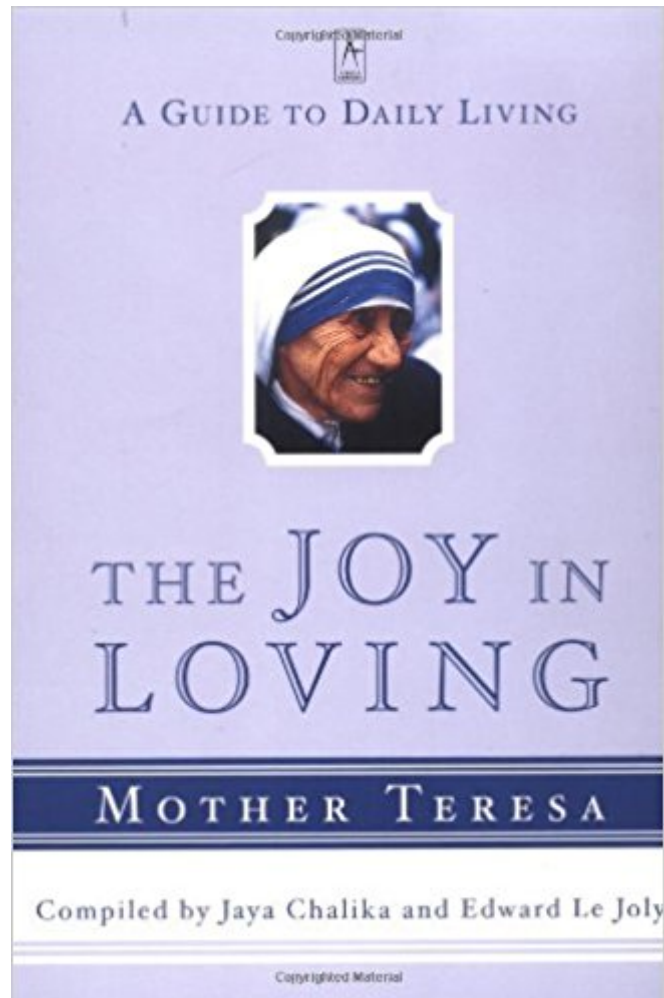




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The provocative ideas and touching insights found in *The Joy in Loving* spring from incidents in Mother Teresa's own remarkable life. She speaks of men and women who have lived and died uncomplainingly, even in the midst of great poverty and deprivation; of wealthy businessmen whose indifference has been transformed into compassion and charity, and of her encounters with people and governments around the globe. Through all of this, Mother Teresa emphasizes the need for a disciplined, loving family life, for "in the home begins the disruption of the peace of the world." Drawing on more than seventy years of selfless service to the poorest of the poor, she discusses the importance of work and prayer, charity and service, the right to life and, above all, the need to love--unconditionally and absolutely.

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The authors, who worked closely with Mother Teresa during her lifetime, have drawn together stories and prayers inspired by the missionary, who worked tirelessly on behalf of India's poor with her sisters of charity. Each day of the year is assigned a brief story or blessing: A child goes without sugar so Mother Teresa may have it; a truckload of bread miraculously arrives for starving Indians when the rice has run out. Many of the passages are quotes from Mother Teresa herself, and all of them challenge the reader to live up to her saintly view of humanity and suffering. If the day-by-day approach doesn't fit, there's an easy-to-browse index, organized by theme ("cheerfulness,"

"humility," "suffering"). Her standards are high, however, and normal sinners may find her words more challenging than uplifting. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

In 365 daily entries, Mother Teresa -- beloved crusader for the poor and symbol of charity and compassion -- ruminates on the importance of work and prayer, charity and service, the right to life and, above all, the need to love, unconditionally and absolutely. Drawing on a lifetime of selfless service to the poorest of the poor, she speaks of men and women in the midst of great poverty who have lived and died uncomplainingly; of wealthy businessmen whose indifference has been transformed into compassion and charity; and of her encounters with people and governments around the globe. For all those who seek to find meaning and fulfillment in life, *The Joy in Loving* will prove a constant source of guidance, comfort, and peace.

This is a compilation of little notes she wrote to others, or about herself. The good news is you can read a page at a time like a devotional...Full of the most touching experiences. I have given this book as a gift at least 10 times...everyone is so moved by it! (and I'm not even Catholic!)

Here it is, the one you have been looking for. A daily devotional packed with the sayings of Mother Teresa. Both this one and "NO GREATER LOVE" are wonderful reads you will want to share with others. I have purchased extra copies of both to give away as gifts to those near me. You will never regret your purchase of these books for they will be a daily blessing in your life. your brother in Christ, Albert

Simple writing, in little bits, from a simple woman who will change the way you look at your fellow human being. Profound thoughts, profound words from a woman who saw people for who they are -- beloved of God. You will not be the same. This book will change you for the better.

if you are a spiritual person, this is the book of a lifetime. if you are open to the love of God, many of the daily meditations will bring tears to your eyes and your love of neighbor will grow immensely. this is especially true for the less fortunate, the sick and dying in your own backyard. so I suggest you read it faithfully, each day.

This is an amazing book by someone who most certainly empowered unconditional Love.

This is a daily meditation only Mother Teresa could accomplish. It is written simply but effectively and to the point. Mother Teresa's meditations also gives us glimpses into this woman's great spiritual life. I thank her for a great part in my spiritual growth through this book. It is unbeatable, especially in it's simplicity.

I gave this as a gift. She was so excited when she saw it was about Mother Teresa. I love giving devotionals as gifts. There are so many out there,for everyones type of life style and day. Gods word is found in the Bible and devotionals,like salt and pepper they seem to go together all year long. (:

Wasn't a great read.

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