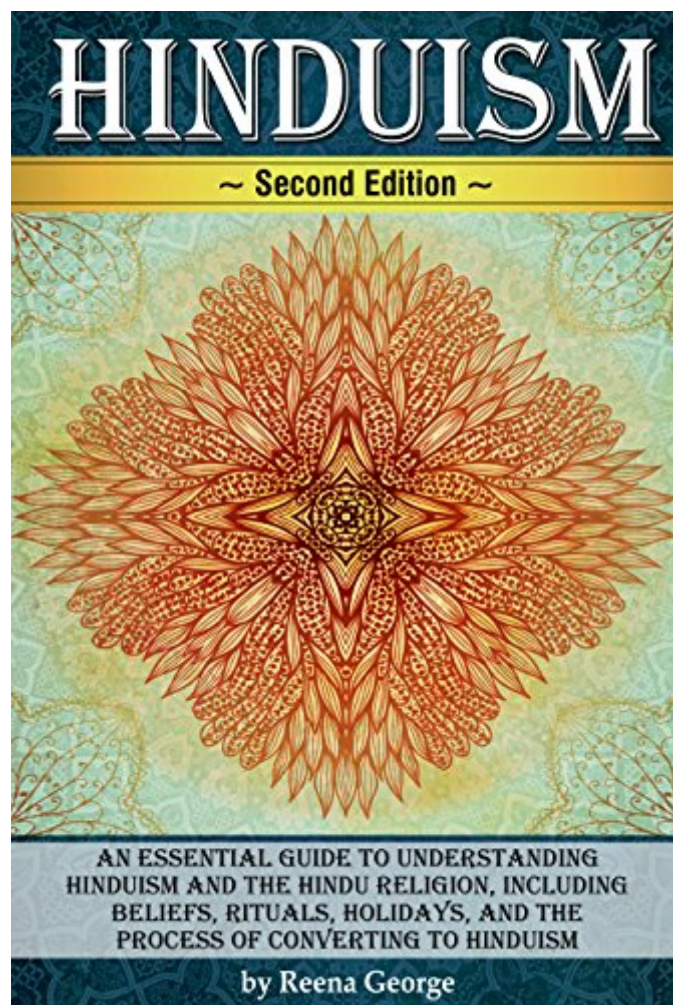




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# **Hinduism: An Essential Guide To Understanding Hinduism And The Hindu Religion, Including Beliefs, Rituals, Holidays, And The Process Of Converting To Hinduism**





## Synopsis

If you want to learn all about the Hindu religion - whether you're just curious, or planning to convert - then this book is for you! Second Edition Newly Released September 14th, 2016 Download Now and Instantly Read on your PC, Mac, smart phone, tablet, or Kindle device. Hinduism originated in India, the land of diverse ethnicity and culture, and is the oldest known religion in the world, with its history reportedly dating back as far as 6500 B.C.E. Amidst the diversity, Hindus try to promote peace and universality of shared beliefs. Diversity and communal unity, irrespective of faith, also apply to their religious practices. As Hinduism has spread its wings, various versions of the religion sprang from different groups around the world. So, to be able to understand Hinduism, you should first know that it's not just a religion, but also considered a way of life. Because Hinduism is so broad and complex, this book has been specifically designed to present you with an easy-to-understand overview of this incredible religion. Throughout the following chapters, I'm going to outline the common beliefs, rituals, holidays, and the overarching concepts that you may wish to apply to your own life, should you choose to follow Hinduism. Whatever your motivation to learn about Hinduism may be - whether you're just curious to learn what makes the world's third largest religion different from all others, or whether you're perhaps planning to convert - you've come to the right place! Download your copy today!

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This nifty little book will teach you some basics about Hinduism. It isn't much, but as a basic guide introducing the subject it will do nicely. Hinduism is a vast subject, but the book made it work. It shows you:1) what Hinduism is with all its beliefs, holidays and festivals.2) how to convert to Hinduism, however "convert" is not really a good term, as one simply does not convert to Hinduism, one just follows the guidelines, studies the Vedas and joins the society he or she sees it.3) a bit about the basic Hindu rituals, that follow a person throughout his current life.4) some tips regarding the practices and things that one should follow. There are some discrepancies regarding the formatting, but nothing major and nothing that can't be rectified in matter of seconds. Overall, I quite enjoyed the book.

Surprisingly good overview & introduction to Hinduism. Hinduism is one of those traditions that most people tend not to know enough about even to really start doing basic research on it, but this book starts at the absolute basics and contextualises everything in order to give an overview of the diversity of the religion(s). It's a very informative read. The way the information has been organized into descriptively titled chapters, helps to get into the book by going to the chapter directly. Highly recommended for anyone who wants to learn about Hinduism.

A Fascinating Guide To Hinduism! Author Reena George takes you inside the world of the Hindus. You first learn the basic beliefs and practices of the world's oldest religion, 6500 B.C.E. Then you get to the fun part all their holidays and festivals in Hinduism, Since there are many versions of this religion holidays and festivals are numerous. Fun, singing, dancing and great food. Some sects are vegetarian and others eat meat but none eat beef. The next area is very interesting. Author Reena George covers converting to Hinduism. The conversion process goes to a very uniform study of the text while working with a teacher to simply declaring yourself a Hindu and, of course, follow the principals of the religion. Author George also compares Hinduism to Christianity, Judaism and Muslim. The similarities and differences are interesting. You may not have an interest in becoming a Hindu but this book is a powerful short read to broaden your understanding of other people. Recommended!

It's great to read a book that touches on the fundamentals of Hinduism and it's origin. It provides a clear understanding of it's practices, beliefs, rituals and holidays. It's also great to learn about the 7 key Hindu scriptures. For people who want to know the in-depth of Hinduism, this book can be a great resource.

This book gave me the basics of Hinduism as well as a practical guide for how to practice it. Originally I thought that Hinduism was a complex religion that was difficult to understand but this book gave me the proper understanding that no other book was able to provide in a short amount of time. This book is very easy to understand and I would recommend it to anyone that is looking for a basic understanding of Hinduism and even to people who are looking for more advanced concepts relating to Hinduism.

For the last year, I've been traveling in Indonesia, from where I'd travel to India and visit Goa quite often. Hinduism has intrigued me, as I'd usually see hindu traditions and so called "holy men" in the streets. While experiencing them first hand is always better, some issues left me wondering. This is why this book is a great addition to getting to know Hinduism better, and goes a bit deeper than the skin which is a welcome addition!

A very brief book (56 pages) containing hardly any important information. Seems to be that it was written from a Vaishanava perspective. Lots of brief entries and not anything substantial. If you MUST have this book, I would buy it digitally as the hard-copy isn't really worth the paper it is written on. I'm very disappointed with this purchase.

Hinduism is one of the oldest religion. I read this book because I am fascinated by it. Also, this book did not disappoint me. I get to learn something new despite the fact that I am an avid reader of this religion. I get to learn about the rituals and customs that believers observe. I feel like I was able to observe someone who get to participate on all of the festivities of Hindus.

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