied the  
Bible, a crisis that  
threatened his  
identity, his  
friendships, and even  
his marriage. Years  
later, Mike was  
standing on the  
shores of the Pacific*

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*Ocean when a  
bewildering,  
seemingly mystical  
moment motivated  
him to take another  
look. But this time, it  
wasn't theology or  
scripture that led him  
back to God—it was  
science. Full of  
insights about the  
universe, as well as*

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*deeply personal  
reflections on our  
desire for certainty  
and meaning,  
Finding God in the  
Waves is a vital  
exploration of the  
possibility for  
knowing God in an  
age of reason, and a  
signpost for where  
the practice of faith*

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*Places*  
*is headed in a secular*  
*age. Among other*

*revelations, we learn*

*what brain scans*

*reveal about what*

*happens when we*

*pray; how*

*fundamentalism*

*affects the psyche;*

*and how God is*

*revealed not only in*

*scripture, but also in*

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*the night sky, in  
subatomic particles,  
and in us.*

*Get Lost. . . and Find  
What Really Matters  
We are made for  
freedom and  
adventure, friendship  
and romance. Yet too  
much of life is spent  
unfulfilled at work,  
restless at home, and*

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*bored at church. All the while knowing there is something more. You'll find some of life's best moments waiting for you over a campfire, on a river—even in that coffee shop or brewery you didn't know you'd discover along the way. It's*



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*time to begin the search. In the literary spirit of well-worn tales about America's open road, this poetic, honest, often hilarious collection of essays shows how to embark on adventures that kindle spiritual reflection, personal*

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*growth, and deeper  
Places  
family connections.*

*From surfing*

*California's*

*coastlines, stargazing*

*southwestern deserts,*

*and fly-fishing in*

*remote mountains of*

*Montana, you'll be*

*inspired to follow the*

*author's footsteps*

*and use the hand-*

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*drawn maps from  
each chapter to plan*

*your own trips. There*

*you will hear God's*

*voice – and it may*

*help you find what*

*you're searching for.*

*“We search*

*mountaintops and*

*valleys, deserts and*

*oceans, hoping*

*sunrises and long*

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*views through the  
canyons will help us  
discover who we are,  
or who we still want  
to be. The language  
of our hearts reflects  
that of creation  
because in both are  
fingerprints of God.”*

*—Roger W.*

*Thompson*

*Hidden Treasure,*

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*Finding God in  
Unexpected Places, is  
about the author's  
journey from  
reluctant do-gooder  
to leader of a  
successful  
international ministry  
that now seeks to  
replicate that success  
in other parts of  
Guatemala. Although*

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*she was a Christian*  
*when she first started*  
*serving the poor, her*  
*faith deepened and*  
*her relationship with*  
*God became the*  
*driving force for her*  
*life of service.*

*People look for God's*  
*presence in many*  
*places. They gather*  
*in the basilicas of*

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*Rome or at the red  
rocks in Sedona. I  
find God's presence  
quite nearby-in the  
magnificent  
complexity of the  
human person.*

*-Dominic Grassi We  
bump into God's  
grace every day in all  
kinds of humorous,  
serious, mysterious,*

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random, and  
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*sometimes completely  
unlikely ways. This  
charming collection  
of thirty-five stories  
reveals one person's  
myriad encounters  
with God in both the  
mundane and  
extraordinary  
moments that make  
up our days. This is*



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*not a book about ideologies, but about people. . . . There are miracles and ordinary moments to celebrate, grace and joy to share, silly folk and saints to relish.*

*-Dominic Grassi A natural storyteller, Dominic Grassi invites readers to*

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*share his warm memories of life in Chicago over the past five decades. He shows how God is reflected in the people we meet every day: a butcher, a bookstore owner, a short-order cook. With rich and often funny descriptions of*

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*human triumphs and*

*struggles, laughter*

*and tears, youthful*

*pranks and quiet*

*maturity, Grassi*

*uncovers grace in the*

*most unexpected*

*places. Stories such as*

*Wisdom Teeth and*

*Window Washers*

*and Thumping*

*Watermelons help us*

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*see not only moments  
Places*  
*of grace in Grassi's*

*life but also times*

*when we too have*

*unexpectedly bumped*

*into God.*

*Startled by God*

*In Search of a Faith*

*That Matters*

*Wisdom for*

*Everyone from the*

*Jewish Tradition*

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*Finding God in All  
the Wrong People*

*The Lucky Few*

*His Presence in the*

*Pieces of Our Lives*

***A spiritual travel  
memoir showing  
how the life of  
God can be found  
in the most  
unlikely places.***

***From slum***

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***priests quietly  
bringing hope in  
the favelas of***

***Brazil to the***

***impact of a***

***child's death on a  
whole***

***community,***

***Laurence***

***Freeman***

***movingly reveals***

***how the sacred***

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***strains to find  
expression in  
every life, every  
place, every day.  
The bestselling  
book now revised  
and updated with  
new  
content! Hailed as  
the most popular  
and best-loved  
series of the***

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***twentieth  
century, The Lord  
of the Rings  
trilogy is more  
than a great  
story; it's a  
reflection of life's  
epic quest for all  
of us. Examining  
the Christian  
themes in J. R. R.  
Tolkien's***



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***masterwork,  
bestselling  
authors Kurt  
Bruner and Jim  
Ware reveal a  
rich tapestry of  
hope, friendship,  
redemption, and  
faith in the face  
of overwhelming  
odds. More than  
200,000 copies***

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***sold Includes six  
new chapters and  
a discussion  
guide A helpful  
resource for  
personal study,  
devotions, or  
group discussion  
Encounter God in  
the Unexpected  
Joni Eareckson  
Tada, bestselling***

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*author, artist, and*

*international*

*advocate for*

*people with*

*disabilities,*

*invites you to join*

*her on a deeply*

*personal journey*

*as she explores*

*the presence of a*

*holy God in*

*hidden places.*

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***Stories from  
Joni's life shine  
in this collection  
of gathered  
memories. As  
Joni shares  
honestly about  
her sorrows and  
joys, you will  
recall quiet, out-  
of-the-way  
moments in your***

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***own life when  
God was  
present—both in  
happy and sad  
times. Words of  
encouragement,  
comfort, and  
insight will leave  
your soul  
satisfied and  
longing to be  
closer to a loving***

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***Father. Find encouragement and comfort in Joni's words and experience. When you train your eye to see God's work, you will find the Savior everywhere you look.***

***Here is a book***

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*Places*

***about adventure,  
raw experience,  
and facing inner  
demons. Niles  
Elliot Goldstein is  
a young rabbi  
who sets out to  
find God in tough  
and often scary  
situations:  
dogsledding  
above the Arctic***

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***Circle, taking the  
Silk Road into  
Central Asia  
without a visa,  
being chased by  
a grizzly bear,  
cruising with  
DEA agents  
through the  
South Bronx, and  
spending a night  
in jail in New***



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***York City's  
Tombs. He  
explores the  
connections  
between struggle  
and growth, fear  
and  
transcendence,  
and uncertainty  
and faith, seeking  
the boundary  
where the finite***

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***meets the Infinite.***

***Goldstein is not***

***alone in making***

***this kind of***

***pilgrimage. There***

***has always been***

***a strong tradition***

***of seekers who***

***looked for***

***revelation***

***outside***

***conventional***

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*Places*

***religious settings***

***and encountered***

***God in moments***

***of anguish,***

***terror, and pain.***

***Goldstein***

***juxtaposes his***

***own experiences***

***with those of***

***some of the great***

***historical figures***

***of Judaism and C***

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***Christianity—Jonah  
and St. John of  
the Cross, Moses  
Maimonides and  
Julian of  
Norwich,  
Nachman of  
Bratslav and  
Martin Luther—as  
well as lesser  
known mystics  
and preachers,***

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***Places***  
***and he discovers,***  
***as they did, that it***

***can sometimes***

***take a journey to***

***the edge to***

***recognize God's***

***presence in our***

***lives.***

***Soul Survivor***

***Finding God in***

***the faith of others***

***Looking for God***

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***Places***  
***Finding God in***  
***the Land of***

***Narnia***

***Seeing in the***  
***Dark***

***Finding God's***  
***Light in the Most***  
***Unexpected***  
***Places***

You hunger to  
experience God. You  
long to know if He's

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really there, if He's really even concerned with you. So did Kelly Hanes--until she discovered a way to ask, a way to seek, and she began to see God, really see Him, in the most unexpected places. God buys lottery tickets. God eats Doritos. God is a girl. God plays video

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games. With her eyes wide open, Kelly beautifully recorded twenty-six true encounters with God. These poignant, down-to-earth vignettes reveal a God who yearns to show up in our lives--in our homes, in our classrooms, in the park. God is at work



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all around us. He is  
real and accessible.  
He is working through  
random people,  
believers and non-  
believers alike,  
through you  
even--Kelly will show  
you how to look.

The renowned  
Christian preacher  
and New York Times  
bestselling author of

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An Altar in the World  
recounts her moving  
discoveries of finding  
the sacred in  
unexpected places  
while teaching world  
religions to  
undergraduates in  
Baptist-saturated  
rural Georgia,  
revealing how God  
delights in  
confounding our

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expectations.

Christians are taught that God is everywhere--a tenet that is central to Barbara Brown Taylor's life and faith. In *Holy Envy*, she continues her spiritual journey, contemplating the myriad ways she encountered God

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while exploring other faiths with her students in the classroom, and on field trips to diverse places of worship. Both she and her students ponder how the knowledge and insights they have gained raise important questions about belief, and

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explore how different practices relate to their own faith.

Inspired by this intellectual and spiritual quest, Barbara turns once again to the Bible for guidance, to see what secrets lay buried there. Throughout *Holy Envy*, Barbara weaves together

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stories from her classroom with reflections on how her own spiritual journey has been challenged and renewed by connecting with people of other traditions--and by meeting God in them. At the heart of her odyssey is her trust that it is God who

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pushes her beyond her comfortable boundaries and calls us to "disown" our privatised versions of the divine--a change that ultimately deepens her relationship with both the world and with God, and ours. Pastor Mike Mather arrived in

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Indianapolis thinking that he was going to serve the poor. But after his church's community lost nine young men to violence in a few short months, Mather came to see that the poor didn't need his help—he needed theirs. This is the story of how one church found



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abundance in a community of material poverty. Viewing people—not programs, finances, or service models—as their most valuable resource moved church members beyond their own walls and out into the streets, where they discovered folks rich in strength, talents,

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determination, and love. Mather's Having Nothing, Possessing Everything will inspire readers to seek justice in their own local communities and to find abundance and hope all around them. Hearing from God is extraordinary. But the circumstances He uses

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to reveal Himself may be more ordinary than we think. Neighbors and Wise Men introduces captivating dialogues and unexpected moments with God that go beyond the confines of a conventional religious system and offer the chance for powerful life

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transformation. Get to know Tony Kriz (known by many as "Tony the Beat Poet" in Donald Miller's best-selling book *Blue Like Jazz*) through his real-life conversations and experiences that prove that God can and will use anyone and anything— from Muslim lands to

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antireligious

academics to post-

Christian cultures—to

make Himself known.

Through his own

prodigal-son

backstory and return

to faith, Tony presents

biblical truth in a

conversational, but

bold light that offers

readers the courage to

open their eyes to the

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unlikely encounters that are all around us every day; chance run-ins that turn out to be anything but chance. Have we limited God's ability to speak in our world today? Have we relegated God's creative voice to the select persons who share our particular religious system? Kriz

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himself felt like he was falling out of faith until non-Christians encouraged him to "fall toward Christ."

God Is Stranger

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Slightly Unorthodox,

Highly

Unconventional, and

Entirely Unexpected

Thoughts about Faith

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Finding God's Best in  
the Most Unlikely  
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Finding God in the  
Heart of Nature  
God Moments

God is in the details,  
but sometimes we  
just overlook him.

Nancy Ortberg  
encourages readers  
to see God in this  
very personal, very



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engaging series of essays that will bring God into focus and allow you to grow deeper in your relationship with him than you had ever imagined.

“Now at last they were beginning Chapter One of the Great Story . . .”

Bestselling authors  
Kurt Bruner and Jim

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Ware (Finding God in The Lord of the Rings) once again explore a world of fantasy to reveal what C. S. Lewis called “the Great Story” hidden within. For more than 70 years, adults and children alike have stepped through the wardrobe, and their imaginations have

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been baptized in Lewis's mystical world of wonder and enchantment. Lewis fans will love the many surprising insights the authors uncover, and parents will discover new ways to show their children God's character and presence in their lives. With more than

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100 million copies sold, The Chronicles of Narnia capture more imaginations today than ever before. In Finding God in the Land of Narnia, you'll see how Lewis expertly wraps spiritual truths into his classic tales, and you'll discover the truth of what the great Lion,

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Aslan, says about our brief sojourn through Narnia: "By knowing me here for a little, you may know me better there." Now updated to include a group discussion guide!

How does the Jesus of the New Testament compare to the Jesus we think we know so well?

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Join bestselling author Philip Yancey as he conducts an enlightening biblical and historical investigation into the real Jesus. From the manger in Bethlehem to the cross in Jerusalem, Philip Yancey presents a complex character who generates questions as well as

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answers--a disturbing  
and exhilarating

Jesus who wants to  
radically transform

your life and stretch  
your faith. In The

Jesus I Never Knew,

Yancey: Cuts through  
existing views and

preconceptions of

Jesus, citing experts  
from church history,

modern history, and

popular culture

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Discusses how  
different people and  
cultures view Jesus  
Dissects popular  
quotes about Jesus  
Points us back to the  
Bible The Jesus I  
Never Knew will  
engage your heart,  
mind, emotions, and  
senses, preparing  
you for a new, life-  
changing encounter  
with the real Jesus



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described in the  
Gospels. Praise for  
The Jesus I Never  
Knew: "This is the  
best book about  
Jesus I have ever  
read, probably the  
best book about  
Jesus in the whole  
century. Yancey  
gently took away my  
blinders and blazed  
the trail through my  
own doubting fears,

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pious know-it-all, and  
critical balderdash  
until I saw the Savior  
anew and thought I  
heard him ask me,  
'Now whom do you  
say that I am?' and I  
understood the  
question as I never  
had before." --Lewis  
B. Smedes, Senior  
Professor, Fuller  
Seminary "Philip  
Yancey takes the

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reader with him on his very personal journey to Jesus. In The Jesus I Never Knew, I became convinced that the Jesus I met--in some ways for the first time--has known me all along. This book is destined to become a favorite--to recommend to those still seeking Jesus

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and to pass along to those who've met him, but long to know him more."

--Elisa Morgan,  
President Emerita,  
MOPS International  
Most of us would like to experience God's glory but we are not sure how to pursue it. Dorina Lazo Gilmore serves as a kind of "sherpa,"

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helping readers chase His glory in the most unexpected places and surprising ways. Using the metaphor of life as a race, *Glory Chasers* helps people discover God's glory in both a Biblical and personal context. Dorina unfolds her story of discovering God's glory in 2014 when

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she chose "glory" as her theme for the year. She had no idea how God would use that theme to challenge her, inspire her and lift her during the darkest year of her life. These words help readers who face all kinds of uphill battles press on with perseverance

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and hope. Sessions  
explore: Creation

Presence Worship

Fame Suffering

Community Justice

Heaven Glory

Chasers is perfect for  
individual or group

Bible study,

exploring the topic of

"glory." Each week

includes an opening

essay and six days of

reading and creative

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activities journeying  
through the Bible.

This workbook also  
includes some

"bonus glory"

features, including a  
worship playlist for  
each week and a  
leader's guide at the  
back.

Wisdom from

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Finding God in the

Waves



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Bumping into God  
Finding God in the  
Most Unexpected  
Places

What Good Is God?  
Hidden Treasure

*New York Times*

*bestseller How do you  
hold on to hope when  
you don't get the  
ending you asked for?*

*When Katie Davis  
Majors moved to*

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*Uganda, accidentally founded a booming organization, and later became the mother of thirteen girls through the miracle of adoption, she determined to weave her life together with the people she desired to serve. But joy often gave way to sorrow as*

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*Places*  
*she invested her heart  
fully in walking  
alongside people in  
the grip of poverty,  
addiction,  
desperation, and  
disease. After  
unexpected tragedy  
shook her family, for  
the first time Katie  
began to wonder, Is  
God really good?  
Does He really love*

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*us? When she turned to Him with her questions, God spoke truth to her heart and drew her even deeper into relationship with Him. Daring to Hope is an invitation to cling to the God of the impossible—the God who whispers His love to us in the quiet, in the mundane, when*

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*our prayers are not  
answered the way we*

*want or the miracle*

*doesn't come. It's*

*about a mother*

*discovering the*

*extraordinary strength*

*it takes to be ordinary.*

*It's about choosing*

*faith no matter the*

*circumstance and*

*about encountering*

*God's goodness in the*

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*least expected places.*

*Though your  
heartaches and  
dreams may take a  
different shape, you  
will find your own  
questions echoed in  
these pages. You'll be  
reminded of the gifts  
of joy in the midst of  
sorrow. And you'll  
hear God's whisper:  
Hold on to hope. I will*

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*meet you here.*

*When life looks  
radically different  
than the plan we have  
for ourselves, it's the  
lucky few that  
recognize God's plan  
is best. That's what  
adoptive mom  
Heather Avis learned,  
and that's the  
invitation of this book.  
As the mother of three*

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*adopted children - two  
with Down syndrome -  
Heather Avis has  
learned that it's truly  
the lucky few who get  
to live a life like hers,  
who actually  
recognize that God's  
plans are best, even  
when they seem so  
radically different  
from the plans we  
have for ourselves.*



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*When Heather started her journey into parenthood she never thought it would look like this, never planned to have three adopted children, and certainly never imagined that two of them would have Down syndrome. But like most things God does, once she stepped*

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*into the craziness and confusion that comes with the unknown and the unplanned, she realized that they were indeed among the lucky few. Discover in this book what*

*70,000+ followers of Heather's hit Instagram account @macymakesmyday already know: the*

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*power of faith and family can help us stay strong in the toughest times. This book will also be especially touching to those with adopted family members or children with Down syndrome in their lives.*

*Read these stories and you'll want to share*

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*them with friends!*  
*Rabbi Jack Riemer*  
*gives us his favorite*  
*sermons, drawing*  
*wisdom and warm*  
*humor from the*  
*Jewish tradition to*  
*inspire spiritually*  
*curious readers*  
*everywhere. His*  
*message is so timely:*  
*Even in the most*  
*unexpected corners of*

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*this turbulent world,  
we can discover God's  
presence.*

*In this Enhanced  
eBook edition, Philip  
Yancey is featured in  
exclusive videos,  
offering insight into  
the stories and people  
he has encountered  
along the way.*

*Journalist and  
spiritual seeker Philip*

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*Yancey has always struggled with the most basic questions of the Christian faith. The question he tackles in WHAT GOOD IS GOD? concerns the practical value of belief in God. His search for the answer to this question took him to some amazing settings*

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*around the world:  
Mumbai, India when  
the firing started  
during the terrorist  
attacks; at the motel  
where Martin Luther  
King Jr. was  
assassinated; on the  
Virginia Tech campus  
soon after the  
massacre; an AA  
convention; and even  
to a conference for*

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*women in prostitution.*

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*At each of the 10*

*places he visited, his*

*preparation for the*

*visit and exactly what*

*he said to the people*

*he met each provided*

*evidence that faith*

*really does work when*

*what we believe is*

*severely tested. WHAT*

*GOOD IS GOD? tells*

*the story of Philips*



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*journey--the  
background, the  
preparation, the  
presentations  
themselves. Here is a  
story of grace for  
armchair travelers,  
spiritual seekers, and  
those in desperate  
need of assurance that  
their faith really  
matters.*

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*The Gift of Hard  
Things*

*Glory Chasers*

*This Outside Life*

*How I Lost My Faith*

*and Found It Again*

*Through Science*

*Finding Abundant*

*Communities in*

*Unexpected Places*

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esWaterbrook  
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Society teaches us to have everything under control, and we tend to think that this can be true even of our spiritual lives. Master storyteller and

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spiritual  
director Mark  
Yaconelli  
offers a  
narrative  
journey through  
ways in which  
disappointments  
have turned  
into gifts. In  
these pages are  
a wealth of  
spiritual

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practices that  
will help us  
find grace in  
unexpected  
places.

What if that  
person you've  
been trying to  
avoid is your  
best shot at  
grace today?

...And what if  
that's the

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point? In  
Accidental  
Saints, New  
York Times best-  
selling author  
Nadia Bolz-  
Weber invites  
readers into a  
surprising  
encounter with  
what she calls  
“a religious  
but not-so-

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Places,  
spiritual  
life.”

Tattooed, angry  
and profane,  
this former  
standup comic  
turned pastor  
stubbornly,  
sometimes  
hilariously,  
resists the God  
she feels  
called to

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serve. But God keeps showing up in the least likely of people—a church-loving agnostic, a drag queen, a felonious Bishop and a gun-toting member of the NRA. As she



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lives and  
worships  
alongside these  
“accidental  
saints,” Nadia  
is swept into  
first-hand en-  
counters with  
grace—a gift  
that feels to  
her less like  
being wrapped  
in a warm

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blanket and  
more like being  
hit with a  
blunt  
instrument. But  
by this grace,  
people are  
transformed in  
ways they  
couldn't have  
been on their  
own. In a time  
when many have

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rightly become  
disillusioned

with

Christianity,

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onstrates what

happens when

ordinary people

share bread and

wine, struggle

with scripture

together, and

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tell each other  
the truth about  
their real  
lives. This  
unforgettable  
account of  
their faltering  
steps toward  
wholeness will  
ring true for  
believer and  
skeptic alike.  
Told in Nadia's

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trademark  
confessional  
style,  
Accidental  
Saints is the  
stunning next  
work from one  
of today's most  
important  
religious  
voices.

Christians are  
supposed to be

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“the light of  
the world.” Yet  
we seem to  
spend most of  
our time  
stumbling in  
the dark. We  
want answers  
carved in  
stone, and  
instead we get  
uncertainty. We  
want a clearly

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marked path and  
a panoramic  
view of the  
future, and God  
gives us only  
fleeting  
glimpses of  
what lies  
ahead—and just  
enough light to  
take the next  
step. So what  
do we do? We

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take the next  
step. In her  
much  
anticipated  
follow-up to  
Looking for  
God, Nancy  
Ortberg takes  
readers on a  
journey that  
began thousands  
of years ago.  
From an ancient



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cave in Turkey

to the

California

coast, Nancy

highlights the

often

unexpected,

sometimes

imperceptible,

yet always

extraordinary

means God uses

to light our

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way through  
even the most  
painful and  
challenging  
moments in  
life.

Neighbors and  
Wise Men  
Seeds of the  
Word

How Thirteen  
Unlikely  
Mentors Helped

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My Faith

Survive the  
Church

Thoughts on  
God, Faith, and  
Finding Your  
Voice

The Grace to  
Grieve

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the Lord of the  
Rings

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century, Christians  
have detected

"seeds of the Word"  
in the surrounding  
culture. No matter  
how charred or  
distorted the  
fragments, we can  
always uncover  
inklings of the  
Gospel, which can  
then lead people to  
God. Through this

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evocative collection of essays, Father Robert Barron finds those "seeds" in today's most popular films, books, and current events. How do Superman, Gran Torino, and The Hobbit illuminate the figure of Jesus? How does Bob

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sanitized concept of  
God with a more  
awe-inspiring, true-  
to-the-Bible God.

Allow yourself to be  
surprised by God as  
you find him in  
unexpected places  
doing the  
unexpected.

This book takes  
listeners from  
Ground Zero to the



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Horn of Africa, and  
each stop along the  
way reveals  
footprints of God,  
touches of his truth,  
and grace that  
prompt listeners to  
search deeper  
within their own  
lives for glimpses of  
transcendence.

Unexpected Places  
is the personal story

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of gospel singer  
Anthony Evans, son  
of well-known  
pastor Tony Evans  
and brother of  
author Priscilla  
Shirer. In this  
intimate and  
moving memoir,  
Anthony shares the  
details of his  
struggles with  
depression and

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doubt, and encourages readers with the unique story of his search for purpose and identity. From growing up duty-bound to his name, to his time as a finalist and then talent producer on The Voice, Anthony explores the

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pressures he experienced as a child and as a young man in Hollywood. He describes the journey to his renewed faith in God and exposes the vast differences between what the world teaches us to value and how God

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values us. Anthony examines what his parents did right in raising him but also describes how they unknowingly missed his pain. Finally, he reveals how God orchestrated His plan to grow Anthony into a man who is in love with his life, his heritage,

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and his individual calling. Anthony has learned to embrace the incredible beauty of his unique voice. In

Unexpected Places, he invites readers on their own journey to do the same.

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Daring to Hope  
Your God is Too

Glorious

An Unexpected  
Journey Through

Tattoos, Tofu, &  
Pronouns

Random God

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We Stood Upon  
Stars

We get so

prescriptive with the

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spiritual life. We prepackage it, duplicate it, mass-produce it, insist upon it, and brag about it. We make it a formula. As a result, we tend to see God from such a narrow perspective. We box God up and compartmentalize



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Him into thirty minutes each morning. But in reality, He is waiting for us to realize that He invades all the parts of our days . . . if only we would pay attention. In *Looking for God*, Nancy Ortberg will inspire you to break away from the bland,

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formulaic approach  
to Christianity and  
embrace the often  
unexpected, at  
times unnerving, but  
always

extraordinary power  
of God's grace. As  
you journey with  
Nancy, you'll find  
God in places you  
have never  
dreamed of looking,

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and you'll  
experience faith on  
a deeper level than  
you have ever  
imagined possible.  
Step Into Wonder  
Has your breath  
ever caught at the  
sight of a sunset?  
Have you ever  
stopped in your  
tracks to listen to a  
birdsong? When

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was the last time  
you stood in awe of  
the world around  
you? If it's been so  
long you can't  
remember, living life  
at a sprint might be  
leaving you nature  
blind. If you're  
feeling stressed,  
disconnected from  
God, and  
disenchanted with

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life, this book will help you find solace for your scattered soul. Through storytelling, practical application, and reflective questions, Laurie Kehler invites you on a journey of discovery to escape the crazy and reset your spiritual compass to

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explore pathways of  
peace seek

connections with

nature and

others—starting in

your own backyard

recognize God's

work in creation and

in your life as you

live in expectation of

his promises Are

you ready to set out

on a new kind of

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adventure?

Consider this your trail guide for uncovering God's signposts in the world and revealing his fingerprints on your life.

"How did Yancey manage to survive spiritually despite early encounters with a racist,

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legalistic church that he now views as almost cultic? In this, his most soul-searching book yet, he probes that very question. He tells the story of his own struggle to reclaim belief, interwoven with inspiring portraits of notable people from all



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walks of life, whom  
he calls his spiritual  
directors. Soul

Survivor is his

tribute to thirteen

remarkable

individuals, mentors

who transformed his  
life and

work"--Publisher

website (November  
2006).

Where do you seek

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God? Are you waiting for him to appear in a monumental, life-altering event? In God Moments, Catholic blogger Andy Otto shows you how to discover the unexpected beauty of God's presence in the story of ordinary

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things and in  
everyday routines  
like preparing  
breakfast or walking  
in the woods.

Drawing on the  
Ignatian principles  
of awareness,  
prayer, and  
discernment, Otto  
will help you  
discover the  
transforming power

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of God's presence  
in your life and  
better understand  
your place in the  
world. Andy Otto  
found God's  
presence in  
surprising moments  
during his life—when,  
as a Jesuit  
scholastic, he taught  
children in Jamaica  
and also as he

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discerned the call to marriage with his wife. By combining elements of Ignatian spirituality with the lessons that came from his experiences, Otto identified three practices that helped him find God in all things:

Awareness □ Gain an

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understanding that  
God is present in

the ordinary

messiness of our

lives such as battle

with depression or

sharing in the

struggle of a friend.

Prayer▯Develop a

prayer life using

Ignatian practices

such as asking for a

morning grace and

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examining how your prayer was answered at the end of the day. That way you can focus on a personal relationship with God that finds everyday physical activities such as making a meal as an opportunity to talk to him.

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Discernment The more you are aware of God's presence and draw closer to him in prayer, the better you can learn how to plug into God's narrative of the world in a way that enables you to participate in the divine story through the use of your gifts



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and talents. With  
God Moments as a  
guide, you'll have a  
better  
understanding of  
how to seek  
personal wholeness  
in the reality of  
God's presence in  
the ordinary and  
learn to accept his  
invitation to  
participate in his

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transformation of  
the world.

Discovering God's  
Glory in Unexpected  
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Startled by Silence

Finding God's  
Goodness in the  
Broken and the  
Beautiful

Searching for the  
Divine in

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Uncomfortable and  
Unexpected Places  
Having Nothing,  
Possessing  
Everything

*"Rabbi Riemer  
offers us the kind  
of wisdom that we  
need in order to  
survive and thrive,"  
writes Dr. Bernie  
Siegel, best-selling  
author of a dozen*

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*books about spirituality and healing. The late Nobel laureate Elie Wiesel adds, "Jack Riemer's words are songs of hope and faith. Listen to them as I do." Widely sought after as a master storyteller and teacher, Riemer is one of the most*

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*frequently quoted  
rabbis in the U.S.  
That's because of  
the winding paths  
he takes in  
describing the  
relevance of  
timeless Jewish  
wisdom in our  
modern world.  
What do a  
professional  
baseball player,  
Elizabeth Taylor's*

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*jewelry box, a hurricane, a garbage dump and a blue blazer hanging in your closet have to do with each other? They're all turning points in Riemer's stories that lead us toward universal questions we all confront at some point in life,*

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*including: Is there a dream that gives meaning to your life? What are our duties to the people we love? How do you make a decision when you're caught between two conflicting values? And, what would you do if you found out that your time*

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on this earth was  
almost up?

*Reflecting on  
Riemer's wisdom  
about life, retired  
U.S. Supreme Court  
Justice Sandra Day  
O'Connor writes  
that the rabbi "is  
obviously a person  
with much  
understanding of  
the human  
situation."* Word of



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*warning: The stories in this book may surprise you and perhaps make you chuckle, but they could change your life, as well. The traces of God can be found in the most unexpected places--an Atlanta slum, a pod of whales off the coast of Alaska, the*

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*Prisons of Peru and Chile, the plays of Shakespeare, a health club in Chicago--yet many Christians have not only missed seeing God, they've overlooked opportunities to make him visible to those most in need of hope. In this enlightening book*

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*author Philip  
Yancey serves as  
an insightful tour  
guide for those  
willing to look  
beyond the  
obvious, pointing  
out glimpses of the  
eternal where few  
might think to look.  
Whether finding  
God among the  
newspaper  
headlines, within*

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*the church, or on the job, Yancey delves deeply into the commonplace and surfaces with rich spiritual insight. Finding God in Unexpected Places takes readers from Ground Zero to the Horn of Africa, and each stop along the way reveals*

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*footprints of God,  
touches of his truth  
and grace that  
prompt readers to  
search deeper  
within their own  
lives for glimpses  
of transcendence.  
Startled by God:  
Wisdom from  
Unexpected Places  
offers a different  
way of seeing God  
in all things.*

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*Reminiscent of the spirituality fostered by Richard Rohr and other contemporary mystics, Joe McHugh writes out a tradition infused with the basics of Jesuit and Trappist theology, yet fully planted in the day-to-day workings of the contemporary*

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*world. He does not shy away from the secular culture in seeking God, but incorporates each element of daily life into a contemplative practice. McHugh makes ample use of stories to show, rather than tell, about our search for the living God.*

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*These stories enable us to see and feel, not just understand, allowing us to step into them with our imagination and discover ourselves lurking in the twists and turns of their plots. Building on his work as a consultant and spiritual director,*



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*McHugh guides readers on a spiritual journey where they encounter God in the hidden and mundane workings of their lives. He pushes us to go deeper and writes with an edge that keeps us engaged and hungering for more. This book*

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*will challenge readers to look beyond the ordinary earmarks of spirituality and venture into new ways of seeing, new ways of encountering God and others with the eyes of faith. It's for the seeker in all of us, encouraging a way of life rooted*

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*Places*  
*in the divine while*  
*being fully*  
*immersed in the*  
*real world.*

*Beauty's Field*

*Unexpected*

*Encounters in the*  
*Ordinary*

*The Jesus I Never*  
*Knew*

*Finding God in*  
*Hidden Places*

*Accidental Saints*

*Holy Envy*