

NEW TITLES IN THE OLCOTT LIBRARY – DECEMBER 2008

The Adept Tradition in Europe [sound recording] : Rosicrucian Cathar and contemporary adeptic currents / Stephan Hoeller. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1994. 1 sound disc (54 min.)

A discussion of Gnostic adeptship from the Middle Ages onward, held at the 108th Annual Meeting and Summer School of the Theosophical Society in America.

CDA 0389

The Alhambra : tales / Washington Irving. Barcelona : Editorial Escudo de Oro ; Madrid : Sole Distributor L. Dominguez, 1995. 320 p.

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Ancient Greece and Rome / edited by Bengt Ankarloo and Stuart Clark. Philadelphia : University of Pennsylvania Press, 1999. 395 p. (Witchcraft and magic in Europe)

133.43 Ank WME AG

Antidotes to Anger [sound recording] : a Buddhist approach / Thubten Chodron. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1989. 1 sound disc (79 min.)

Buddhist teachings offer profound insights into the effects and alleviation of anger. The speaker offers a number of simple but effective techniques that lead to living a harmonious lifestyle free of anger and bitterness.

CDA 0382

An Approach to Love [sound recording] / Tim Boyd. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1991. 1 sound disc (53 min.)

It has been said that love is the most enduring of all human expressions, having inspired some of the world's greatest poetry, music, and art. As the light of the sun passing through a prism differentiates into a full spectrum of colors, so does love have a variety of expressions. In this reflective talk, Tim Boyd considers the essential characteristics of love and the importance it plays in any spiritual practice.

CDA 0376

Atomic Suicide? / Walter and Lao Russell. Waynesboro, VA : University of Science and Philosophy, 1957. 304 p.

539.7 Rus AS

The Bhagavad Gita [sound recording] / Ravi Ravindra. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1984. 2 sound discs (136 min.)

The Bhagavad Gita's rich allegorical themes have a universal application. The historical setting is an ancient battlefield in India, but the allegorical setting is the battlefield of life in which our spiritual struggles take place.

CDA 0380

Biblical and Pagan Societies / Frederick H. Cryer, Marie-Louise Thomsen ; edited by Bengt Ankarloo and Stuart Clark. Philadelphia : University of Pennsylvania Press, 2001. 168 p. (Witchcraft and magic in Europe)

133.43 Ank WME BP

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Creative Evolution [videorecording] / Amit Goswami. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, c2008. 1 videodisc (62 min.)

The author of *Creative Evolution: A Physicist's Resolution between Darwinism and Intelligent Design*, Amit Goswami explores significant problems with Darwin's theory of evolution and postulates that consciousness is the basis of evolution, moving from simple to complex forms over time as consciousness evolves.

DVD 0178

Daily Life as Spiritual Practice [sound recording] / Ravi Ravindra. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1997. 1 sound disc (35 min.)

Everyday life is full of struggle. Learning how to act freely, with intensity and clarity of vision, is key.

CDA 0388

Dark Cosmos : in search of our universe's missing mass and energy / Dan Hooper. New York : Smithsonian Books/Collins, 2007. 240 p.

523.1 Hop DC

Depression from the Energetic Perspective [sound recording] / Dora Kunz, Erik Peper. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1984. 2 sound discs (116 min.)

Dora Kunz and Dr. Erik Peper conduct an informal dialogue on the nature of depression including the different types of depression, the dynamics of depression, how to detect it in the early stages, and the effects of depression both on the victim and others in the nearby environment. Some natural methods for dealing with depression are suggested, such as special breathing techniques, changing our thought patterns, visual imagery, and engaging in positive activities.

CDA 0385

The Dimensions of Paradise : sacred geometry, ancient science, and the heavenly order on Earth / John Michell. Rochester, VT : Inner Traditions, c2008. 252 p.

516.15 Mic DP

Education in Search of the Spirit : essays on American education / John F. Gardner. Hudson, NY : Anthroposophic Press, c1996. 236 p.

371.3 Gar ESS

The Eighteenth and Nineteenth Centuries / edited by Bengt Ankarloo and Stuart Clark. Philadelphia : University of Pennsylvania Press, 1999. 340 p. (Witchcraft and magic in Europe)

133.43 Ank WME EN

The Gnostic Faustus : the secret teachings behind the classic text / Ramona Fradon. Rochester, VT : Inner Traditions, c2007. 370 p.

832 Fra GF

Hierarchies of Creative Intelligence [sound recording] / Geoffrey Hodson. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1971. 1 sound disc (47 min.)

CDA 0383

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In the Tavern of Ruin : seven essays on Sufism / Javād Nūrbakhsh. London : Khaniqahi-Nimatullahi Publications, c1978. 135 p.
I298.2 Nur ITR

An Inquiry into Religious Psychology [sound recording] : Hinduism / Stephan Hoeller. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1992. 2 sound discs (86 min.)
The speaker examines statements by psychologist Carl Jung pertaining to the relationship of the Western psyche to Eastern religious and spiritual practices, particularly with reference to those of India.
CDA 0384

Kabbalistic Teachings of the Female Prophets : the seven holy women of ancient Israel / J. Zohara Meyerhoff Hieronimus. Rochester, VT : Inner Traditions, c2008. 418 p.
296.16 Hie KTFP

Karna : the greatest archer in the world / Vatsala Sperling ; illustrated by Sandeep Johari. Rochester, VT : Bear Cub Books, c2007. 28 p.
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Key to the Wisdom [sound recording] / Ed Abdill. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c2001. 1 sound disc (50 min.)
A program based on the five part series of the same title, dealing with the key to unlocking the wisdom held in certain universal principles, leading to personal freedom.
CDA 0386

The Law of Sacrifice / B. P. Wadia. London : Concord Grove Press, 1985. 89 p. (Sangam texts)
T W119 LS

Life, Death, and Immortality [sound recording] / N. Sri Ram. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1963. 1 sound disc (59 min.)
CDA 0377

The Metaphysical Book of Gems and Crystals / Florence Mégemont ; translated by Judith Oringer. Rochester, VT : Healing Arts Press, 2008. 312 p.
615.88 Meg MBGC

The Middle Ages / Karen Jolly, Catharina Raudvere, Edward Peters ; edited by Bengt Ankarloo and Stuart Clark. Philadelphia, PA : University of Pennsylvania Press, 2002. 280 p. (Witchcraft and magic in Europe)
133.43 Ank WME MA

Muhammad : man and prophet : a complete study of the life of the prophet of Islam / Adil Salahi. New York : Barnes & Noble Books, 1998, c1995. 752 p.
I922.21 Sal MMP

The Mystic Path to Inner Peace [videorecording] / Ed Abdill. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, p2008, c1999. 1 videodisc (36 min.)

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A presentation of the 113th Annual Meeting and Summer School of the Theosophical Society in America, examining the rewards and dangers of practicing a Theosophical life. The speaker supports his ideas with quotes from numerous Theosophical leaders, including the Theosophical Society co-founder H. P. Blavatsky.

DVD 0180

The Mystical Theology of the Eastern Church / Vladimir Lossky. Crestwood, NY : St. Vladimir's Seminary Press, 1976. 252 p.

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Mysticism and the Eastern Church / Nicholas Arseniev. Crestwood, NY : St. Vladimir's Seminary Press, 1979. 173 p.

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The New Flatlanders : a seeker's guide to the theory of everything / Eric Middleton. Philadelphia : Templeton Foundation Press, 2007. 164 p.

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The Period of the Witch Trials / Bengt Ankarloo, Stuart Clark, William Monter. London : Athlone, 2002. 193 p. (Witchcraft and magic in Europe ; v. 4)

133.43 Ank WME PW

The Philosopher's Stone : chaos, synchronicity, and the hidden order of the world / F. David Peat. New York : Bantam Books, 1991. 244 p.

501 Pea PS

The Philosophy of Beauty [sound recording] / Rukmini Devi. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1984. 1 sound disc (65 min.)

We grow spiritually through the experience of beauty. We gain an understanding of beauty by living, and although it seems inexpressible, it is the understanding of beauty that leads us to an understanding of people and all living creatures.

CDA 0381

Prolegomena to the History of Israel / Julius Wellhausen. Whitefish, MT : Kessinger. Reprint. 200-?. 370 p.

221.9 Wel PHI (Oversize)

Psychological Exercises & Essays : the active mind / A. R. Orage. York Beach, ME : Weiser, 1984. 121 p. (Weiser classics series)

158.1 Ora PEE

The Pulse of the Universe [sound recording] : the laws of change and growth / Emily Sellon. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1983. 1 sound disc (47 min.)

The universe is evolving according to laws of periodicity and simultaneously as an orderly and meaningful universe. As individuals, we begin to discover order and meaning in our own lives as we begin to understand the inherent order of the cosmos in which we are embedded.

CDA 0378

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The Rebirth of Christian Gnosticism [sound recording] / Geddes MacGregor. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1979. 2 sound discs (78 min.)

In the twentieth century, the discovery of certain Gnostic texts has created a revival of interest in Gnosticism. Geddes MacGregor traces the history of Gnosticism and its relation to the Christian Church.

CDA 0375

School as a Journey : the eight-year odyssey of a Waldorf teacher and his class / Torin M. Finser. Hudson, NY : Anthroposophic Press, c1994. 256 p.

371.3 Fin SAJ

Secret Societies and the Hermetic Code : the Rosicrucian, Masonic, and esoteric transmission in the arts / Ernesto Frers. Rochester, VT : Destiny Books, c2008. 204 p.

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Seek Out the Way [videorecording] / Joy Mills. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, p2008, c1999. 1 videodisc (30 min.)

A presentation of the 113th Annual Meeting and Summer School of the Theosophical Society in America, suggesting guideposts for living a Theosophical life.

DVD 0179

The Spiritual Roots of Yoga : royal path to freedom / Ravi Ravindra. Sandpoint, ID : Morning Light Press, 2006. 179 p.

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Spirituality and Structures of Consciousness [sound recording] / Michael Purdy. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c2001. 1 sound disc (74 min.) Major historical shifts in the structure of our consciousness alter our perception of our views of religion and spirituality. The speaker shows how these shifts affect our lives today.

CDA 0390

Stowaway to the Mushroom Planet / Eleanor Cameron. Boston : Little, Brown, c1956. 209 p. (Mushroom planet series ; 2)

On their second flight to the planet of Basidium, two boys find that they have a would-be scientist as a stowaway. Sequel to *The Wonderful Flight to the Mushroom Planet*.

J-F C145 SMP (Juvenile)

Tantric Meditation for Healing and Balance [sound recording] / Glenn Mullin. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1994. 3 sound discs in 2 containers (219 min.)

Presents several Tibetan Tantric meditations for healing, including vase breathing and the color therapy technique coming from the Tibetan yogi and poet, Milarepa.

CDA 0392-2

Tibetan Buddhism and Modern Physics : toward a union of love and knowledge / Vic Mansfield. Philadelphia : Templeton Foundation Press, 2008. 180 p.

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Toward a Spirituality for the 21st Century [sound recording] / Gabriele Uhlein. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1996. 1 sound disc (70 min.)
How love and compassion will continue to lead spiritual endeavors into the 21st century.
CDA 0391

Transpersonal Astrology [sound recording] / Dane Rudhyar. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1977. 2 sound discs (92 min.)
CDA 0393

The Twelfth Transforming / Pauline Gedge. New York : Harper & Row, c1984. 407 p.
Bringing to life the majestic world of ancient Egypt, this detailed fictional biography explores the life of Akhenaton, King of Egypt during the 18th dynasty.
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Universal Ethics in Today's World [sound recording] / Radha Burnier. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1996. 1 sound disc (52 min.)
A presentation of the 110th Annual Meeting and Summer School of the Theosophical Society in America. The international President of the Theosophical Society discusses ethics that can be applied to people all over the world, and not just to one culture.
CDA 0387

Victor Hugo's Conversations with the Spirit World : a literary genius's hidden life / John Chambers. Rochester, VT : Destiny, 2008. 372 p.
133.9 Cha VHC

Yoga and the Transformative Process [sound recording] / Ravi Ravindra. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1986. 1 sound disc (72 min.)
The speaker examines a number of Sanskrit terms that help to answer the question, "How is knowledge addressed in yoga?"
CDA 0379

Zen Practice and Zen Consciousness [sound recording] / Geoffrey Hodson. Wheaton, IL : Theosophical Society in America, 2008, c1971. 1 sound disc (70 min.)
In this introductory presentation, Mr. Hodson begins with a brief historical outline of Zen as it originated and developed in India, China, and Japan. He discusses the key elements in Zen and the goal of Zen practice, to empty the mind of all content, all thoughts, all concepts of separate things and objects, several simple techniques of which are verbalized in this program.
CDA 0374