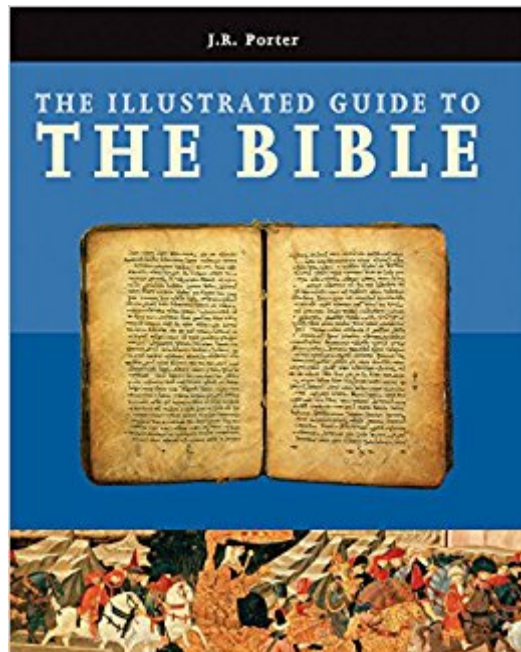




The book was found

Illustrated Guide To The Bible



Synopsis

A combination of authoritative scholarship, narrative verse, and superb color illustrations to produce a highly accessible portrait of the figures, places, episodes, and themes of arguably the greatest stories ever told. Offering depth and clarity, *The Illustrated Guide to the Bible* not only brings the many characters and events to life, it also explores the underlying significance of topics and explains the meaning of important themes and symbols. Including a highly useful book-by-book summary of what is still the most widely distributed book in the world, this is an essential reference work for any home or library.

Book Information

Hardcover: 288 pages

Publisher: Chartwell Books (September 15, 2016)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0785833927

ISBN-13: 978-0785833925

Product Dimensions: 8.9 x 1.1 x 11 inches

Shipping Weight: 3.4 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars 4 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #959,118 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #161 in [Bible Study & Reference > Handbooks](#) #594 in [Bible Study & Reference > History & Culture](#) #4619 in [Bible Study & Reference > Criticism & Interpretation](#)

Customer Reviews

Porter, a former fellow of Oriel College, Oxford, has written a general introduction to the Bible and the Apocrypha that shows how its most important ideas and images may be more reliably interpreted through comparison with the art and artifacts of ancient and modern cultures. Porter's introduction offers a survey of the formation, transmission, and translations of the Bible. His discussion of the role of archaeology and historiography in biblical interpretation is critical and well balanced; he also conveys the importance of the role of myth and mythological concepts. His richly illustrated work demonstrates his appreciation for Western art as a vehicle for conveying the history of scriptural interpretation. The appendixes feature a book-by-book summary of the Bible, separate glossaries of terms and abbreviations, a list of works for further reading, a subject index, and a list of illustration sources. Highly recommended for general readers and informed lay readers, as well as

theological researchers. ?Robert H. O'Connell, DenverCopyright 1997 Reed Business Information, Inc. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

"This book, with over 300 full-color illustrations is a user-friendly introduction to the Bible, and a handy resource when seeking information about biblical figures or events."--Bookman's Weekly
"This richly illustrated guide makes an excellent introduction to the Bible. It is vivid and readable, with a simple and sensible basic structure."--The Tablet --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

excellent book beautiful illustrations and very informative

Great condition and super fast delivery! Very happy! Thank you

This is one magnificent work. It covers the major themes of the Bible with detailed analysis and relevant sidebars so that anyone in a Bible study group or reading the Bible on their own can have a meaningful source of interpretations. Each page is a new subject, which makes it simple to use. Pages can be read on their own or the entire book can be read. Bible verses are quoted on each topic so the reader is always aware of how the idea is being applied. This work is less than 300 pages, but it is so rich in detail that one will not be able to skim through it in a couple of evenings. Once you start reading, it is hard to put down and is hard to not read every word on every page. This book helps one gain perspective and context. At the end is a summary of each book, including the apochrypha. In the main text, non-canonical books like the Gospel of Thomas are mentioned, so the reader can rest assured the author put as much scope and thought into this work as was practical. Bible scholars, Bible study groups, general knowledge seekers, historians, philosophers, and many others will find this book extremely useful and user-friendly. Anyone disappointed in this wonderful volume is just not interested in learning.

I can't recommend this book enough. As someone who has read a lot of other guides to the Bible, this one outdoes them all simply due to its comprehensiveness, easy to follow writing, unique information, and beautifully relevant images on every page. Furthermore, the info it provides is backed up by scholarly sources, making it a book without a Christian biased (something not many books on the Bible can say). In short, this book covers everything in a brilliant format making it the best guide you can buy. I still can't seem to put it down.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

The Bible: The Complete Guide to Reading the Bible, Bible Study, and Scriptures (bible, religion, spirituality, holy bible, christian, christian books, understanding the bible) The Bible Study for Beginners Series: Learn the Bible in the Least Amount of Time: The Bible, Bible Study, Christian, Catholic, Holy Bible, Book 4 Bible Brain Teasers for Adults (4 Book Set includes: Bible Crossword Puzzles; Bible Games; Bible Quizzes & Puzzles; Bible Word Search Puzzles) BIBLE: How You Study And Find The Hidden Secrets Within The Bible, The Beginners Guide To Understanding The Old Law Jesus Teaches, The Universe Laws Jesus ... The Bible, Law Of Attraction, Bible Study) The Complete Illustrated Children's Bible (The Complete Illustrated Children's Bible Library) The Illustrated Bible: John (The Illustrated Icb Bible) A Complete Bible Reference Study Library (4 in 1): [Illustrated]: KJV Bible with Strongs markup, Strongs Concordance & Dictionaries, Lexicon Definitions, and Bible word index KJV Bible with Comprehensive Strongs Dictionary (3 in 1): [Illustrated]: KJV Bible with Strongs markup, Strongs dictionary with Lexicon definitions, Bible word index My Little Bible Box: Little Words of Wisdom from the Bible; Little Blessings from the Bible; Little Psalms from the Bible Hi! I Am Noah, Noah, Beginner's Bible Story Book, Noah and the Ark, Noah and the Flood, Board Book, Bible Hero from the Favorite Bible Character Series (Bible Figure Books) The Complete Parallel Bible with the Apocryphal/Deuterocanonical Books: New Revised Standard Version, Revised English Bible, New American Bible, New Jerusalem Bible Easter Kid's Audio Bible-Free Easter DVD a 2nd Free Audio Bible on MP3-Bible Stories for Kid's-Bible Stories for Children with 103 Kid's ... Home School Curriculum 15 Audio CDs-1MP3-1DVD 100 Day Vocabulary Word Devotional: Daily Bible Study & Guide: Learn a New Word, Read a Bible Verse or Passage, Study a Devotion and Apply The Lesson To ... Life: Daily Bible Study & Devotional Guide Illustrated Thesaurus (Usborne Illustrated Dictionaries) (Usborne Illustrated Dictionaries) Figures of Speech Used in the Bible Explained and Illustrated: Explained and Illustrated Know Your Bible: A Self-Guided Tour Through God's Word (Illustrated Bible Handbook Series) Your Every Day Read and Pray Bible for Kids (The Complete Illustrated Children's Bible Library) The Crochet Stitch Bible: The Essential Illustrated Reference Over 200 Traditional and Contemporary Stitches (Artist/Craft Bible Series) Potter's Bible: An Essential Illustrated Reference for both Beginner and Advanced Potters (Artist/Craft Bible Series) Inspired By . . . The Bible Experience: The Complete Bible, Audio CD: A Dramatic Audio Bible Performed by 400 of Today's Biggest Stars

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

Privacy

FAQ & Help