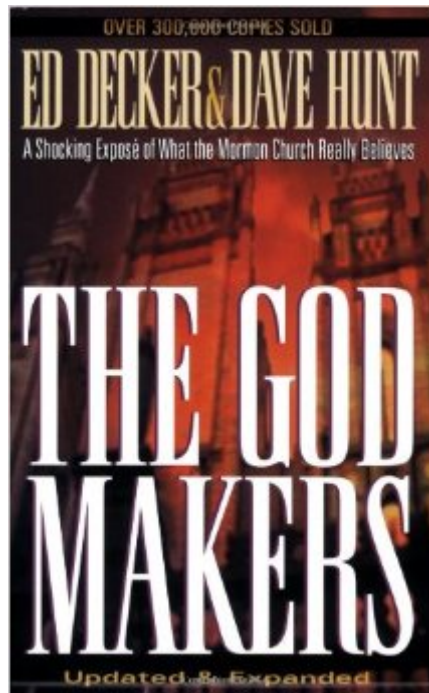


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The God Makers: A Shocking Expose Of What The Mormon Church Really Believes



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• This book is dynamite! The most powerful thing I've read on the subject. Get your Mormon friends to read it. • Dr. John MacArthur Pastor-Teacher, Grace Community Church, CA Mormons claim to follow the same God and the same Jesus as Christians. They also state that their gospel comes from the Bible. But are they telling the truth? *The God Makers*, one of the most powerful books to penetrate the veil of secrecy surrounding the rituals and doctrines of the Mormon Church, reveals the inner workings and beliefs of Mormonism. Through personal interviews and well-documented evidence, you'll discover the true nature of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and its hidden worldwide agenda.

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Customer Reviews

It took a very long time for me to read this book. And I mean years. I spent all my youth turning a blind eye to anything anyone said about the Mormon church that made me uncomfortable. It is very true when they say "ignorance is bliss." Also anyone who is raised in any religion is brain-washed to believe what they are taught. But I found myself always not knowing what I was talking about. Would you believe that though I was raised a Mormon I never knew that Joseph Smith was a polygamist and his wife Emma was unaware of some of his marriages and that he married women who already had husbands? (So much for the teaching that Brigham Young only taught polygamy because there was a shortage of husbands.) I also didn't know that Brigham Young strongly taught that Adam was God, and that God lived on a planet called Kolob, and that God came down in the form of a man and had physical relations with Mary to conceive Jesus. I didn't know a thing about

blacks being denied the priesthood until 1978, and I could go on and on and on and on. I only started to research these things (against the strong advice of my bishop) because I wanted to be able to "debate" about the truthfulness of my religion to non-members. Discovering the truth of my religion was a horrible experience for me. I can not express enough how hard it is for a Mormon to leave the religion. Mormonism isn't just a religion. It's your identity and your whole life. It is very important to be understanding to Mormons because leaving Mormonism is no different than leaving your whole life and everyone that loves you. It's a horrible awakening to see the truths of the Mormon church. Also anyone who goes through the secret rituals of the temple can tell you it's a very shocking experience, whether you believe in it or not. In the temple among many things, I had to promise secrecy with a bloody oath. I drew my thumb across my throat as if my throat was being slit, and I drew my thumb over my abdomen indicating that my bowels would be cut out. I also was angry to learn that someday when I married, my husband would be my way to the Celestial kingdom. In the 80's at BYU we were taught that a woman could only go as high as her husband. (I don't know whether this is still taught or not because many doctrines are changing.) The final breaking point came for me when I was on my mission in Argentina and I watched at least a few hundred ignorant people who knew nothing about the religion getting baptized. It was honestly like a joke. And I can't count how many children were baptized without their parents even knowing. We missionaries only had permission to take them to church! But the pressure to baptize people is so strong. It's all about numbers. (I myself never baptized because I'm a woman.) As a former Mormon I can tell you first hand how very imbedded the Mormon beliefs are in Mormons. There is no doubt in their mind that their religion is the "one and only true religion." I believe though that someday the Mormon church will be widely known for what it is and that Joseph Smith will be exposed for being a con man. In the meantime, all books and websites written should be done so kindly. Most Mormons are innocent and Mormonism is not their fault.

This book offers up compelling evidence of the many fallacies of Mormonism, using the church's own documents and historical records. Although I am sure any Mormon reading this will be offended and Mormon apologists will attempt to dispute what is written, the bottom line is that even some Mormon scholars cited in this book agree that there have been attempts to rewrite history by Joseph Smith and Brigham Young with regard to the "revelation" of celestial marriage and polygamy as well as other practices that would be damning if the truth were widely known. How anyone could be duped by this cult is nothing short of incredible. So many of the doctrines of this faith are in direct contradiction to the Bible. This is a religion deeply influenced by the occult and virtually all temple

practices are occultic in nature. Freemasonry influenced Joseph Smith and this can be seen by descriptions of similar practices between Mormonism and Masonic rites such as secret handshakes, signs, temple garment embellishments, etc. Although the Mormon church presents itself as a church of Jesus Christ, it is anything but. The church teaches that Jesus and Lucifer are spirit brothers, that some sins are not covered by the sacrificial blood of Christ thus the doctrine of blood atonement that is still practiced by fundamentalist sects today. It is truly frightening to peel away the layers of deception and see the real doctrines and beliefs of Mormonism. The authors have provided damning evidence that exposes the real truth behind one of the fastest growing religions of today. I highly recommend this!

Being a Mormon for 27 years; I can tell you it is not easy for a Mormon to find out the fallacies of their religion. The Mormon people need to realize it is not the writings of people like Ed Drecker, but their so called prophets that continually contradict the bible and their own teachings. I do not agree with many of these reviews that claim the book is full of lies--quite the contrary. However, I would not recommend anyone suggest this book to a "True Believing Mormon." True believers tend to be very narrow minded (take it from me I was one; and so are many in my hometown of Rexburg, Idaho, which is an extremely large population of Mormons). This is why I recommend a more loving approach to these true believers. "Mormonism, Mama, and Me" is a book that exposes the corruption in the foundation of the church in a much more loving approach for the "true believer." I was only able to read The God Makers after I had completely left the church--which was a long process and not something that happened over night. This book is abrasive; but after many years of research, I believe the truth can withstand scrutiny (it took me many years to come to this realization). Read this book for yourself if you so desire; I did enjoy it. But as I stated earlier do not use this book to witness to true believing Mormons; it is too abrasive for people who have devoted their lives to not just a religion, but a lifestyle. I pray everyday for Mormons to open their minds and hearts so they may too see the lies in the foundation of the organization they belong to. God Bless.

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