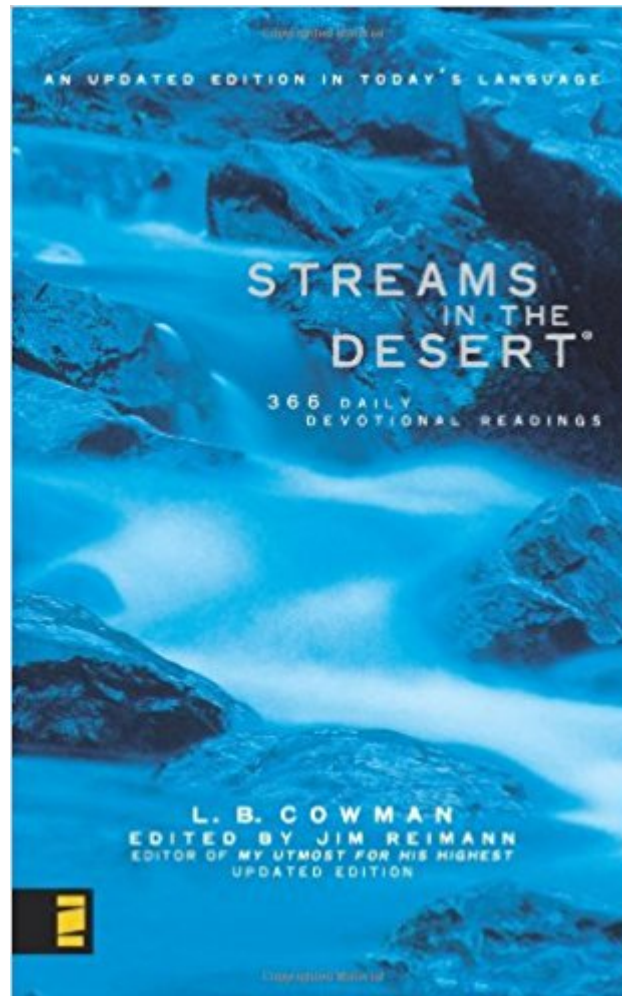




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Synopsis

In a barren wilderness, L. B. Cowman long ago discovered a fountain that sustained her, and she shared it with the world, *Streams in the Desert*™ -- her collection of prayerful meditations, Christian writings, and God's written promises--has become one of the most dearly loved, best-selling devotionals of all time since its first publication in 1925. Filled with insight into the richness of God's provision and the purpose of His plan, this enduring classic has encouraged and inspired generations of Christians. I heard the flow of hidden springs; before me palms rose green and fair; The birds were singing; all the air was filled and stirred with angels' wings. Now James Reimann, editor of the highly acclaimed updated edition of *My Utmost for His Highest* by Oswald Chambers, again brings us the wisdom of the past in the language of today, by introducing this updated edition of *Streams in the Desert*. With fresh, contemporary wording and precise NIV text, the timeless message of the original flows unhindered through these pages, lending guidance and hope to a new generation of believers. We never know where God has hidden His streams. We see a large stone and have no idea that it covers the source of a spring. We see a rocky areas and never imagine that it is hiding a fountain. God leads me into hard and difficult places, and it is there I realize I am where eternal streams abide. Day by day, *Streams in the Desert* will lead you from life's dry desolate places to the waters of the River of Life -- and beyond, to their very Source.

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Customer Reviews

“Fresh water from a time-tested fountainhead of faith” -- Dr. Gary Smalley --This text

refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

Lettie Cowman's popular and inspiring devotional is now updated for the '90s reader and includes New International Version Scripture with each reading. Jim Reimann, the editor who updated Oswald Chamber's *My Utmost for His Highest*, has modernized this second-most-popular devotional of all time and made the encouragement and inspiration of its pages more accessible to today's readers. First published in 1925, Mrs. Cowman's *Streams in the Desert* is a masterful compilation of inspirational writings from a variety of sources. She collected these works during the dark time in her life when her beloved husband, Charles, was terminally ill. Her devotional has brought comfort and encouragement to millions of people around the world who also face difficult times. Now a new generation of readers can discover the rich, timeless encouragement and inspiration - in language they can easily understand.

I bought this for my step mother for Christmas. I can't review the content, since that's not really my thing. But the font is SO TEENY in this book. It's a thick book, but not very tall and I guess they had to shrink the font to fit. I'm not sure if the book will be readable for her. If you struggle with small font, I'd recommend another version of this book.

I have never loved a devotional book as much as I have loved *Streams in the Desert*. This publication came with morning and evening devotions. I didn't realize that when I ordered and was pleasantly surprised. I never even knew that *Springs in the Valley* (the morning devotions) even existed. *Springs in the Valley* has not been updated with modern language so there are still a lot of "Thees and Thous".

I tend to 'shy' away from many devotional books because I find many of them too 'cheesy' and can't relate to the pain that I have currently been going through. I was relieved to find this book completely different. Each day I can relate to the devotional as if it is something almost directed at an issue I am struggling with at that time or in the near past. I take it with me to work to read on my lunch breaks. Each day includes compiled writings he adds from many religious figures including this gem from Frances Ridley Havergal: "He remembers all the time and will never make you take even one step beyond what your feet are able to endure. Never mind if you think you are unable to take another step, for either He will strengthen you to make you able, or He will call a sudden halt, and you will not have to take it at all." There is also a convenient Scripture and Subject index in the

back. I am not one to write reviews but felt compelled to write this one in hopes it would encourage someone to look into buying the book and hope they receive some comfort from it.

I have bought and been given several devotion books over the years. This one is by far THE BEST ONE I have. So many devotions are 'soft and fluffy' just talking about how we need to be blessed, etc....This book is full of 'real life' practical stuff. Like what we are supposed to do when hard things happen in our lives. It talks about how God can teach us so much through the tough times and how there are flowers that only bloom in the night. The clouds in our lives serve to bring the much needed rain, which in turn causes the flowers in our lives to bloom. One of the quotes in the book that I like a lot is, "The school of suffering graduates exceptional scholars". This devotion book is a compilation of several different authors. George Mueller, Andrew Murray, F.B. Meyer, Hannah Whitall Smith, Charles H. Spurgeon, Annie Johnson Flint, John Bunyan, John Wesley, and George Whitefield, to name a few. If you want a devotion book with 'meat' to chew on and lots to ponder and be blessed by, get this book. If you are looking for a 'soft fluffy book', you better look elsewhere....It is always painful to be pruned, but we will bear more fruit afterward! September 19th devotion says in part, "I walked a mile with Pleasure, She chattered all the way; But left me none the wiser for all she had to say. I walked a mile with Sorrow, and ne'er a word said she; But oh, the things I learned from her when Sorrow walked with me." This book will be a blessing to you!!!

The many editions of this book have been my companion for years. I have my Grandmother's old and battered copy. The devotionals never fail to be just what I need. I have given it as a gift many times.

The writings compiled here will give the Christian renewed hope in the hard day's. Scripturally sound. Hope and comfort, joy and blessings. You'll not regret purchasing this book, it reminds us how to walk in light of each day.

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This book from this seller arrived with cover broken and damaged, but it seems to be the fault of mail carrier. My sister who I ordered it for told me she was able to glue it back together. That said I want to say it is my favorite devotional book and has been for many years. When my other sister was dying from a very painful and incurable disease she told me that it was the very best thing I had ever given her, she received such comfort and help through reading it.

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