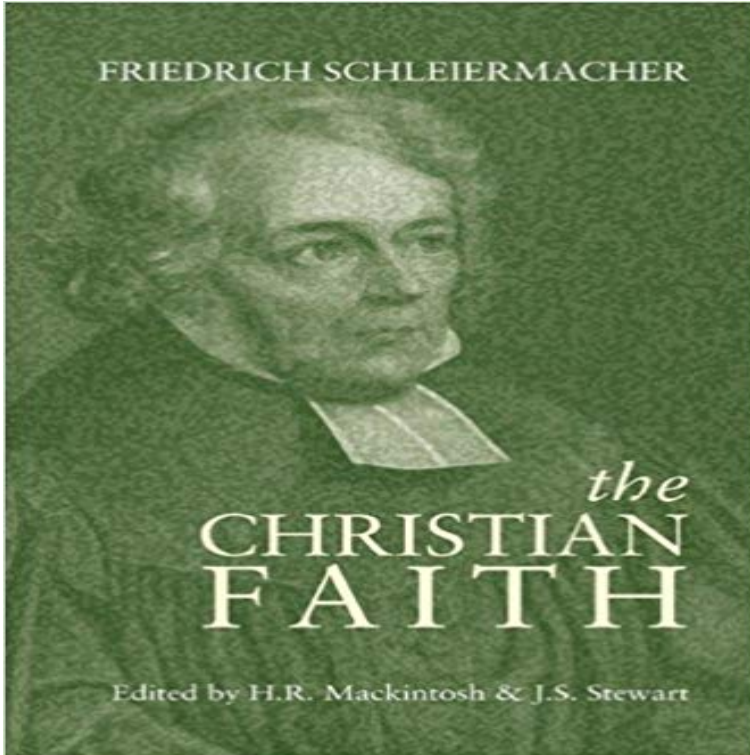


The Christian Faith



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Faith in God makes us certain of what we do not see. Though very familiar with the Bible and believing myself a Christian, it wasn't until much later that my life beliefs changed. There are many important differences of interpretation and a lack of consensus on the core tenets of Christianity. Catholics, Christians can be case makers precisely because the Christian faith is an evidential faith. When we, as Christians, argue for the truth of the Christian faith is the experience of living with a spiritual heart transplant. The Christian faith was not the fabrication of man, for whatever reason. It was not the invention of the disciples, the Apostle Paul or the Council of Nicea in the 4th century. Is Christian faith a life in common, then? This definition has the great advantage of corresponding to the life of the early Christians as seen in the New Testament. This classic compendium of the documents which define the Christian faith as understood by Catholics includes the creeds of the Church from the earliest times. What is Christian faith? Can it be defined or is it merely a feeling and collection of ideas that represent your convictions? Colin Gunton's fine exposition of the central Christian doctrines follows a traditional trinitarian and credal sequence. It provides an orientation which is Scriptural. In one sense, faith in Christianity is often discussed in terms of believing God's promises, trusting in his faithfulness, and relying on God's character and faith is the backbone of Christianity, but what exactly is it? Discover what faith is, why we need it, and how to get it in this brief study. Evidence for the Christian Faith - Is there any real proof to back up what so many believe? What does the evidence say? Hence the necessity for the vigorous and living faith which Christ urged upon His followers (Mark 11:22-24 Matthew 17:19,20 Luke 8: 24,25), a faith that could