

**Oasis Ministries**  
**DEEPENING YEAR FOR DIRECTION MINISTRIES 2005-2006**

**COMPLETE BOOK LIST**

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Epperly, Bruce G. & Lewis D. Solomon *Walking in the Light: A Jewish-Christian Vision of Healing and Wholeness* (St. Louis, MO: Chalice Press, 2004) ISBN 0827242492

Gula, Richard, *Ethics in Pastoral Ministry*, (Paulist Press, 1996) ISBN 0809136201.

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May, Gerald, *Addiction and Grace: Love and Spirituality in the Healing of Addictions*, (HarperSanFrancisco, 1988). ISBN 0060655372.

Metcalf, Linda Trichter, *Writing the Mind Alive: The Proprioceptive Method of Finding Your Authentic Voice*, (New York: Ballantine Books, 2002). ISBN 0345438582

Rolheiser, Ronald, *The Holy Longing: The Search For a Christian Spirituality* (New York: Doubleday, 1999). ISBN 0385494181.

Rolheiser, Ron, *The Shattered Lantern: Rediscovering a Felt Presence of God* (New York: The Crossroad Publishing Co., 2001) ISBN 0824518845

Ruffing, Janet, *Spiritual Direction: Beyond the Beginnings*, (Paulist Press, 2000) ISBN 0809139588.

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Soelle, Dorothee, *The Silent Cry: Mysticism and Resistance*, (Minneapolis, MN: Fortress Press, 2001) ISBN 0800632664.

Vest, Norvene, *Still Listening*, (Harrisburg, PA: Morehouse Publishing, 2000) ISBN 0819218146

Wuellner, Flora Slosson, *Prayer and Our Bodies* (Nashville: Upper Room, 1987) ISBN 0835805689

Yungblut, John R., *On Hallowing One's Diminishments* (Pendle Hill Pamphlet #292), (Wallingford, PA: Pendle Hill Publications, 1990) ISBN 0875742920

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Heschel, Abraham Joshua, *Man's Quest for God* (Santa Fe, NM: Aurora Press, 1954) ISBN 0943358485

Hillesum, Etty, *An Interrupted Life: The Diaries of Etty Hillesum, 1941-43* (New York: Washington Square Press, 1981) ISBN 0671745557

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Brach, Tara, *Radical Acceptance: Embracing Your Life with the Heart of a Buddha*, (New York: Bantam Books, 2003) ISBN 0553380990

Bullis, Ronald K. and Cynthia S. Mazur, *Legal Issues and Religious Counseling* (Louisville, KY: Westminster/John Knox Press, 1993) ISBN 0664253865

Carse, James, *Breakfast at the Victory: The Mysticism of Ordinary Experience* (HarperSanFrancisco, 1995) ISBN 0062511718

Chittister, Joan, *Scarred by Struggle, Transformed by Hope*, (Grand Rapids, MI: Eerdmans Publishing Co., 2003) ISBN 0802812163

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Enger, Leif, *Peace Like A River*, (New York: Grove Press, 2002). ISBN 0802139256

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Hamma, Robert, *Landscape of the Soul: A Spirituality of Place* (Ave Maria Press, 1999) ISBN 0877936722

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- Kidd, Sue Monk, *The Dance of the Dissident Daughter*, (HarperSanFrancisco, 1996) ISBN 006064589X
- Liebert, Elizabeth, *Changing Life Patterns: Adult Development in Spiritual Direction*, (St. Louis, MO: Chalice Press, 2000). ISBN 0827204795
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- Macy, Joanna, *Widening Circles*, (Gabriola Island, British Columbia: New Society Publishers, 2000). ISBN 0865714207
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- Mueller, Joan, *Faithful Listening: Discernment in Everyday Life*, (Lanham, MD: Sheed & Ward, 1996) ISBN 1556129009
- Nemeck, Francis Kelly and Marie Theresa Coombs, *O Blessed Night: Recovering from Addiction, Codependency and Attachment based on the insights of St. John of the Cross and Pierre Teilhard de Chardin*, (New York: Alba House, 1991) ISBN 0818905875
- Norris, Kathleen, *Amazing Grace: A Vocabulary of Grace*, (New York: Riverhead Books, 1999). ISBN 1573227218
- O'Donohue, John, *Beauty: The Invisible Embrace* (New York: HarperCollins, 2004) ISBN 0060196432
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- Taylor, Jeremy, *Dream Work* (Mahwah, NJ: Paulist Press, 1982) ISBN 0809125250
- Tutu, Desmond, *God Has a Dream: A Vision of Hope for Our Time*, (Doubleday, 2004) ISBN 0385477848
- Vennard, Jane, *Embracing the World: Praying for Justice and Peace*, (San Francisco: Josey-Bass, 2002) ISBN 0787958875
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Merton, Thomas, *The Inner Experience: Notes on Contemplation* (HarperSanFrancisco, 2004) ISBN 0060593628

Olmsted, Sterling, *Motions of Love: Woolman as Mystic and Activist* (Pendle Hill Pamphlet #312; Wallingford, PA: Pendle Hill Publications, 1993) ISBN 0875743129

Sayers, Dorothy *The Mind of the Maker*, (HarperSanFrancisco, 1987) (reprint of 1941 edition). ISBN 0060670770

Woolman, John, *The Journal and Major Essays of John Woolman* (Phillips Moulton, ed.), Richmond, IN: Friends United Press, 1989. ISBN 0944350100