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This book explores the way in which singing can foster experiences of belonging through ritual performance. Based on more than two decades of ethnographic, pedagogical and musical research, it is set against the backdrop of "the new Ireland" of the late 20th and early 21st centuries. Charting Ireland's growing multiculturalism, changing patterns of migration, the diminished influence of Catholicism, and synergies between indigenous and global forms of cultural expression, it explores rights and rites of belonging in contemporary Ireland. Helen Phelan examines a range of religious, educational, civic and community-based rituals including religious rituals of new migrant communities in "borrowed" rituals spaces; baptismal rituals in the context of the Irish citizenship referendum; rituals that mythologize the core values of an educational institution; a ritual laboratory for students of singing; and community-based festivals and performances. Her investigation peels back the physiological, emotional and cultural layers of singing to illuminate how it functions as a potential agent of belonging. Each chapter engages theoretically

with one of five core characteristic of singing (resonance, somatics, performance, temporality, and tacitness) in the context of particular performed rituals. Phelan offers a persuasive proposal for ritually-framed singing as a valuable and potent tool in the creation of inclusive, creative and integrated communities of belonging.

Studies of preaching and preaching style have up to this point focused almost exclusively on a western eurocentric understanding of good preaching. Preach It encourages students, both vocational and scholarly, to look beyond these approaches and to learn from traditions with which they are less familiar. The distinctive style and techniques that African Caribbean Pentecostal preachers have inherited has been shaped by historical, political and socio-economic factors impacting on black Caribbean people (including clergy). Using a variety of socio-linguistic and theological approaches, Preach It reflects on these techniques, and outlines how preachers across church traditions might learn from them and use them in their own contexts.

This handbook offers the most comprehensive, analytic, and multidisciplinary study of oral traditions and folklore in Africa and the African Diaspora to date. Preeminent scholars Akintunde

Akinyemi and Toyin Falola assemble a team of leading and rising stars across African Studies research to retrieve and renew the scholarship of oral traditions and folklore in Africa and the Diaspora just as critical concerns about their survival are pushed to the forefront of the field. With five sections on the central themes within orality and folklore – including engagement ranging from popular culture to technology, methods to pedagogy – this handbook is an indispensable resource to scholars, students, and practitioners of oral traditions and folklore preservation alike. This definitive reference is the first to provide detailed, systematic discussion, and up-to-date analysis of African oral traditions and folklore.

Father Udoekpo's work offers a thorough review of the theology of worship in the work of Amos of Tekoa, one of Israel's foundational prophets. It critically examines Amos 5 in its socio-historical and literary context and theologically reevaluates the application of Amos's message of ethical worship, judgment, and hope to two contemporary cultures: Nigeria and the United States of America. While intentionally down to earth and engaging in society and religion, this work discusses in a thoughtful and detailed exegetical manner the various sub-units of lamentation (vv. 1-3), the motifs of the remnant,

the exhortation to the seek the Lord, justice and righteousness (vv. 4-6; 14-15, 24), judgment, and the notion of the Day of the Lord (vv. 18-20) as they relate to the theology of worship (vv. 21-27) in Amos 5. The author pastorally draws the reader's attention to Amos' view that worship must not be restricted to hypocritical offerings, empty rituals, and songs at sanctuaries, but needs to incorporate ethics of justice, peace, and righteousness practiced in marketplaces and plazas.

***Studying Congregational Music
Ritual, Music, and the New Irish
Praise & Worship (Songbook)***

The Anglican Hymn Book

***African Traditions in the Study of Religion,
Diaspora and Gendered Societies***

***The Civil War Revival and Its Pentecostal
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Pastor and Grammy-winning musician Smokie Norful inspires readers to go to God and experience more fulfillment, delight, power, and success than they ever dreamed. According to Smokie Norful, sometimes our lives feel like a pot of rice in his grandmother's kitchen: hissing, boiling over, about to explode and create panic. The only way to avoid an explosion is to take the lid off—that is, to stop being trapped inside ourselves and instead look to God and his grace to make us all he intends us to be. Taking the lid off, Norful argues, entails four actions: look inward, experiencing the cleansing of forgiveness and the power of the Holy Spirit; look outward, seeking for others

to experience the joy of living for God and have the best God has to offer; look upward and marvel at God's love and strength to accomplish his purposes; and move onward, devising a strategy to accomplish all God has put in our hearts to do. When we take these four steps, the pressure goes down, we gain peace and perception, and things work out much better in the end. When we finally take the lid off, we can become the people God has created us to be and do what we were intended to do. We get in touch with the unlimited power of his Spirit, we're directed by the challenge of his purposes, and we experience the joy of seeing him use us to change lives. All of us need help in taking the lid off in order to trust God, take action, and reach our full potential.

(Piano/Vocal/Guitar Songbook). 25 contemporary worship hits are presented in this collection for piano, voice and guitar. Includes: Glorious Day (Passion) * Good, Good Father (Chris Tomlin) * Holy Spirit (Francesca Battistelli) * King of My Heart (John Mark & Sarah McMillan) * The Lion and the Lamb (Big Daddy Weave) * Reckless Love (Cory Asbury) *

10,000 Reasons (Matt Redman) * This Is Amazing Grace (Phil Wickham) * What a Beautiful Name (Hillsong Worship) * and more.

Creativity and Change in Nigerian Christianity

**Gospel Songs of Grace and Glory
Nigeria's Christian Revolution**

A Thousand Voices

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8 Simple Chords, 100 Great Songs - Third Edition

Throughout Africa, oral literature is flourishing, though it is perceived by some as anachronistic to the modern world. This work refutes this idea in its entirety by presenting 22 chapters, which firmly place the study of oral literature within contemporary African existence. The study analyzes how oral literature relates to media, music, technology, text, gender, religion, power, politics and globalization.

Gospel Songs of Grace and Glory is an unchanged, high-quality reprint of the original edition of 1896. Hansebooks is editor of the literature on different topic areas such as research and science, travel and expeditions, cooking and nutrition, medicine, and other genres. As a publisher we focus on the preservation of historical literature. Many works of historical writers and scientists are available today as antiques only. Hansebooks newly publishes these books and contributes to the preservation of

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literature which has become rare and historical knowledge for the future.

The Yoruba people today number more than 30 million strong, with significant numbers in the United States, Nigeria, Europe, and Brazil. This landmark reference work emphasizes Yoruba history, geography and demography, language and linguistics, literature, philosophy, religion, and art. The 285 entries include biographies of prominent Yoruba figures, artists, and authors; the histories of political institutions; and the impact of technology and media, urban living, and contemporary culture on Yoruba people worldwide. Written by Yoruba experts on all continents, this encyclopedia provides comprehensive background to the global Yoruba and their distinctive and vibrant history and culture.

Nearly a half century after her death in 1972, Mahalia Jackson remains the most esteemed figure in black gospel music history. Born in the backstreets of New Orleans in 1911, Jackson during the Great Depression joined the Great Migration to Chicago, where she became an highly regarded church singer and, by the mid-fifties, a coveted recording artist for Apollo and Columbia Records, lauded as the "World's Greatest Gospel Singer." This "Louisiana Cinderella" narrative of Jackson's career during the decade following World War II carried important meanings for African Americans, though it remains a story half told. Jackson was gospel's first multi-mediated artist, with a nationally broadcast radio program, a Chicago-based television show, and early recordings that introduced straight-out-of-the-church

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black gospel to American and European audiences while also tapping the vogue for religious pop in the early Cold War. In some ways, Jackson's successes made her an exceptional case, though she is perhaps best understood as part of broader developments in the black gospel field. Built upon foundations laid by pioneering Chicago organizers in the 1930s, black gospel singing, with Jackson as its most visible representative, began to circulate in novel ways as a form of popular culture in the 1940s and 1950s, its practitioners accruing prestige not only through devout integrity but also from their charismatic artistry, public recognition, and pop-cultural cachet. These years also saw shifting strategies in the black freedom struggle that gave new cultural-political significance to African American vernacular culture. The first book on Jackson in 25 years, Mahalia Jackson and the Black Gospel Field draws on a trove of previously unexamined archival sources that illuminate Jackson's childhood in New Orleans and her negotiation of parallel careers as a singing Baptist evangelist and a mass media entertainer, documenting the unfolding material and symbolic influence of Jackson and black gospel music in postwar American society.

*Second-Generation African Pentecostals in the West
Daily Manna*

*Culture and Development in Africa and the Diaspora
The Routledge Companion to the Study of Local
Musicking*

Charismatic Renewal and Pentecostalism

*Trust God, Release the Pressure, and Find the Life He
Wants for You*

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The crescendo of publishing this book is to support already made songs on our phones and computers to create a live performance and make the music real as against the stereotype music of (readymade) one man show on your mobile phone. All you need is to purchase a soft copy! The essence of writing only melody is to allow the performer to use they are own harmony (ad lib). All you need to start is a copy of the book and your voice. You can use your voice to teach the songs or if Piano/Recorder or any other melodic instruments is available you are ready and good to go. If you give the children opportunity to learn the songs and perform the songs, they will be so proud of themselves while watching it on any available social media and appreciate their God's giving talents. Anyway, most of the songs are very easy to learn. They all obeyed the rule rhyming scheme, rhythms are catchy and they can be easily analyze. The fact that most Folks tune are not written down, I decided to notate some of the African folk's songs, praise and worship into music for teacher to access their tunes. All

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songs in this book are fun for Elementary and Junior high students. The teacher can make use of "Rounds" to introduce Harmony, Hymns for the schools Assembly, Junior High school always enjoys "the Negro spiritual which is an old Gospel Spiritual, Praise and worship from will create variety while Christmas Carol round up as evergreen.. *AMERICAN *BRITISH *AFRICAN

(Easy Piano Songbook). 50 worship favorites for beginning pianists to learn, including: Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone) * Blessed Be Your Name * Come, Now Is the Time to Worship * Forever * Here I Am to Worship (Light of the World) * In Christ Alone * Lord, I Lift Your Name on High * Mighty to Save * Open the Eyes of My Heart * Shout to the Lord * 10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord) * Thy Word * We Fall Down * You Are My King (Amazing Love) * Your Name * and many more.

This book examines the intersection between cultural identities and development in African and the Diaspora from multidisciplinary perspectives. Starting with the premise that culture

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is one of the most significant factors in development, the book examines diverse topics such as the migrations of musical forms, social media, bilingualism and religion.

Foregrounding the work of Africa based scholars, the book presents strategies for identifying solutions to the challenges facing African culture and development. This book will be of interest to students and scholars of African Studies and African Culture and Society.

This issue of Matatu offers cutting-edge studies of contemporary Nigerian literature, a selection of short fiction and poetry, and a range of essays on various themes of political, artistic, socio-linguistic, and sociological interest. Contributions on theatre focus on the fool as dramatic character and on the feminist theatre of exclusion (Tracie Uto-Ezeajugh). Several essays examine the poetry of Hope Eghagha and the Delta writer Tanure Ojaide. Studies of the prose fiction of Chinua Achebe, Tayo Olafioye, Uwem Akpan, and Chimamanda Adichie are complemented by a searching

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*exposé of the exploitation of Ayi Kwei Armah on the part of the metropolitan publishing world and by a recent interview with the poet Jumoko Verissimo. Traditional culture is considered in articles on historical sites in Ile-Ife, witchcraft in Etsako warfare, and the Awonmili women's collective in Awka. Linguistically oriented studies consider political speeches, drug advertising, and Yoruba anthroponyms. Performance-focused essays focus on Emirate court spectacle (durbar), Yoruba drum poetry in contemporary media, gospel music, indigenization and islamization of military music, and the role of the filmmaker. Contributions of broader relevance deal with Islamic components of Nigerian culture, the decline of the educational system, and the socio-economic impact of acquisitive culture. Rethinking the Prophetic Critique of Worship in Amos 5 for Contemporary Nigeria and the USA
Elementary and Junior High School Preach It!
Encyclopedia of the Yoruba
An Emerging Paradigm*

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Take the Lid Off

Nigeria has become the area of one of the most remarkable religious movements of recent times, reflecting the shift in the global center of Christianity from the North to the South. This book tells the story of one sector of this movement from its roots in the Nigerian civil war to the turn of the new millennium. It describes a revival that occurred among the Igbo people of Eastern Nigeria, and the new Pentecostal churches it generated, and documents the changes that have occurred as the movement has responded to global flows and local demands. As such, it explores the nature of revivalist and Pentecostal experience, but does so against the backdrop of local socio-political and economic developments, such as decolonization and civil war, as well broader processes, such as modernization and globalization. The Wiley-Blackwell Companion to World Christianity presents a collection of essays that explore a range of topics relating to the rise, spread, and influence of Christianity throughout the world. Features contributions from renowned scholars of history and religion from around the world Addresses the origins and global expansion of Christianity over the course of two millennia Covers a wide range of themes relating to Christianity, including women, worship, sacraments, music, visual arts, architecture, and many more Explores the development of Christian traditions over the past two centuries across several continents and the rise in secularization

Studying the role of music within religious congregations has become an increasingly complex exercise. The significant variations in musical style and content between different congregations require an interdisciplinary methodology that enables an accurate analysis, while also allowing for nuance in interpretation. This book is the first to

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help scholars think through the complexities of interdisciplinary research on congregational music-making by critically examining the theories and methods used by leading scholars in the field. An international and interdisciplinary panel of contributors introduces readers to a variety of research methodologies within the emerging field of congregational music studies. Utilizing insights from fields such as communications studies, ethnomusicology, history, liturgical studies, popular music studies, religious studies, and theology, it examines and models methodologies and theoretical perspectives that are grounded in each of these disciplines. In addition, this volume presents several “ key issues ” to ground these interpretive frameworks in the context of congregational music studies. These include topics like diaspora, ethics, gender, and migration. This book is a new milestone in the study of music amongst congregations, detailing the very latest in best academic practice. As such, it will be of great use to scholars of religious studies, music, and theology, as well as anyone engaging in ethnomusicological studies more generally.

This work provides an overview of Nigerian Christianity. it covers issues such as Pentecostalism, Charismaticism, gender dynamics, Muslim-Christian relations, and the arts and performance in Christian traditions as they are transforming contemporary Nigerian society. While focussing on contemporary Christianity, these essays also reflect on Nigeria's history and cultural traditions. Understanding and interpreting the events covered in the essays will enable us to envision the nation's future.

Literature and Culture

Top 25 Worship Songs

Judah Be Praise

Style in Religious Communication in Nigeria

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LARES.

The Palgrave Handbook of African Oral Traditions and Folklore

Like David beside still waters, multitudes of people from even the most remote places on earth are coming into the awareness of who they are, and were always meant to be, and are fast becoming a people of worship. Judah Be Praise is a reflective journey through the Bible that encourages us to embrace our trust identity and live a life of worship. Its aim is to edify our relationship with the God of all Creation and give believers everywhere added vision for a future of great promise.

The Routledge Companion to the Study of Local Musicking provides a reference to how, cross-culturally, musicking constructs locality and how locality is constructed by the musicking that takes place within it, that is, how people engage with ideas of community and place through music. The term "musicking" has gained currency in music studies, and refers to the diverse ways in which people engage with music, regardless of the nature of

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this engagement. By linking musicking to the local, this book highlights the ways in which musical practices and discourses interact with people's everyday experiences and understandings of their immediate environment, their connections and commitment to that locality, and the people who exist within it. It explores what makes local musicking "local." By viewing musicking from the perspective of where it takes place, the contributions in this collection engage with debates on the processes of musicking, identity construction, community-building and network formation, competitions and rivalries, place and space making, and local-global dynamics.

The Holy Spirit is a sine qua non in the life of the church and in all Christian life and experience. The importance of the experiential and praxis-oriented theology of the Charismatic Renewal and Pentecostalism cannot be overemphasized in the realization of the potentials of a Spirit-animated church. In fact, Charismatic Renewal in the Nigerian Catholic Church is an essential part of

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the changing face of the Catholic Church in Nigeria. This work is, therefore, using Charismatic and Pentecostal theology and praxes to argue for the renewal of the Nigerian Catholic Church. It avers that the praxis-oriented and experiential theology of the Charismatics and Pentecostals, which characterize them as Spirit-filled groups and churches, are enabling the Nigerian Catholic Church to realize the potentials of a Spirit-driven church. It upholds that the Nigeria Catholic Church through the Nigerian Catholic Charismatic Renewal, which is an indispensable part of the changing face of the Catholic Church in Nigeria, has wittingly or unwittingly begun the renewal of her pneumatological, ecclesiological, and liturgical doctrines and practices in accord with those of a truly Spirit-animated church.

Life is full of untold stories. A perfect life is suddenly thrown into a ditch and the question that ensued is: 'How did we get here'? In Talitha Cumi: Near death, Pastor King and First Lady Cecilia Tetteh recounts how tares were

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sown in their beautiful lives, leading to the near death of Cecilia and how God gave her a chance to life. The account in this book though riveting, is not meant to exalt any man but to give glory to the Heavenly Father and teach Christians on the benefits of totally depending on God. 'Call to Me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things, which you do not know.' (Jeremiah 33:3, NKJV). A call unto God is prayer. It is not just the muttering of words; but a spiritual communication with a father who loves and care for his own. It is our prayer that this book will change a destiny and make a believer more dedicated to the things of God. Lessons in this book include endurance, faith, love, testimonies, wisdom, victory, miracles, signs and wonders. A family without love can be shattered by an adversity beyond description. We breathe life because God answered us. This is the first of a two series book based on a true story about deliverance from the spirit of envy and jealousy. The book showcases an unexpected tragedy, diagnosis, loss and great

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disappointment, burden and unimaginable tiredness which drew a family closer to God. The book is a memorial in honor of great appreciation for God Almighty and showcases His awesomeness for His children.

Talitha Cumi: Near Death

Focus on Nigeria

Culture and Society in Nigeria

African Oral Literature

Key Issues, Methods, and Theoretical Perspectives

21st Century Hymns and Songs for Schools

Beyond sound equipment and music charts, eleven noted worship leaders from around the United States write about the ministerial part of their work as it relates to the gospel, mission, disciple-making, liturgy, the Trinity, justice, creativity, family, and more.

What does it mean for music to be considered local in contemporary Christian communities, and who shapes this meaning? Through what musical processes have religious beliefs and practices once 'foreign' become 'indigenous'? How does using indigenous musical practices aid in the growth of local Christian religious practices and beliefs? How are musical constructions of the local intertwined with regional, national or transnational religious

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influences and cosmopolitanisms? Making Congregational Music Local in Christian Communities Worldwide explores the ways that congregational music-making is integral to how communities around the world understand what it means to be 'local' and 'Christian'. Showing how locality is produced, negotiated, and performed through music-making, this book draws on case studies from every continent that integrate insights from anthropology, ethnomusicology, cultural geography, mission studies, and practical theology. Four sections explore a central aspect of the production of locality through congregational music-making, addressing the role of historical trends, cultural and political power, diverging values, and translocal influences in defining what it means to be 'local' and 'Christian'. This book contends that examining musical processes of localization can lead scholars to new understandings of the meaning and power of Christian belief and practice.

(Paperback Songs). Now you can carry over 100 of your favorite worship tunes with you wherever you go! This Paperback Songs edition includes: Above All * Agnus Dei * Amazed * Awesome God * Better Is One Day * Come, Now Is the Time to Worship * Eagle's Wings * Give Thanks * Great Is the Lord * He Reigns * How Majestic Is Your Name * I Could Sing of Your Love Forever * Jesus, Lover of My Soul * Lord, I Lift Your Name

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on High * Open the Eyes of My Heart * Shout to the Lord * Step by Step * There Is None like You * This Is the Day * We Fall Down * Worthy If the Lamb * You Are My King (Amazing Love) * and more.

Play 100 great worship songs with easy chord charts for piano. From the exciting 8chords100songs series. This songbook contains piano charts in the key of C, G and D and has slash marks and chords for great worship songs. Easy to play by chords and ear. For worship teams, small group worship and anyone who wants to explore easy to play piano chord songs. This book does not contain on the staff notation. Need to learn to play by chords and ear? Now you can, with the Modern Worship Piano Lessons DVD from 8chords100songs. (sold separately) This new Third Edition contains the top 5 songs from the new WorshiptheKing worship band, Eureka Park! Here is a partial listing of the songs in this new songbook Top Praise and Worship Songs Mighty to Save Our God Every Move I Make Blessed Be Your Name In the Secret We Fall Down Beautiful One How Great Is Our God My Savior My God Everlasting God You Are My King Amazing Love The Heart of Worship Indescribable As the Deer Hungry Enough You're Worthy of My Praise Holy is the Lord Forever Come Now is the Time to Worship in Christ Alone God of Wonders Breathe Lord I lift your name on high Amazing Grace My Chains Are

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Gone You Never Let Go Easy to Play Hymns Ill
Fly Away Great is Thy Faithfulness Amazing
Grace When I Survey the Wondrous Cross I
Surrender All Nearer My God to Thee How Great
Thou Art Are You Washed in the Blood What A
Friend We Have in Jesus It is Well With My Soul
Take My Life Be Thou My Vision Rock of Ages
Hymn Medley Christ the Lord is Risen Today My
Jesus I Love Thee Jesus Paid it All Your Favorite
Christmas Songs Silent Night Away in a Manger
Do You hear What I Hear Joy to the World We
Wish You A Merry Christmas O Come All Ye
Faithful O Holy Night The First Noel Angels We
Have Heard on High Hark the Hearld Angel Sing
Jingle Bells Children's Songs God is So Good This
Little Light of Mine Jesus Loves the Little
Children

8 Chords 100 Songs Worship Piano Songbook
The Best Hymns Ever

The Beatles, Popular Music and Society

Singing the Rite to Belong

Making Congregational Music Local in Christian
Communities Worldwide

The Renewal of the Nigerian Catholic Church

At publication date, a free ebook version of this title will be available through Luminos, University of California Press's Open Access publishing program for monographs. Visit www.luminosoa.org to learn more. In the 1990s, Los Angeles was home to numerous radical social and environmental eruptions. In the face of several major earthquakes and floods, riots and economic insecurity, police brutality and mass

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incarceration, some young black Angelenos turned to holy hip hop—a movement merging Christianity and hip hop culture—to “save” themselves and the city. Converting street corners to open-air churches and gangsta rap beats into anthems of praise, holy hip hoppers used gospel rap to navigate complicated social and spiritual realities and to transform the Southland’s fractured terrains into musical Zions. Armed with beats, rhymes, and bibles, they journeyed through black Lutheran congregations, prison ministries, African churches, reggae dancehalls, hip hop clubs, Nation of Islam meetings, and Black Lives Matter marches. Zanfagna’s fascinating ethnography provides a contemporary and unique view of black LA, offering a much-needed perspective on how music and religion intertwine in people’s everyday experiences.

The historiography of African religions and religions in Africa presents a remarkable shift from the study of 'Africa as Object' to 'Africa as Subject', thus translating the subject from obscurity into the global community of the academic study of religion. This book presents a unique multidisciplinary exploration of African Traditions in the Study of Religion, Diaspora, and Gendered Societies. The book is structured under two main sections. The first provides insights into the interface between Religion and Society. The second features African Diaspora together with Youth and Gender which have not yet featured prominently in studies on religion in Africa. Contributors drawn from diverse African and global contexts situate current scholarly traditions of the study of African religions within the purview of academic encounter and exchanges with non-African scholars and non-African contexts. African scholars enrich the study of religions from their respective academic and methodological orientations.

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Jacob Kehinde Olupona stands out as a pioneer in the socio-scientific interpretation of African indigenous religion and religions in Africa and the new African Diaspora. This book honours his immense contribution to an emerging field of study and research.

More has been written about the Beatles than any other performing artists of the twentieth century. Accounts of their lives and times have been retold, reproduced and reinvented to the extent that their achievements have passed into contemporary folklore and popular mythology. What has been surprisingly absent, however, is any sustained critical investigation of the numerous debates and issues the group provoked. This book provides that long overdue analysis, by seeking to present the academic study of the Beatles in its appropriate contexts - historical, political, musical and sociological. Consisting entirely of newly commissioned articles and written by an international group of scholars, its contents challenge many of the traditional assumptions about the Beatles and offer fresh and provocative insights into the nature of their success and its continuing influence. It is essential reading for those wishing to understand not only the phenomenon of the Beatles but also the cultural environment within which popular music continues to be practised and studied.

There is a place in prophecy allocated for each and every one of us. And your fulfillment and your relevance in life is tied to not only your discovery but your arrival. There is a condition there is a place where you must arrive to be able to find the joy and the fulfillment of living. It is called destiny. The second definition of destiny is the place where your assignment finds full expression. Your destiny represents the place where you

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can say experientially that I am living the reason for which I am born, I am making impact. Another definition of destiny is the place of notable and consistent impact. No longer the place of desire no longer the place of ambitions. That you have gotten to a place where your impact is notable. Your impact is significant. The last definition of the word destiny. Destiny also represents a place where you have earned the right to transform lives and to watch those lives transform others. Not just that you are transforming lives. You are fulfilling destiny to the extent to which you have earned the right to transform life. And you have the privilege in your life time of watching those life you have transform, transform others. Read This Book and Be Blessed

Functions in Contemporary Contexts

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Joyfully Sing!

Doxology and Theology

First 50 Worship Songs You Should Play on Piano

Mahalia Jackson and the Black Gospel Field

This spirited anthem from Cindy Berry encourages the people of God to lift their voices in joyful songs of praise. The seamless inclusion of a stanza from "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" creates a wonderful blend of new and familiar music in this creative and versatile piece.

In recent years, anthropologists, historians, and others have been drawn to study the profuse and creative usages of digital media by religious movements. At the same time, scholars of Christian Africa have long been concerned with the history of textual culture, the

politics of Bible translation, and the status of the vernacular in Christianity. Students of Islam in Africa have similarly examined politics of knowledge, the transmission of learning in written form, and the influence of new media. Until now, however, these arenas—Christianity and Islam, digital media and “old” media—have been studied separately. Religion, Media, and Marginality in Modern Africa is one of the first volumes to put new media and old media into significant conversation with one another, and also offers a rare comparison between Christianity and Islam in Africa. The contributors find many previously unacknowledged correspondences among different media and between the two faiths. In the process they challenge the technological determinism—the notion that certain types of media generate particular forms of religious expression—that haunts many studies. In evaluating how media usage and religious commitment intersect in the social, cultural, and political landscapes of modern Africa, this collection will contribute to the development of new paradigms for media and religious studies. Contributors: Heike Behrend, Andre Chappatte, Maria Frahm-Arp, David Gordon, Liz Gunner, Bruce S. Hall, Sean Hanretta, Jorg Haustein, Katrien Pype, and Asonzeh Ukah. The rise of African Pentecostal and Charismatic churches in the West has become a growing phenomenon and a starring feature in many social, religious, and political conversations. Most of these

discussions are generally centered on the first-generation churches and their missionary attempt to evangelize the West. In this book, Caleb Nyanni offers a fresh insight into the African diaspora church from the perspective of the growing second-generation members and their contributions to the life of the church. He explores the changing nature of the African diaspora Pentecostalism by paying close attention to the Church of Pentecost in the United Kingdom, which serves as a case study. The book explores the frustrations, challenges, opportunities, and culture of the second generation and examines what they bring to Pentecostalism in general.

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