

Spirituality and Religion 10% off (subject to prior sale)



1. A. R. Ashwell; Reginald Garton Wilberforce. **Life of the Right Reverend Samuel Wilberforce, D.D. : Lord Bishop of Oxford and afterwards of Winchester, with selections from his diaries and correspondence.** London: John Murray, 1883. Second Edition. A very good, complete set in three volumes from the personal library of noted California poet Susan Suntree. Black pebbled leather with five raised bands and a red silk ribbon. Binding is sturdy and square. Gilt title stamping. All edges gilt. Some rubbing to bands, crown, and corners (see photos). Short notations on FFE. Moderate to heavy foxing to all endpapers. Text is clean and bright. Very good +. Leather bound.

Samuel Wilberforce (September 7, 1805 – July 19, 1873) was an English bishop, third son of William Wilberforce the anti-slave campaigner and philanthropist, who has been described as the ideal bishop of the Victorian era. He has also been described as one of the most gifted public speakers of his time. A staunch defender of orthodoxy against the new criticism, called 'higher criticism' that identified human authors and agendas within the Biblical text, he also opposed the ideas of Charles Darwin. His debate with Thomas Huxley is considered to be a definitive moment in the history of science. While his high-church style mainly attracted the upper classes, he was also a champion of social justice and a defender of the rights of the poor. (New World Encyclopedia) (1142)

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2. Al G. Manning. **How to lead the abundant life through Scientific Magic.** Los Angeles: E.S.P. Laboratory, 1976. Facsimile. A collection of mimeographed treatises on ESP. 94 pp. plus copied items of interest. Charts, drawings, and graphs. Darkening to paper, creases, staining. 8.5 x 11 inches tall, unbound. Very good in none as issued dust-jacket.

"Al G. Manning (June 19, 1927 – April 8, 2006) was an American author, occultist, certified public accountant, and the founder of ESP Lab of Texas (formerly ESP Laboratory in Los Angeles, California). He authored 23 self-help books and 11 correspondence courses, many tapes and videos, with 40 years of monthly ESP LAB newsletters, mostly related to the development and use of psychic powers for personal and planetary benefit with positive spiritual development. These included intuition, clairvoyance, clairaudience, spirit contact, astral projection, and others. His work is carried on by the ESP Lab, now located in Colorado." -- Wikipedia

"Not a laboratory for research in the scientific sense of the term, but a mystical organization founded as the ESP Laboratory by Alcie Gwyn Manning in Los Angeles, California, in 1966. With the help of a spirit guide, "Professor Reinhardt," Manning wrote his initial book. He also became a minister of Spiritual Science and opened a church. He developed a program of psychic development designed to bring success, prosperity, and healing.

In 1970 Manning introduced a course on the I Ching and the following year one on white magic and witchcraft. His practical approach was emphasized in a new book, Helping Yourself with White Witchcraft (1972). In the early 1980s Manning moved the laboratory to Texas. He also made a most endearing and original contribution to contemporary mythology with the felicitously named Gronkydoddles, a race of invisible pixies helpful to the human race. Address: ESP Laboratory of Texas, Box 216, 219 S. Ridge Dr., Edgewood, TX 75117." ---Cengage encyclopedia

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\$30.00



3. [anon.]. **Koenig Salomon und Marcolphus ("Solomon and Marcolf")**. Strassburg: Heitz & Cie, 1930. Facsimile. Facsimile of the 1494 edition in wooden boards. Gorgeous woodcuts and fine letterpress printing throughout. Three quarter wood and quarter leather with metal clasp. Two raised bands with heavy rubbing. Loss to foot of spine. Missing first free endpaper and title page. The last page states "Publications of the Alsatian Bibliophile Society. Alsatian early prints No. 2 (Based on the ex. of the Bibliothèque Nationale et Universitaire in Strasbourg).

Good +. Wooden boards.

Solomon and Marcolf is a medieval narrative describing the adventures and conversations of Solomon and Marcolf, or Marolf. The adventures have some connection with those of Ashmedai, while the conversations consist chiefly of riddles similar to those put to Solomon by the Queen of Sheba. The exact extent of its indebtedness to the Haggadah is somewhat doubtful, though it is practically certain that the various versions are derived from an Eastern original. - wikipedia (1041)

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4. Bud Robinson. **A Pitcher of Cream**. Louisville: Pentecostal Herald Print, 1906. First Edition. A very good first edition. Blue cloth boards with gilt title stamping on cover. Small spot on front cover. Two bumped corners. Previous owner's name pencilled on first free endpaper. Minor foxing to a couple of pages. One signature a bit proud. 160 pp. 5&1/2 x 6&1/2 inches tall, twelvemo. Very good + in none as issued dust-jacket. Cloth.



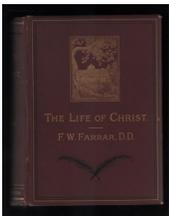
Reuben "Uncle Bud" Robinson (1860-1942), was a Methodist Episcopal evangelist, who would later become a part of the Church of the Nazarene. Known for his folk wisdom and colorful phrases, his preaching focused on the message of entire sanctification. His father made whiskey and ran a bar in the hills of White County, Tennessee. "Uncle Bud" grew up in a poor family, one of thirteen children, and did not get an education. After his father's death, his mother moved the family to Texas, where he fell into a wild life of drinking and gambling. In 1880, he attended a tent revival, was converted, and then joined the Methodist Episcopal Church. It was a Sunday school teacher who taught him how to read at 20 years of age. In the 1890's he studied at Southwestern University and would become a major influence in the emerging Church of the Nazarene. He experienced the call to preach at his conversion, and despite a bad stutter remained an active evangelist for 60 years. He is estimated to have preached over 33,000 sermons and witnessed more than 100,000 conversions. He died in 1942 at 82 years of age, but remains one of the most colorful folk evangelists in the Wesleyan-Holiness tradition. An example of one of his well-known prayers is when he asked God to "help me sign the contract to fight the devil as long as I've got a fist, and bite him as long as I have a tooth, then gum him till I die." --- bookshop site (1173)\$25.00

5. Charles Dickens. **The Life of Our Lord, Written for His Children During the Years 1846 to 1849**. New York: Simon and Schuster, 1934. First Edition. A fine first edition in a good plus / very good dust jacket. Green cloth boards with facsimile Dickens signature in gilt on cover. Black title stamping on spine. All edges painted black. Loss to bottom edge of dust jacket (see photo). 128 pp. 4 3/4 x 7 3/4 inches tall, 16mo. Fine in good + dust-jacket. Hardcover.



The Life of Our Lord is a book about the life of Jesus of Nazareth written by English novelist Charles Dickens, for his young children, between 1846 and 1849, at about the time that he was writing David Copperfield. The Life of Our Lord was published in 1934, 64 years after Dickens' death. -- wikipedia (1042) \$55.00

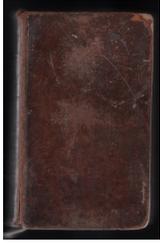
6. Frederic W. Farrar. **The Life of Christ. With original Illustrations**. London: Cassell, Petter, Galpin & Co., ca. 1880. Later printing. A beautiful edition in very good condition. [n.d.] Burgundy cloth and gilt cover and title stamping. Roundback binding. Cloth on spine is bubbling. All edges bright gilt. Black endpapers. Mild foxing. Color map frontis, illustrated throughout. 778 pp. Very good in none as issued dust-jacket. Cloth.



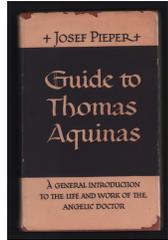
"Frederic William Farrar, (born Aug. 7, 1831, Bombay, India—died March 22, 1903, Canterbury, Kent, Eng.), popular English religious writer and author of a sentimental novel of school life, Eric; or, Little by Little (1858).

In 1856 Farrar became a fellow of Trinity College, Cambridge, and later accepted an assistant mastership at Harrow School. Eric was followed by Julian Home (1859) and St. Winifred's (1862). Farrar was also an expert philologist; his Essay on the Origin of Language (1860) earned him a fellowship of the Royal Society. His Life of Christ (1874) ran through 30 editions in as many years. In 1876 Farrar became canon of Westminster Abbey and in 1883 archdeacon. He was dean of Canterbury from 1895 until his death." - Britannica (1180) \$200.00

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7. Jean Jacques Fillassier . **Eraste ou l'am de la jeunesse, entretiens familiaux, dans lesquels on donne aux jeunes gens de l'un et de l'autre sexe des notions suffisantes sur la plupart des connaissances humaines.** [The friend of youth...]. Paris: Chez Vincent, 1790. First Revised Edition. A very good 1790 revised edition. In full calfskin, with a crack in front gutter, one rubbed and one broken corner. Brown marbled papers. Ribbon marker. Library stamp on title page. Title page badly wrinkled. Fold out world map, badly creased. 384 pp. 16mo. Very good in none as issued dust-jacket. Full leather. (1164) \$75.00

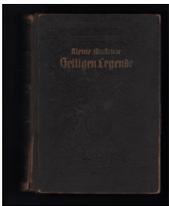


8. Josef Pieper; trans. by Richard and Clara Winston. **Guide to Thomas Aquinas: A General Introduction to the Life and Work of the Angelic Doctor.** New York: Pantheon, 1962. First Thus. A very good plus first thus edition [Zempel & Verkler] in a very good dust jacket. Orange cloth boards with cross in gilt on front cover and gilt title stamping. Previous owner's name and erasure marks on first free endpapers. Dust jacket shows multiple short tears and some loss at top, bottom edges and foot. 121 pp. Octavo. Very good + in very good dust-jacket. Cloth.

One of the great philosophers of the 20th Century, Josef Pieper, gives a penetrating introduction and guide to the life and works of perhaps the greatest philosopher ever, St. Thomas Aquinas. Pieper provides a biography of Aquinas, an overview of the 13th century he lived in, and a wonderful synthesis of his vast writings. Pieper shows how Aquinas reconciled the pragmatic thought of Aristotle with the Church, proving that realistic knowledge need not preclude belief in the spiritual realities of religion. According to Pieper, the marriage of faith and reason proposed by Aquinas in his great synthesis of a "theologically founded worldliness" was not merely one solution among many, but the great principle expressing the essence of the Christian West. Pieper reveals his extraordinary command of original sources and excellent secondary materials as he illuminates the thought of the great intellectual Doctor of the Church.---Google Books (1206) \$130.00



9. King David, et al. **Den svenska psalmboken : med de stycken, som dertill höra : uppå Kongl. Maj:ts nådigsta befallning, år 1695 öfversedd och nödtorfteligen förbättrad. Evangelier och epistlar på alla söndagar, högtider och helgedagar; såsom ock der till hörige collecter och böner.** [The Swedish Psalm Book...Bound with: Gospels and Epistles on all Sundays, Feasts and Holidays...]. Skellefteå : C.F [Carl Fredrik] Carlberg, 1864. Reprint. A good plus reprint of The Psalmbbok from Carlberg in 1864. Rebound quarter leather over calf boards with remnants of two clasps, and large X blindstamping on cover. Missing first free endpapers. Binding is sturdy and square. Previous owner's inscription of front pastedown. Dampstain to fore edge and title page, not affecting remaining text or pages Text in fraktur Swedish. 620, 340 pp Twelvemo, 5 x 7 1/2 inches tall. Good +. Leather bound. (1022) \$90.00



10. Philibert Seeböck. **Kleine illustrierte Heiligen - Legende auf jeden Tag des Jahres, ein Paradiesgärtlein mit Blumen aller Art** [Little illustrated saints - legends for every day of the year, a little paradise garden with flowers of all kinds]. Einstedelen: Benziger & Co., 1887. First Edition. A good plus first edition. Black pebbled leather binding, short split at front lower gutter, leather split (not boards) on rear gutter, and 3/4" loss to foot of spine. Red painted edges. Endpapers toned. Full color chromolithograph frontis. Pp. 539-567 dogeared. Text in German. Fraktur type. 800 pp. including index. 5 x 6&3/4 inches tall, twelvemo. Very good in none as issued dust-jacket. Leather bound.

Legends of the saints. (1175)

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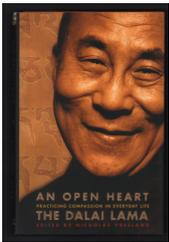


11. Richard Bach. **Illusions: The Adventures of a Reluctant Messiah**. New York: Delacorte Press, 1977. First Edition. ISBN: 04400410858. A fine copy in a very near fine slipcase. Beige quarter cloth under parchment paper binding. Parchment endpapers. Gold metallic slipcase shows some scuffing, otherwise fine. . Facsimile signature to introduction. Would make a lovely gift. 144 pp. Octavo. Fine in near fine dust-jacket. 1/4 cloth. (1162)\$200.00



12. [Simon Michel Treuvé]. **Le Directeur Spirituel Pour Ceux Qui N'en Ont Point [The spiritual director for those who have none]**. Paris: Chez Elie Josset, Rue S. Jacques, Au Coin de la Rue de la Parcheminerie, a la Fleur de Lys D'Or, 1692. Nouvelle Edicion. A very good plus New edition of 1692 in full leather with five raise bands and ornate gold tooling in each compartment. Binding is tight and sturdy, book opens a bit when lying flat but is without any water damage. 1/4 inch lx 1/4 inch leather loss at foot of spine (both corners of spine). Date of 1692 is not correctly done in the Roman (see photos), printer's error. All edges spattered red as issued. Previous owners' names and inscriptions on first free endpaper. Text is crisp, clean, and bright. Text in French. 498 pp. Trigesimo-secundo (32mo), 3 & 1/2 x 6 inches tall. Very good + in none as issued dust-jacket. Leather bound.

Simon-Michel Treuvé, born in Noyers on August 8, 1651 and died in Paris on February 22, 1730, was a French Catholic theologian. This book was a huge success with over a hundred editions including translations into English, German and Dutch. - Wikipedia (France)
(985) \$250.00



13. The Dalai Lama; Nicholas Vreeland, ed.; Khyongla Rato; Richard Gere (Afterword). **An Open Heart: Practicing Compassion in Everyday Life**. Boston: Little, Brown & Co., 2001. First Edition, First Printing. ISBN: 9708316989794. An as new (fine) first edition in an as new dust jacket. Appears unread. Orange cloth boards. 199 pp. 5 3/4 x 9 inches tall, octavo. As new in as new dust-jacket. Cloth.

An introduction to the core of Buddhism by its greatest teacher, An Open Heart is the successor to the bestselling The Art of Happiness, the Dalai Lama's clear and simple guide to finding compassion and happiness. (1201) \$40.00